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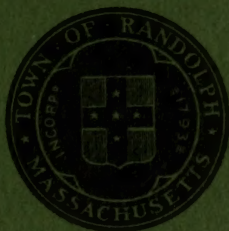
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NINETY-FIRST
ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Town of Randolph



For the Year Ending December 31,

1926

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Ninety-First Annual Report

of the

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor, Assessors, School
Committee, Police Department, Engineers of the
Fire Department, Highway Surveyor, Board
of Health, Town Clerk, Tax Collector,
and Town Treasurer

of the

Town of Randolph

together with the reports of
The Trustees of the Stetson School Fund
The Trustees of the Turner Free Library
The Water Commissioners

for the

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1926

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TOWN OFFICERS, 1926

Elected

Moderator (elected annually)—James E. Foley.

Town Clerk and Treasurer (elected annually)—John B. McNeill*.

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor (elected annually)—
Richard F. Forrest, Erskine H. Cox, James H. Hurley.

Assessors (elected for 3 years)—James H. Hurley, term expires 1927; James E. Foley, term expires 1928; Henry V. Morgan, term expires 1929.

School Committee (elected for 3 years)—Jesse S. Beal, term expires 1927; Charles R. Kiley, term expires 1928; Joseph Belcher, term expires 1929.

Water Commissioners (elected for 3 years)—Henry J. Meaney, term expires 1927; John B. McNeill, term expires 1928; Richard F. Forrest, term expires 1929.

Tax Collector (elected annually)—Walter H. Lyons.

Highway Surveyor (elected annually)—James Lynch.

Tree Warden (elected annually)—John T. Moore.

Constables (elected annually)—George M. Brewster, John J. Condon, Louis J. Courtney†, John A. Forrest, William C. Mann, Patrick T. McDonnell, Martin E. Young.

Board of Health (by section 1, chapter 41, General Laws, the Selectmen act in this capacity).

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Auditors (elected annually)—Michael F. Cunningham, James V. Donovan, John H. Rudderham.

Appointed by the Moderator

Appropriation Committee (appointed annually)—Daniel G. Donovan, William J. Good, Allan B. Gould, James G. Heney, Florence S. Roddan, Walter F. Stephens, Alfred T. Webber.

Appointed by the Selectmen

Registrars of Voters (appointed for 3 years)—Robert T. McAuliffe, term expires 1927; Herman H. Smith, vice Charles R. Powers, Jr., resigned, term expires 1928; Carlton B. Lyons, vice Harold F. Howard, resigned, term expires 1929; John B. McNeill* ex officio.

Police Officer (elected annually)—Patrick T. McDonnell.

Engineers of the Fire Department—John J. Condon, Harold W. Macauley, Martin E. Young.

Forest Warden (appointed annually)—John J. Condon.

Master of the Almshouse and Keeper of the Pound (appointed annually)—M. M. Sullivan.

Keeper of the Lock-up (appointed annually)—Timothy Kelleher.

Special Police (appointed annually)—Timothy Kelleher, John A. Forrest, Edmund J. Brady, William Mahady, William C. Mann, Percy H. Thomson, Edward B. Pratt, Henry J. Mann, William S. Condon, William J. Hogan, W. Stanley Atherton, William F. Whitecross, Richard F. Forrest, John J. Condon, Albert H. Hol-

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brook, James H. Meaney, William H. Mahoney, Martin E. Nugent, George L. Frawley, William E. Stott. Special Constable, E. Lawrence Payne.

Fence Viewers (appointed annually)—Charles H. Truelson, William Mahady, Frank C. Wales.

Public Weighers (appointed annually)—M. E. Leahy, Ellen Reilly, H. Burton Mann, John White, Patrick J. Hoye.

Surveyors of Wood and Bark (appointed annually)—Robert E. O'Brien†, Charles D. Hill†, N. Frank Randall†.

Field Drivers (appointed annually)—John T. Wales, William H. Carroll†, Lincoln Stetson†, Frank H. Walsh†. Walsh†.

Other Officers (appointed annually)—Inspector of Animals, Harry W. Kingman, M. D. V.; Inspector of Milk, William Mahady; Inspector of Slaughtering, Harry W. Kingman, M. D. V.; Assistant Inspector of Slaughtering, Fred O. Evans‡; Moth Superintendent, John T. Moore; Sealer of Weights and Measures, Bennie F. Hayden; Dog Officer, Edward B. Pratt.

Representative to General Court from 9th Norfolk Representative District

Bennett V. McLaughlin of Holbrook

Representative to Congress from 14th Congressional District

Louis A. Frothingham of North Easton

*Taken ill Sept. 25, 1926; duties assumed by Joseph T. Leahy, Town Clerk and Treasurer pro tem, Sept. 27, 1926.

†Did not qualify for office.

‡Wages paid by Inspector of Slaughtering.

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Report of the Town Clerk

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ANNUAL TOWN MEETING—1926

Randolph, March 1, 1926.

Pursuant to a warrant issued by the Selectmen and dated February 8, 1926, duly posted by Patrick T. McDonnell, Constable, the Voters of Randolph assembled at Stetson Hall this first day of March, 1926.

Meeting was called to order by the Moderator, James E. Foley.

Warrant and Return were read by the Town Clerk.

The preliminaries of law having been complied with the polls were declared open for the reception of ballots promptly at 5.45 A. M. and action taken as follows:

Article 1. To choose all such Town Officers as are required by law to be chosen by ballot, namely: A Moderator for one year; a Town Clerk for one year; a Town Treasurer for one year; three Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor for one year; one Member of School Committee for three years; one Trustee of Stetson School Fund for three years; a Collector of Taxes for one year; one Assessor for three years; one Water Commissioner for three years; three Auditors for one year; one Tree Warden for one year; one Highway Surveyor for one year; seven Constables for one year.

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VOTED that we proceed to ballot for all such Town Officers as are required by law to be chosen by ballot at the Annual Town Meeting, namely: A Moderator for one year; a Town Clerk for one year; a Town Treasurer for one year; three Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor for one year; one Member of School Committee for three years; one Trustee of Stetson School Fund for three years; a Collector of Taxes for one year; one Assessor for three years; one Water Commissioner for three years; three Auditors for one year; one Tree Warden for one year; one Highway Surveyor for one year; seven Constables for one year.

That the polls be kept open until two o'clock P. M. that articles 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68 and 69 of this Warrant be referred to the Finance or Appropriation Committee composed of Walter F. Stephens, R. E. O'Brien, Frank M. Condon, Daniel P. Lyons, Daniel G. Donovan, Royal L. Mann, and William F. Cunningham, said committee to report at an adjournment of this meeting Monday, March 22, 1926, at 7.30 P. M.

The following persons acted as Election Officers, and were duly sworn by the Town Clerk: Checkers: Herman W. French; Mrs. Una C. Belcher; Miss Helen T. Sullivan; Mrs. Julia Dolan; Gate Officers: E. Lawrence Payne; Timothy Lyons; Ballot Clerks: John R. Luddington; Miss Frances E. Reilly; Ballot Box: M. Frank Pellissier; Tabulator: Mrs. Olga Howard; Tellers: Mrs. Hannah Foster; Mrs. Elizabeth Cunningham; Mrs. Eileen G. Lyons; Mrs. Annie Long; Mrs. J. J. Conlon; Mrs. Gert-

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rude Meaney; Leo Dench; Wm. J. Hogan; Joseph Brewster; Mrs. Alice Kelliher; Mrs. Alice G. Kelley; Joseph J. McMahon; Mrs. Lillian M. Costello; Mrs. Ethel S. Stetson; William H. Murphy; Mrs. Bertha Soule; Mrs. Alice Burchell; Miss Fannie E. Knight; Miss Alice M. Hadley; George Sawyer; Albert Godfrey; Herman H. Smith; R. A. Yates; Daniel P. Lyons; Arthur W. Alden; Miss Sarah C. Belcher; Mrs. Mildred Merrill; Mrs. Adelaide Langley.

At 2 o'clock P. M. it was Voted that the polls be kept open for one hour.

At 3 o'clock P. M. it was Voted that the polls close.

Article 15. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the Financial year beginning January 1, 1926, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this Vote to be paid from the revenue of said Financial year.

VOTED unanimously, that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1926, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this Vote to be paid from the revenue of said municipal year.

Article 16. To see if the Town will appoint the Selectmen to be the agents and attorneys of the Town to prosecute, defend and compromise any and all suits in which the Town may be in any manner interested as a party or otherwise, except so far as the same relate in any manner to the water supply, and to employ counsel if necessary.

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VOTED that the Selectmen be so appointed.

Article 17. To see if the Town will authorize and appoint the Water Commissioners to be the agents and attorneys of the Town, to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the Town may be interested as a party or otherwise so far as the same in any manner relate to the preserving, taking and use of the water of Great Pond, or to the construction of the water works, either jointly or separately, as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885, and to employ counsel if necessary.

VOTED that the Water Commissioners be so authorized, and appointed.

The ballots were removed from the ballot box at 10 A. M. when the ballot box registered 1,000, and at 2 o'clock P. M. when the ballot box registered 2,004, and after the close of the polls, the ballot box then registering 2,029.

Names checked on list	2028
Ballots counted	2028
Ballot box registered (incorrectly)	2029

The Vote for Town Officers was as follows:

Moderator

*James E. Foley	Nine hundred forty-nine	949
Asa P. French	Nine hundred forty-eight	948
Blanks	One hundred thirty-one	131

Town Clerk

*John B. McNeill	Seventeen hundred fifteen	1715
Blanks	Three hundred thirteen	313

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Town Treasurer

*John B. McNeill	Three hundred fifty-seven	357
Blanks	Sixteen hundred seventy-one	1671

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor

*Erskine H. Cox	Ten hundred and seven	1007
*Richard F. Forrest	Nine hundred and eighty-eight	988
Walter L. Hickey	Six hundred and sixty-two	662
*James H. Hurley	Ten hundred seventy-one	1071
Arthur L. Mann	Seven hundred eighty	780
Henry V. Morgan	Nine hundred and fifty	950
Blanks	Six hundred twenty-six	626

Assessor (3 Years)

Waldo E. Mann	Eight hundred twenty-seven	827
*Henry V. Morgan	Ten hundred fifty-nine	1059
Blanks	One hundred forty-two	142

School Committee (3 Years)

*Joseph Belcher	Eleven hundred eleven	1111
Albert C. Webber	Seven hundred fifty-four	754
Blanks	One hundred sixty-three	163

Trustee Stetson School Fund (3 Years)

*Joseph Belcher	Eleven hundred and seven	1107
Albert C. Webber	Seven hundred and thirty-four	734
Blanks	One hundred eighty-seven	187

Tax Collector (1 Year)

James G. Hoye	Five hundred forty-five	545
*Walter H. Lyons	Thirteen hundred eighty-six	1386
Blanks	Ninety-seven	97

Water Commissioner (3 Years)

*Richard F. Forrest	Nine hundred ninety-six	996
F. Leo Hand	Nine hundred and twelve	912
Blanks	One hundred and twenty	120

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Highway Surveyor (1 Year)

*James Lynch	Thirteen hundred thirty-five	1335
Charles H. Truelson	Five hundred sixty-seven	567
Blanks	One hundred twenty-six	126

Tree Warden (1 Year)

*John T. Moore	Fifteen hundred nineteen	1519
Blanks	Five hundred and nine	509

Auditors (1 Year)

*Michael F. Cunningham	Nine hundred seventy-six	976
*James V. Donovan	Fourteen hundred fourteen	1414
Raymond L. Mason	Seven hundred thirty-one	731
*John H. Rudderham	One thousand and three	1003
S. William Swain	Six hundred thirty-one	631
Blanks	Thirteen hundred twenty-nine	1329

Constables (1 Year)

*George M. Brewster	Eight hundred and eleven	811
*John J. Condon	Seven hundred eighty-seven	787
*Louis J. Courtney	Ten hundred eighty-three	1083
John B. Dowd	Seven hundred fifty-five	755
*John A. Forrest	Seven hundred eighty-five	785
Leslie D. Gould	Five hundred sixty-two	562
Douglas E. Mann	Seven hundred sixty-five	765
*William C. Mann	Ten hundred thirty-six	1036
*Patrick T. McDonnell	Thirteen hundred twenty-six	1326
Joseph A. Piotte	Four hundred one	401
*Martin E. Young	Eleven hundred ninety-eight	1198
Blanks	Four thousand six hundred and eighty-seven	4,687

*Elected

Declaration of the result was announced at 6.10 o'clock P. M.

Ballots used and unused and check lists and tally sheets were sealed in open meeting.

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VOTED to adjourn to Monday, March 22, 1926, at 7.30 o'clock P. M.

Meeting adjourned at 7 o'clock P. M.

A True Record:

Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,

Town Clerk.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT 1926

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Norfolk ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph in the County of Norfolk. Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at Stetson Hall, in said Town on Monday, the twenty second day of March next at 7.00 o'clock in the afternoon then and there to act on the following articles:—

Article 1. To see if the Town will accept section 37 of Chapter 82 of the General Laws, relative to the establishing of Building Lines.

Article 2. To see if the Town will appropriate money to defray the expense of a survey to establish building lines.

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And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the Time and Place of Meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this fifteenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

RICHARD F. FORREST,
ERSKINE H. COX,
JAMES E. FOLEY,

Selectmen of Randolph.

Norfolk ss.

Randolph, March 17, 1926.

Pursuant to the within Warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of Randolph by posting up copies of the warrant at five public places within the said Town seven days before the date hereof as within stated.

(Signed) PATRICK T. McDONNELL,

Constable.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING—1926

Randolph Mass.

March 22, 1926.

Pursuant to a warrant signed by the Selectmen and dated March 15, 1926, duly posted by Patrick T. McDonnell, Constable, the inhabitants of Randolph assembled

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at Stetson Hall on the twenty-second day of March 1926.

The meeting was called to order by James E. Foley, Moderator, at 7.10 P. M. The Warrant and Return were read by the Town Clerk, and the following business transacted.

Article 1. To see if the Town will accept Section 37 of Chapter 82 of the General Laws, relative to the establishing of Building Lines.

VOTED that the Town accept Section 37 of Chapter 82 relative to the establishing of Building Lines.

It was voted to recess until 7.40 P. M.

At 7.40 P. M. the meeting was again called to order and the voters present were counted and it was found that there was not a quorum present in order to appropriate money which was called for by Article 2 of the warrant, and it was

VOTED to lay the matter on the table.

VOTED that this meeting be now dissolved.

Meeting dissolved at 7.45 P. M.

A True Record:

Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING ADJOURNED—1926

Randolph, March 22, 1926.

The Annual Town Meeting adjourned from March 1,

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1926 to this date was called to order at 7.45 o'clock P. M. by James E. Foley, Moderator, and the following business transacted.

Article 2. To hear and act on the report of the Town Officers.

VOTED that Article 2 be laid on the table until all other articles in the Warrant had been acted on.

Article 3. To raise and appropriate money to defray the general town expenses for the current year.

VOTED that the sum of \$70,174.90 be raised and appropriated for general town expenses, as follows:

Salaries of Town Officials

Moderator	\$50.00	
Selectmen	650.00	
Treasurer	900.00	
Town Clerk	300.00	
Assessors	1,300.00	
Auditors	150.00	
Registrars of Voters	150.00	
Tax Collector (Estimated)	1,800.00	
Inspector of Animals	100.00	
Inspector of Milk	100.00	
Inspector of Slaughtering	150.00	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	175.00	
Tree Warden	250.00	
Highway Surveyor	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$7,575.00

Department Expenses

Almshouse:

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Poor in Almshouse	\$5,000.00	
Poor out of Almshouse	1,833.43	
	<hr/>	\$6,833.43
Forest Fire Department	\$800.00	
Tree Department	350.00	
Board of Health Department	2,500.00	
Soldiers' Relief, Randolph and Holbrook	200.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,850.00

Notes, Interest and Discount

Reduction of Town Debt Notes	\$15,600.00	
Interest and Discount	7,750.00	
	<hr/>	\$23,350.00

Taxes Estimated

State Tax	\$8,040.00	
County Tax	6,349.51	
State Highway Tax	742.00	
	<hr/>	\$15,131.51

General Expenses

Miscellaneous Expenses	\$1,500.00	
Snow Removal	7,000.00	
Election Expenses	1,000.00	
Insurance	2,700.00	
Lockup Expenses	200.00	
Printing 1925 Town Report	709.96	
Births, Marriages, Deaths	325.00	
	<hr/>	\$13,434.96

Total for General Expenses	\$70,174.90
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VOTED that the sum of \$30,862.46 be re-appropriated as follows:

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Rebuilding Stetson High School	\$9,605.28
School Equipment	10,762.53
Assessors' Maps	500.00
Salaries of Town Officers	2,069.98
State Fire Tower, Holbrook	200.00
Mothers' Aid Department	982.93
Insurance	868.74
Medical Attendance for Poor	75.00
Military Aid	100.00
Poor out of Almshouse	666.57
Soldiers' Relief Department	300.00
School Department	3,864.98
School, North Randolph	866.45
	————— \$30,862.46

VOTED That the amount of fourteen thousand eight hundred and sixteen dollars be raised and appropriated for the water department as follows: Joint account three thousand one hundred and one, Maintenance account four thousand eight hundred ninety-six, Construction account three thousand nine hundred and nine dollars, Interest account one hundred and sixty dollars, Chlorinator two hundred and fifty dollars, Painting Standpipe, sixteen hundred dollars, New Auto Truck five hundred dollars, New gates at Pumping Station four hundred dollars, Total appropriation Water Department, fourteen thousand eight hundred and sixteen dollars.

Joint Account	\$3,101.00
Maintenance Account	4,896.00
Construction Account	3,909.00
Interest Account	160.00
Chlorinator	250.00
Painting Standpipe	1,600.00
New Auto Truck	500.00

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New Gate at Station	400.00
	<hr/> \$14,816.00

Article 4. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint a Special Police Officer or Officers to enforce the laws and raise and appropriate money for the same.

VOTED that the sum of \$2,800.00 be raised and appropriated for the enforcement of law, and that a new motorcycle be purchased for the department. Special Officer or Officers to be appointed by the Selectmen. That \$2,000.00 shall be the salary of the Police Officer, and \$800.00 for the new motorcycle and special police.

Article 5. To see what action the Town will take in relation to the Fire Department and raise and appropriate money therefor.

VOTED that the sum of \$5,775.00 be raised and appropriated for the Fire Department, as follows:

General Expenses	\$800.00
Salaries of Men	450.00
Hour Service	700.00
Driver of Truck	1,800.00
Extra Driver one day per week	260.00
Engincers' Salaries	150.00
Unpaid Bills, 1925-1926	215.00
Painting and Repairing Interior of	
House No. 1	200.00
Rebuilding new and care of Fire	
Alarm System	450.00
500 feet of hose	525.00
Snow removal expense	225.00
	<hr/> \$5,775.00

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Article 6. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for support of schools, including Stetson High School, and also for the conveyance of pupils.

VOTED that the sum of \$70,730.00 be raised and appropriated for school purposes, as follows:

Stetson High School	\$16,750.00
Teaching, Grammar Schools	32,935.00
Fuel	4,000.00
Books and Supplies	4,500.00
Care of Rooms	3,800.00
Transportation of Pupils	2,900.00
Superintendent of Schools	1,225.00
School Physician	100.00
School Nurse	1,400.00
Continuation and Trade School	1,800.00
General Expense	4,000.00
School Committee	300.00
	<hr/> \$73,710.00
Less estimated revenue from:	
Dog Tax	\$1,300.00
State Tuition	700.00
Coddington Fund	80.00
Vocational Education	900.00
	<hr/> \$2,980.00
	<hr/> \$70,730.00

VOTED that Article 36 and Article 37 be taken up in conjunction.

Article 36. To see what action the Town will take relative to raising and appropriating money to pay for the curtains and electric fixtures for the Stetson High

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School Building and for grading the High School grounds, as petitioned for by Charles R. Kiley and Florence S. Roddan.

Article 37. To hear and act on the report of the Stetson High School Building Committee and raise and appropriate such sum of money as may be necessary to fulfill any contracts entered into by them in the name of the Town.

VOTED unanimously that the sum of \$1,652.32 be raised and appropriated to pay for the curtains and electric fixtures for the Stetson High School Building and for grading the High School grounds as follows: Curtains \$387.67; Electric fixtures \$764.65; grading \$500.00.

And that \$11,200 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of completing and fulfilling any contracts entered into by the Stetson High School Building Committee in the name of the Town; making a total appropriation under this Vote of \$12,852.32.—That \$852.32 of this amount be raised in the tax levy of the current year and \$500.00 be taken from the amount set up as reserve for abatements of 1922. That the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow \$11,500.00 in accordance with the Provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws and to issue notes of the Town therefor, payable in accordance with the Provisions of said Chapter 44 so that the entire indebtedness herein authorized shall be paid in not more than fifteen years from the date of issue of the first note or at such earlier dates as the Treasurer and Selectmen may determine.

VOTED that the Town ratify the actions of the Stetson High School Building Committee in exceeding the limit of expenditures set by the Town.

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Article 7. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for lighting the streets by electricity.

VOTED that the sum of \$6,103.92 be raised and appropriated for lighting the streets by electricity.

Article 8. To see what action the Town will take relative to repairs on highways and raise and appropriate money for the same.

VOTED that the sum of \$7,500.00 be raised and appropriated for general repairs on the highways. An increase over the appropriation of last year is recommended in order to enable the Highway Surveyor to resurface with tarvia the streets upon which repairs were made last year.

Article 9. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money for the expense of the Assessors' Department.

VOTED that the sum of \$300.00 be raised and appropriated to cover the expenses of the Assessors' Department.

Article 10. To see what action the Town will take relative to abatement of taxes and raise and appropriate money therefor.

VOTED that the abatement of taxes be taken from the overlay.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to pay the insurance on the Town Treasurer's Bond for the year 1926-1927, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

VOTED that the sum of \$100.00 be raised and appro-

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priated to pay the insurance on the Town Treasurer's Bond for the year 1926-1927.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to pay the insurance on the Tax Collector's Bond for the year 1926-1927, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

VOTED that the sum of \$100.00 be raised and appropriated to pay the insurance on the Tax Collector's Bond for the year 1926-1927.

Article 13. To see what compensation the Town will allow for the collection of taxes.

VOTED that one and one-quarter per cent. be allowed as compensation for the collection of taxes on the tax levy for the year 1926.

Article 14. To see if the Town will authorize the Tax Collector to use the same means which a Town Treasurer may use when acting as Tax Collector.

VOTED that the Tax Collector be so authorized.

Article 18. To see what action the Town will take relative to medical attendance on the poor and raise and appropriate money for the same.

VOTED that the sum of \$300.00 be raised and appropriated, said sum to be apportioned to the several physicians of the Town and to be paid in full for the attendance on all persons under the care of the Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor, whose settlement and residence is in the Town of Randolph, for one year from January 1926; that is to say, that each physician in the town from the first of January 1926 shall receive \$75.00 for his services, provided that he makes 38 visits during the year, after that he shall receive no compensation for his

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services; those physicians who make less than 38 visits shall receive pay at the rate of \$2.00 for each of said visits.

Article 19. To see what action the Town will take in regard to raising and appropriating money for the Randolph Visiting Nurse Association.

VOTED that the sum of \$1,000 be raised and appropriated for donation to the Randolph Visiting Nurse Association.

Article 20. To see what action the Town will take relative to raising and appropriating money for the suppression of the gypsy and brown tail moths, as recommended by the State Forester.

VOTED that the sum of \$1,000 be raised and appropriated for the suppression of the gypsy and brown tail moths.

Article 21. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money for the planting of shade trees, as petitioned for by the Tree Warden and others.

VOTED that the sum of \$100.00 be reappropriated for the planting of shade trees.

Article 22. To see what action the Town will take in relation to repairs on the Turner Free Library Building and raise and appropriate money for the same.

VOTER that the sum of \$150.00 be raised and appropriated for repairs on the Turner Free Library Building.

Article 23. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money for the care of the clock in the spire of the First Congregational Church.

VOTED that the sum of \$20.00 be raised and appro-

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priated for the care of the clock in the spire of the First Congregational Church.

Article 24. To see if the Town will make an appropriation for the decoration of Soldiers' graves under the direction of Capt. Horace Niles Post 110, G. A. R., and raise money therefor.

VOTED that the sum of \$225.00 be raised and appropriated for the decoration of Soldiers' graves under the direction of Capt. Horace Niles Post 110, G. A. R.

Article 25. To hear and act on the report of any committee and choose any committees the Town may think proper.

Under Article 25 the Lighting Committee reported progress through its Chairman, James H. Hurley. Report accepted as progressive, and committee continued.

The Committee on War Memorial reported progress through its Chairman, William F. Cunningham, and the report of the said Committee was accepted and the Committee continued.

VOTED under Article 25 that a committee of five be appointed by the Moderator to bring in a list of candidates for the Finance Committee.

Committee Appointed

Walter F. Stephens

Daniel G. Donovan

William H. Quigley

Allan B. Gould

James G. Hoye

Article 26. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the pay of town laborers.

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VOTED that ordinary laborers employed by the Town receive sixty cents an hour for such labor, and that the compensation for the use of horses employed for the Town be forty cents an hour, except when used on snow-plow or road scraper, when such compensation shall be at the rate of fifty cents an hour.

VOTED that none but citizens be employed in any Department.

VOTED to refer to Article 8.

VOTED that this meeting be adjourned to Monday, March 29, 1926 at 8 o'clock P. M.

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING (ADJOURNED) 1926

Randolph, March 29, 1926.

Pursuant to an adjournment of the Annual Town Meeting from March 22 to this date, the voters of Randolph assembled at Stetson Hall this 29th day of March, 1926, and the following business was transacted.

Meeting called to order by the Moderator at 8 o'clock P. M. and Article 8 was taken up.

VOTED under Article 8, That the sum of \$1,100.00 Dollars be added to the amount appropriated for General Highway Repairs, making the total amount appropriated under Article 8, \$8,600.00.

VOTED that we now reconsider that part of Article three relative to the Water Department.

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Article 3. Amendment to Article 3. Voted that the Water Department be financed in the same manner as all other Town Departments and in accordance with the General Laws of the Commonwealth whereby the cost of operating and maintaining said Water Department be raised and appropriated and the revenue of said Department be used by the Assessors in determining the Tax levy, also that the funds and accounts of said Department heretofore kept separately be combined with the General funds and accounts of the Town, in accordance with the General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 53, and that for the current year the sum of \$14,816.00 be raised and appropriated as follows:

Water Department:

Joint Account Randolph and Holbrook	\$3,101.00
Maintenance	4,896.00
Construction Account	3,909.00
Interest	160.00
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	\$12,066.00
One-half cost new Chlorinator	250.00
Share of cost of painting stand-pipe	1,600.00
Exchange of automobile truck	500.00
New Gate	400.00
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	\$14,816.00

VOTED that this meeting adjourn to Tuesday evening, April 6, 1926 at 8 o'clock.

Meeting adjourned at 10.45 o'clock P. M.

A True Record: Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

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ANNUAL TOWN MEETING (ADJOURNED) 1926

Randolph, April 6, 1926.

Pursuant to an adjournment of the annual Town Meeting from March 29, 1926 to this date, the voters of Randolph assembled at Stetson Hall this sixth day of April, 1926, and the following business was transacted.

Meeting called to order by the Moderator at 8 o'clock P. M.

Article 25 was taken up. The Committee appointed at an adjournment of this meeting to present names for the Finance Committee reported the names of the following persons to serve on the Finance Committee: William J. Good, Walter F. Stephens, Daniel G. Donovan, Florence S. Roddan, James G. Heney, Alfred C. Webber, Allan B. Gould.

VOTED that the report of the Committee be accepted, and the above were declared the duly elected Finance Committee for the ensuing year.

Articles 36 and 37 were then taken up in conjunction.

VOTED that all previous action under these articles be rescinded.

VOTED under Articles 36 and 37, unanimous hand vote,

That the sum of \$1,652.32 be raised and appropriated to pay for the curtains and electric fixtures for the Stetson High School Building and for grading the High School grounds, as follows:

Curtains

\$387.67

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Electric Fixtures	764.65
Grading	500.00

and that \$11,200 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of completing and fulfilling any contracts entered into by the Stetson High School Building Committee in the name of the Town; making a total appropriation under this vote of \$12,852.32; that \$1,352.32 of this amount be raised in the tax levy of the current year and \$500.00 for grading be taken from the amount set up as reserve for abatements of 1922; that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow \$11,000 in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, and to issue notes of the Town therefor, payable in accordance with the provisions of said Chapter 44 so that the entire indebtedness herein authorized shall be paid in not more than fifteen years from the date of issue of the first note or at such earlier dates as the Treasurer and Selectmen may determine.

VOTED that the Town ratify the actions of the Stetson High School Building Committee in exceeding the list of expenditures set by the Town.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to have all garbage, ashes and rubbish of all kinds hauled away regularly during the year and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by E. H. Cox and others.

Article 27. No action taken.

Article 28. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of fifteen hundred dollars to continue the work of surveying the Town and the making of maps, as petitioned for by James H. Hurley and Henry V. Morgan.

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Article 28. VOTED that the sum of five hundred dollars be raised and appropriated under this article.

Article 29. To see what action the Town will take relative to transferring free cash in the Treasury to the use of the Assessors in reducing the Tax levy, as petitioned for by Henry V. Morgan and James H. Hurley.

Article 29. VOTED that this article be left over to be acted on previous to the last article on the warrant.

Article 30. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate to the Treasury the sum of Three Hundred Dollars expended in 1925 in taking the census, for which no appropriation was made.

VOTED that there be raised and appropriated to the Treasury the sum of Three Hundred Dollars expended in 1925 in taking the census.

Article 31. To see if the Town will authorize the transfer from unexpended balances in the 1925 appropriations of such sums as may be necessary to cover overdrafts in these appropriations.

Article 31. VOTED that all action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 32. To see what action the Town will take relative to the acceptance of Section 103 of Chapter 41 the General Laws of the Commonwealth regarding the appointment of a Purchasing Agent as petitioned for by Joseph J. McMahon and others.

Article 32. VOTED that all action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 33. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Town Accountant, under Section

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55 of Chapter 41, General Laws and raise and appropriate money for his salary.

Article 33. VOTED that all action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 34. To see if the Town will create a reserve fund for extraordinary or unforeseen emergencies, as per Section 6, Chapter 40, General Laws, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 34. VOTED that all action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 35. To see if the Town will instruct the Treasurer to transfer any funds remaining in "The Randolph Water Loan Sinking Fund" after all debts against said Fund have been paid, to the Town Treasurer to be held by him to pay outstanding water indebtedness, as petitioned for by the Water Commissioners.

Article 35. VOTED that all action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 38. To see what action the Town will take in regard to purchasing traffic beacons now erected at the junction of North Main Street and Warren Streets and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 38. VOTED that the sum of Two Hundred Sixty-five Dollars be raised and appropriated for purchasing the traffic beacon, and that the Selectmen be instructed to reset the beacon four feet from its present location in a westerly direction.

Article 39. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of \$557.75 to pay William J. Good, for professional services in settling the suit brought by the Rossetti Con-

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tracting Company against the Town for damages in connection with the construction of a section of North Main Street.

Article 39. VOTED that the sum of \$557.75 be appropriated to pay William J. Good.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to pay Edward J. Megley \$764.54 for repairs to cistern and roadway in Crawford Square and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 40. VOTED that the sum of \$764.54 be raised and appropriated for to pay Edward J. Megley.

Article 41. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the purpose of re-surfacing the floor in Stetson Hall, and for purchasing a canvas for same, as petitioned for by Joseph J. Duffy and others.

Article 41. VOTED that all action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 42. To see what action the Town will take with reference to the adoption and imposition of instructions, rules and regulations on and for the conduct of the Board of Water Commissioners as petitioned for by William H. Quigley and others.

Article 42. VOTED that we proceed to draw up and adopt regulations for the Water Department.

VOTED that all moneys received by the Water Department shall be paid by such officers or department upon their receipt into the Town Treasury, any sums so paid into the Town Treasury shall not later be used by such officers or department without a specific appropriation therefor.

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VOTED it shall be the duty of the Water Commissioners to preserve and protect the purity of the waters of Great Pond, and of the streams flowing directly or indirectly into said Pond. The Water Commissioners shall take proper action to enforce all statutes enacted for the protection and preservation of waters of ponds or streams used as a source of water supply. They shall enforce the rules and regulations of the State Department of Health to prevent the pollution, and to secure the necessary protection of the waters used by the Town of Randolph as a source of water supply.

VOTED that this meeting adjourn to Tuesday evening, April 13, 1926.

A True Record: Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

Randolph, April 13, 1926.

Pursuant to an adjournment of the Annual Town Meeting from April 6, 1926, to this date, the voters of Randolph assembled at Stetson Hall this 13th day of April, 1926. The meeting was called to order by the Moderator at 8 o'clock P. M. and the following business transacted.

Article 42 was taken up.

VOTED that all action under this article be deferred until the report of the survey being made by the State Department of Public Health is received, that when this meeting adjourns tonight, it stand adjourned for two weeks to Tuesday, April 27th, 1926 at 8 o'clock P. M.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to place three

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Fire Alarm boxes of the keyless style at North Randolph, one to be placed on North Main Street at or near the filling station of Patrick Foley, one at the approximate corner of North Main and Russ Streets, and one on Pond Street approximately half-way between the Pumping Station and North Main Street and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Frank M. Downes and others.

Article 43. VOTED that a fire signal box be installed at or near the filling station of Patrick Foley and that the sum of \$250.00 be raised and appropriated therefor; that four phantom fire signal boxes be installed on Pond Street, to be located by the Fire Engineers.

VOTED that Article 27 be reconsidered.

Article 27. VOTED that this Article be deferred until the adjournment of this meeting, and the Selectmen be instructed to receive bids, for removing garbage, to present to the meeting.

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to install six Street lights on High Street between Capa Bianca's driveway and Stacy Street as petitioned for by Francis W. Finch and others, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 44. VOTED that six lights be installed on High Street and \$99.00 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to install ten lights on North Main Street from Hildgard Street to the Randolph-Quincy Line, as petitioned for by P. J. Foley and others, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 45. VOTED that ten lights (in addition to the

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six voted last year) be installed on North Main Street and that the sum of \$165.00 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to install four additional lights on Fairmount Street and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by George H. Kiley and others.

Article 46. VOTED that two lights be installed on Fairmount Street, and that \$33.00 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water main on Orchard Street three hundred feet in a northerly direction and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Edward Derocher and others.

Article 47. VOTED that the water main on Orchard Street be extended in a northerly direction three hundred feet and that the sum of eight hundred and twenty-five dollars be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 48. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water main on Highland Avenue southerly from Fairmount Street a distance of 1,000 feet and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Edgar B. Cole and others.

Article 48. VOTED that this article be laid on the table until the next adjournment of this meeting.

Article 49. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the Water Main along Center Street from Main Street 800 feet as petitioned for by John H. Marcille and others and raise and appropriate money therefor.

VOTED that the sum of \$2,400.00 be raised and appro-

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priated for extending the Water Main along Centre Street, from Main Street a distance of 800 feet.

VOTED that this meeting adjourn to Tuesday, April 27, 1926 at 8 o'clock P. M.

A True Record: Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

Randolph, April 27, 1926.

The Annual Town Meeting adjourned from April 13 to this date was called to order by the Moderator at eight o'clock P. M. and the following business transacted.

Article 48 was taken up.

Article 48. VOTED 248 affirmative: Nine Negative. That the Water Commissioners be instructed to install the Water Mains along Highland Avenue in a southerly direction from Fairmount Street, 1,000 feet, and that there be raised and appropriated \$3,000 for that purpose, and that said amount be borrowed, and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to issue a note or notes of the Town therefor; all in accordance with Chapter 44 of the General Laws and amendments thereof, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than five years from the issue of the first note or at such earlier time as the Selectmen and the Treasurer may determine.

Mr. Edgar B. Cole agreed verbally to pay six per cent. on the investment.

Article 42 was then taken up.

Article 42. Under this Article a report from the State

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Department of Health, relative to conditions on the water shed and tributaries of Great Pond, also on the supply of water at said Pond, was read.

Article 42. VOTED that the Board of Selectmen, Board of Health and Water Commissioners be instructed to enforce the General Laws, the Rules of the Department of Health and Town By-laws relative to abating the pollution of Great Pond and its tributaries.

VOTED that a Committee of five be appointed to bring in rules and regulations for the Water Department, and report next Tuesday night.

Committee appointed, Henry V. Morgan, Walter F. Stephens, Joseph Belcher, Allan B. Gould, James H. Hurley, Timothy Lyons, Wm. J. Good.

VOTED that this meeting adjourn to Tuesday, May 4, 1926, at eight o'clock P. M.

A True Record: Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

Randolph, May 4, 1926.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING ADJOURNED

Pursuant to an adjournment to the Annual Town Meeting from April 27, 1926, to this date, the voters of Randolph assembled at Stetson Hall this fourth day of May, 1926. The meeting was called to order by the Moderator and as he declared no quorum present a recess of ten minutes was taken. The meeting was again called to order at 8.10 o'clock P. M. when the Moderator declared a quorum present and the following business was transacted.

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Article 42 was first taken up.

The Committee appointed at the last adjournment of this meeting reported through Henry V. Morgan, Chairman, who read the report of the Committee, reported the following twelve rules and four recommendations to be added to the rules and regulations already adopted for the Water Department.

1. That every dead end in the Town be blown out at least once every two weeks during the months of June, July and August, and at least once a month from January to May inclusive and September to December inclusive.
2. All hydrants shall be tested at least once in two months.
3. All main shut-offs shall be tested once every six months.
4. The Water Commissioners shall appoint a collector who shall collect all amounts committed to him by the Commissioners together with interest, fees and other charges. He shall turn his collections over to the Town Treasurer at least once a week, and shall furnish bond of a Surety Company in an amount satisfactory to the Commissioners for the faithful performance of his duties. The same laws, rules and regulations shall apply to said Collector employed by the Commissioners as apply to Tax Collectors.
5. All amounts due the Town for water supplied or for services rendered by the Water Department, shall be committed to the Collector employed by the Water Commissioners, in the same manner as taxes are committed and in conformity with the General

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Laws applying to Municipal Finance.

6. The Water Commissioners shall quarterly inspect the shores of Great Pond and of all water sheds and tributaries which directly or indirectly empty into said Great Pond and take such action as is necessary in accordance with the regulations of the State Board of Health, Town By-Laws, and Town rules, regulations, and instructions to insure the health and safety of the public and keep such property free from all refuse, garbage, rubbish and all matter which will in any way contribute to or bring about pollution of the waters of said Great Pond. The results of such inspection and any action taken by the Commissioners shall be incorporated in the Annual Report of the Water Commissioners to the citizens of the town.
7. No service pipes shall be laid by the Water Commissioners beyond the street lines of the premises to be supplied.
8. No water pipes shall be laid on any private ways or streets unless and until proper waivers and licenses to install and maintain the same on such ways and streets shall have been delivered to the Water Commissioners and duly recorded in the Registry of Deeds of the County of Norfolk.
9. Broken or defective hydrants shall be replaced or repaired within twenty-four hours of the time that such hydrants are broken or the defective condition of the same is discovered.
10. Surfaces of streets opened up by the Water Department shall be replaced by the Water Commissioners in as good condition as same were before said streets were opened.

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11. No extension of water mains shall be made unless by vote of the Town.
12. No extension of a water main and no installation of a domestic service pipe shall be made until and unless a detailed blue-print of the location of the same, determined and fixed with permanent monuments, shall have been filed with the Water Commissioners.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That to insure efficiency and proper protection, the permanent chauffeur employed by the Fire Engineers be equipped with wrenches and other equipment necessary for use in acting in cases of emergency in the shutting off of broken hydrants and water mains, said permanent chauffeur to act in the absence of officials and employees of the Water Department.
2. That information and records of the Water Department concerning the location of water mains, hydrants, and shut-offs, gates, etc., be placed at the disposal of the Assessors who shall arrange to have the lay-out of the water system indicated on the Town plans and maps which are being made under their supervision.
3. That the Water Commissioners confer with the Commissioners of the towns of Braintree and Holbrook for the purpose of arranging with said towns for the employment of a special police officer in the towns of Randolph and Braintree whose duty it shall be to continually inspect the shores of Great Pond and its water sheds,—to protect the pond and its waters from contamination and pollution;—the salary and expenses of said special police officer to

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be equally paid by the three towns of Randolph, Holbrook and Braintree.

4. That the rules and regulations for the conduct of the Water Department be referred back to the Committee appointed at the adjourned town meeting of April 27, 1926, to be printed and that same be codified with and printed with such rules of the department now in force as may not be inconsistent with the regulations adopted at this meeting, such of the General Laws, and parts thereof, and such rules and regulations of the State Board of Health as apply to prevention of the pollution of the water supply, together with such other matter as may pertain to the water system, shall be printed by said Committee with said rules and regulations, for distribution, the cost of same to be taken from the General appropriation for the Water Department.

VOTED that the report of the Committee be accepted and adopted.

VOTED that the Committee appointed at the last adjournment be authorized and directed to look into the advisability of procuring a new source of water supply for the town of Randolph, to confer with representatives of Holbrook and Braintree, and that they be authorized and empowered in the name of the town to employ a sanitary engineer to aid them in making their investigation, such engineer to be paid not in excess of \$1,000 from the general appropriation, and that the Town of Holbrook, through its proper representatives be invited to join in said action; said Committee to report back to the Town at a Special Town Meeting to be held within four months from this date.

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Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water main 600 feet westerly on Grove Street and raise and appropriate money for same, as petitioned for by Walter L. Rodd and others.

VOTED that action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 51. To see if the Town will extend the water main from a point on North Main Street opposite Stacy Street 250 feet in a northerly direction to a point near the corner of North Main and Waldo Streets and raise and appropriate money for same, as petitioned for by Waldo E. Mann and others.

VOTED that the water main on North Main Street opposite Stacy Street be extended 250 feet in a northerly direction to a point near the corner of North Main and Waldo Streets, and that the sum of \$700.00 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 52. To see if the Town will vote to install the water mains on Center Street, between Union Street and South Street and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by Peter Madigan, William S. Hudson and others.

VOTED that the sum of \$1,718.25 be raised and appropriated to install the water mains on Center Street, between Union Street and South Street.

Article 53. To see if the Town will instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water mains along Chestnut Street to the residence of John Stevenson, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Charles L. Truelson, William H. Quigley and others.

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VOTED that the sum of \$1,700.00 be raised and appropriated to extend the water main on Chestnut Street 625 feet in a westerly direction.

Article 53A. To see if the Town will vote to have the two dead ends of water pipe on Grove Street connected, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

VOTED that the sum of \$1,000.00 be raised and appropriated to connect the two dead ends of water pipe on Grove Street.

Article 54. To see what action the Town will take in regard to rebuilding Union Street from Crawford Square to the Randolph-Holbrook Town line in conjunction with the County and State, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

A motion to rebuild this street was defeated. 88 affirmative to 104 negative.

Article 55. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a 12 ton road roller for the Highway Department, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by the Highway Surveyor.

VOTED 187 affirmative to 25 negative.

VOTED that the sum of \$5,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of purchasing a 12-ton road roller for the highway department, and that the sum of twelve hundred dollars be raised in the tax levy of the current year, and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$3,800.00 and to issue a note or notes therefor in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, and amendment thereto, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than five years from the

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date of the issue of the first note or at such earlier date as the Treasurer and Selectmen may determine.

VOTED that a committee of three, consisting of James Lynch, R. E. O'Brien and Herman W. French be appointed to purchase the road roller.

Article 56. To see what action the Town will take relative to making repairs to Chestnut Street, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 therefor, as petitioned for by William J. Carroll and others.

A Motion to raise \$1,000.00 under this article was defeated.

Article 57. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 for the purpose of making repairs to Canton Street, as petitioned for by Percy Cordingly and others.

The report of the Committee was accepted and adopted and it was Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 for the purpose of making repairs to Canton Street.

Article 58. To see if the Town will vote to make repairs to Canton Street and raise and appropriate \$3,000.00 therefor, as petitioned for by William Sargent and others.

VOTED that the sum of \$1,500.00 be raised and appropriated to make repairs to Canton Street.

Article 59. To see what action the Town will take relative to rebuilding Lafayette Street, commencing at West Street, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by Hiram S. Faunce and others.

VOTED that the sum of \$1,000.00 be raised and appropriated for rebuilding Lafayette Street, starting at West Street, under the direction of the Highway Surveyor.

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Article 60. To see if the Town will vote to repair or rebuild Howard Street, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Joseph Shepard, John A. Hoye and others.

VOTED that the sum of \$2,000.00 be raised and appropriated for repairs to and drainage of Howard Street, the work to be conducted under the direction of the Highway Surveyor.

Article 61. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,500.00 to complete the permanent construction on Center Street as petitioned for by Thomas Bates, Leon E. Clifford and others.

VOTED that action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 62. To see if the Town will vote to make repairs on Mill Street and raise and appropriate \$2,000.00 therefor, as petitioned for by Michael F. Brady, James Burke and others.

VOTED that the sum of \$2,000.00 be raised and appropriated for repairs to Mill Street, under the direction of the Highway Surveyor.

Article 63. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate \$3,000.00 to complete the permanent construction of South Street, as petitioned for by Joseph J. McMahon and others.

Under Article 63 a motion to raise and appropriate \$3,000.00 was defeated.

Article 64. To see if the Town will vote to repair the roads and sidewalks on Grove and Cross Streets and on Wales Avenue, and raise and appropriate \$4,000.00 for

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the same, as petitioned for by Charles F. Patten, C. Fred Lyons and others.

VOTED that the sum of \$1,000.00 be raised and appropriated to repair the roads and sidewalks on Grove and Cross Streets and on Wales Avenue.

Article 65. To see what action the Town will take in regard to applying tarvia to Grove Street from North Main Street to Cross Street and raise and appropriate money for the same as petitioned for by Millie E. Randall and others.

VOTED that the recommendation of the Committee, that no special appropriation be made under this article, but that tarvia be applied to Grove Street as petitioned for under the direction of the Highway Surveyor the expense of the same to be defrayed from the general highway appropriation, be accepted and adopted.

Article 66. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen, at their discretion, to put advertisements in the Annual Town Report for 1926 with a view to reducing or eliminating the cost of printing said Report.

VOTED that no action be taken under this article.

Article 67. To see if the Town will instruct the Board of Health to placard all houses containing officially reported cases of contagious disease, with a view of warning the public away from such houses.

VOTED that the Board of Health be instructed to placard all cases of mumps, measles, chicken pox and whooping cough officially reported.

Article 68. To see if the Town will adopt a by-law providing for the appointment of a Finance Committee to control the Reserve Fund, as per Section 16, Chapter

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39, General Laws, and appoint such Committee thereunder.

It was Voted that all action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 69. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a 5-ton caterpillar tractor with plow for snow removal and raise and appropriate money therefor.

VOTED that no action towards purchasing a 5-ton tractor be taken, but recommended that the matter of contracting for the hiring of a tractor be considered.

Article 27 was then taken up.

Under this article a motion to appropriate \$1,400.00 for collection of garbage, rubbish and ashes was defeated.

Article 29 was then taken up.

VOTED that this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 2 was then taken up.

Under this Article the Moderator declared it Voted that the report of the Town Officers be accepted.

VOTED that the meeting refer back to Article 3, and that there be appropriated \$125.00 for the salary of the Moderator and that the salaries of the Water Commissioners be \$125.00 each, to be taken from the general water appropriation.

VOTED that this meeting now dissolve.

Meeting dissolved at 11.50 o'clock P. M.

A True Record:

Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

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WARRANT FOR STATE PRIMARY

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph.

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in

STETSON HALL on

Tuesday, the Fourteenth day of September, 1926, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following officers:

Governor	For this Commonwealth
Lieutenant-Governor	For this Commonwealth
Secretary of the Commonwealth	For this Commonwealth
Treasurer and Receiver-General	For this Commonwealth
Auditor of the Commonwealth	For this Commonwealth
Attorney-General	For this Commonwealth
Senator in Congress (to fill vacancy)	For this Commonwealth
Representative in Congress	For 14th Congressional District
Councillor	For 2nd Councillor District
Senator	For Norfolk Senatorial District
One Representative in General Court	For 9th Representative District

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County Commissioner (1)	For Norfolk County
Associate Commissioners (2)	For Norfolk County
District Attorney	For Plymouth and Norfolk District
Sheriff	For Norfolk County

And for the ELECTION of the following officers:

District Member of State Committee for each Political
Party for the Norfolk Senatorial District

15 Members of the Republican Town Committee

5 Members of the Democratic Town Committee

3 Delegates to State Conventions of the Republican
Party

10 Delegates to State Conventions of the Democratic
Party

All the above candidates and officers are to be voted for
upon one ballot.

The polls will be open from Two o'clock to Nine o'clock
P. M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting
attested copies thereof at five or more public places in
said Town seven days at least before the time of said
meeting as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with
your doings thereon at the time and place of said meet-
ing.

Given under our hands this Sixteenth day of August,
A. D. 1926.

RICHARD F. FORREST,
ERSKINE H. COX,
JAMES H. HURLEY,

Selectmen of Randolph.

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A true copy. Attest:

PATRICK T. McDONNELL,
Constable.

Aug. 19, 1926.

Norfolk, ss.

Randolph, September 13, 1926.

Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants herein described to meet at the time and place and for the purpose mentioned by posting up attested copies of the warrant, at fifteen public places within the said town seven days before the day and the hour for holding the said meeting.

PATRICK T. McDONNELL,
Constable.

STATE PRIMARY ELECTION—1926

Randolph, September 14, 1926.

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant the voters of Randolph met at Stetson Hall this fourteenth day of September, 1926, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Warrant and Return were read by Richard F. Forrest, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, and the following business transacted.

The polls were declared open at 2 o'clock P. M. and were kept open until nine o'clock P. M.

The following persons served as election officers: Gate Officers, John R. Luddington, John E. Rudderham; Ballot Clerk, E. Lawrence Payne; Checkers, Herman W.

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French, Helen T. Sullivan, Julia Dolan, Una Belcher; Ballot box, John Duff; Tellers: Daniel P. Lyons, Alice V. Reilly, Joseph McMahon, Edmund K. Belcher, Harry Damon, Gertrude A. Meaney, Alice B. Burchell, Fannie Knight; Tabulator, Olga Howard. The election officers were duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

The ballot box was opened at 5.15 o'clock P. M when the box registered 183; again opened at 6.45 o'clock P. M. when the box registered 307; again opened at 7.45 o'clock P. M. when the box registered 478, and again at the close of the polls when the box registered 707—in-correct.

The number of ballots cast were

Republican	186
Democratic	514
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Total	700

The ballots were sorted and counted with the following results:

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES

Governor

Alvan T. Fuller,	R	One hundred sixty-one	161
Blanks,		Twenty-five	25

Lieutenant Governor

Frank G. Allen	R	One hundred fifty-nine	159
Blanks,		Twenty-seven	27

Secretary

Frederic W. Cook,		One hundred forty-six	146
Blanks,		Forty	40

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Treasurer and Receiver General

William S. Youngman,	One hundred thirty-five	135
Blanks,	Fifty-one	51

Auditor of the Commonwealth

Alonzo B. Cook,	One hundred twenty-four	124
Blanks,	Sixty-two	62

Attorney General

Elijah Adlew,	Thirty-one	31
Alexander Lincoln,	Fifty-eight	58
Arthur K. Reading,	Sixty-nine	69
Blanks,	Twenty-eight	28

Senator in Congress (to fill vacancy)

William M. Butler,	One hundred forty-two	142
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Congressman

Louis A. Frothingham,	One hundred thirty-seven	137
J. Wilfred Richard,	Twenty-four	24
Blanks,	Twenty-five	25

Councillor

Chester I. Campbell,	Forty-two	42
Washington Cook,	Twenty-six	26
William W. Ollendorff,	Seventy-six	76
Peter L. Rowell,	Eight	8
Blanks,	Thirty-four	34

Senator

Henry L. Kincaide,	Seventy-six	76
Andrew H. Morrison,	Thirty-two	32
Everett R. Prout,	Fifty-six	56
Blanks,	Twenty-two	22

Representative in General Court

Joseph Belcher,	One hundred fifty-two	152
Blanks,	Thirty-four	34

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

County Commissioner

Frederick A. Leavitt,	One hundred forty-two	142
Blanks,	Forty-four	44

Associate Commissioners

Walter E. Piper,	One hundred twenty-two	122
Blanks,	Two hundred fifty	250

District Attorney

Winfield M. Wilbar,	One hundred forty-seven	147
Blanks,	Thirt-nine	39

Sheriff

Samuel H. Capen,	One hundred fifty-two	152
Blanks,	Thirty-four	34

District Member of State Committee

Walter F. Stephens,	One hundred twenty-six	126
Blanks,	Sixty	60

Delegates to State Convention

Walter F. Stephens,	One hundred fifty-two	152
Arthur L. Mann,	One hundred forty-seven	147
Joseph Belcher,	One hundred forty-nine	149
Blanks,	One hundred ten	110

Town Committee

Nathaniel F. Randall,	One hundred thirty-four	134
Arthur L. Mann,	One hundred thirty-two	132
Walter F. Stephens,	One hundred forty-seven	147
Herman H. Smith,	One hundred twenty-nine	129
William S. Condon,	One hundred twenty-six	126
Frederick J. Driscoll,	One hundred thirty-three	133
S. William Swain,	One hundred twenty-nine	129
Benjamin P. Crowell,	One hundred twenty-seven	127
Arthur C. Hayden,	One hundred eighteen	118
James G. Durkee,	One hundred twenty-three	123

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Leon E. Clifford,	One hundred eighteen	118
Roger T. Perkins,	One hundred eighteen	118
Henry J. Mann,	One hundred twenty-seven	127
Harold W. Macauley,	One hundred thirty-seven	137
L. Ada Reynolds,	One hundred twenty-three	123
Blanks,	Eight hundred sixty-nine	869

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES

Governor

William A. Gaston,	Three hundred six	306
Blanks,	Two hundred eight	208

Lieutenant Governor

Harry J. Dooley	Two Hundred and Six	206
Joseph B. Ely	One Hundred and Four	104
Blanks	Two Hundred and Four	204

Secretary

Frank W. Cavanaugh	Two Hundred and Eighty-five	285
Blanks	Two Hundred and Twenty-nine	229

Treasurer

Daniel England	Two Hundred and Forty-five	245
Blanks	Two Hundred and Sixty-nine	269

Auditor

Strabe V. Claggett	Two Hundred and Twenty-three	223
Blanks	Two Hundred and Ninety-one	291

Attorney General

John E. Swift	One Hundred and Fifty-Six	156
Harold Williams, Jr.	One Hundred and Twenty-two	122
Blanks	Two Hundred and Thirty-six	236

Senator in Congress

David I. Walsh	Four Hundred and Ten	410
Blanks	One Hundred and Four	104

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Congressman

Joseph LaFontaine	Fifty-three	53
Frank A. Manning	Three Hundred and Thirty	330
Blanks	One Hundred and Thirty-one	131

Councillor

Augustus W. Perry	One Hundred and Sixty-one	161
Othe L. Schofield	Sixty-seven	67
Blanks	Two Hundred and Eighty-six	286

Senator

John J. Gallagher	Five	5
Blanks	Five Hundred and Nine	509

Representative in General Court

James H. Hurley	Three Hundred and Forty-four	344
Bennett V. McLaughlin	One Hundred and Forty-six	146
Blanks	Twenty-four	24

County Commissioner

David J. Toomey	Nineteen	19
Blanks	Four Hundred and ninety-three	493

Associate Commissioners

Blanks	Ten Hundred and Twenty-eight	1028
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District Attorney

Blanks	Five Hundred and Fourteen	514
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Sheriff

Samuel H. Capen	One Hundred and Eighty-nine	189
Blanks	Three Hundred and Twenty-five	325

State Committee

Blanks	Five Hundred and Fourteen	514
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Delegates to State Convention

James E. Foley	Three Hundred and Four	304
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William F. Cunningham	Two Hundred and Eighty-five	285
Alice G. Kelley	Two Hundred and Fifty-three	253
Helen T. Sullivan	Two Hundred and Fifty-three	253
Edward T. Hand	Two Hundred and Fifty-two	252
Daniel G. Donovan	Two Hundred and Seventy-nine	279
Helen M. Haney	Two Hundred and Seventy-nine	279
David J. Good, Jr.	Two Hundred and Sixty-seven	267
James H. Hurley	Three Hundred and Fifty	350
Henry V. Morgan	Three Hundred and Twenty-seven	327
Blanks	Twenty-two Hundred and Ninety-one	2291

Town Committee

James E. Foley	Two Hundred and Fifty-two	252
Edward T. Hand	Two Hundred and Twenty-two	222
William F. Cunningham	Two Hundred and Forty-six	246
David J. Good, Jr.	Two Hundred and Forty	240
Daniel G. Donovan	Two Hundred and Sixty-three	263
Blanks	Thirty-nine Hundred and Seventeen	3917

Declaration of the vote was made at 12.30 o'clock A. M., and the ballots, check lists and tally sheets were sealed in open meeting and adjournment was made at 12.45 o'clock A. M.

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Office of
BOARD OF SELECTMEN, OVERSEERS OF POOR,
BOARD OF HEALTH

Randolph, Mass., Sept. 27, 1926.

Mr. Joseph T. Leahy,
Randolph, Mass.

Dear Sir:—

Whereas Town Clerk and Town Treasurer John B. McNeill has been stricken with serious illness and is unable for the time being to perform his official duties, now therefore we, the Selectmen of the Town of Randolph or a majority thereof, in regular session convened, acting under authority of Sections 14 and 40 of Chapter 41, General Laws, hereby appoint you, Joseph T. Leahy, temporary Treasurer and Town Clerk of the Town of Randolph, to serve as such until the resumption of his duties by said John B. McNeill or until his successor qualifies for office.

Given under our hands this twenty-seventh day of September, 1926.

RICHARD F. FORREST,
ERSKINE H. COX,
JAMES H. HURLEY,

Selectmen, Town of Randolph.

Randolph, Mass.,
Sept. 27, 1926.

Personally appeared Joseph T. Leahy and took the oath of office prescribed by law

Before me

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Justice of the Peace.

My commission expires 1930.

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Sept. 27, 1926

Received and entered on Town Records.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Town Clerk Pro Tem.

Randolph, Mass., Oct. 15, 1926.

Joseph T. Leahy,
Randolph, Mass.
Dear Sir:—

You are hereby appointed Assistant Town Clerk in accordance with the provisions of law.

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Norfolk, ss. Randolph, Oct. 15, 1926.

Personally appeared the above named Joseph T. Leahy and took oath prescribed by law.

Before me
JOHN B. McNEILL,
Justice of the Peace.

Oct. 15, 1926.

Received and entered on Town Records.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Asst. Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR STATE ELECTION 1926
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Elections to meet in

STETSON HALL on

Tuesday, the Second day of November,

1926, at 5.45 O'clock A. M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Election Officers for the Election of Candidates for the following offices:

Governor	for this Commonwealth
Lieutenant-Governor	for this Commonwealth
Secretary of the Commonwealth	for this Commonwealth
Treasurer and Receiver-General	for this Commonwealth
Auditor of the Commonwealth	for this Commonwealth
Attorney-General	for this Commonwealth
Senator in Congress (to fill vacancy)	
	for this Commonwealth
Representative in Congress	
	for 14th Congressional District
Councillor	for 2nd Councillor District
Senator	for Norfolk Senatorial District
One Representative in General Court	
	for 9th Representative District
County Commissioner (1)	for Norfolk County
Associate Commissioners (2)	for Norfolk County
District Attorney	for Plymouth and Norfolk District
Sheriff	for Norfolk County

And to Vote on the following Referendum Questions:

Question No. 1. Shall an amendment to the Constitution which authorizes the General Court to establish in

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any corporate town containing more than six thousand inhabitants a form of town government providing for town meetings limited to such inhabitants of the town as may be elected for the purpose, which received in a joint session of the two Houses held May 29, 1924, 189 votes in the affirmative and 40 votes in the negative, and at a joint session of the two Houses held March 18, 1925, received 262 votes in the affirmative and 4 in the negative, be approved?

Question No. 2. Shall a law which amends existing law by striking out the provisions that veterans who pass Civil Service examinations shall be placed upon the eligible lists above all other applicants, that disabled veterans shall be placed ahead of all other veterans, and that disabled veterans shall be appointed and employed in preference to all other persons; and by providing in place thereof, that five points shall be added to the mark of veterans who pass such examinations, and ten points to the mark of disabled veterans, which law was disapproved in the Senate by a vote of 0 in the affirmative and 34 in the negative, and in the House of Representatives by a vote of 11 in the affirmative and 181 in the negative, be approved?

All the above Candidates and Referendum Questions are to be voted for upon one ballot.

The polls will be open from 5.45 o'clock A. M. to 2.00 o'clock P. M. and may be kept open longer if so ordered by the voters then present.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said town seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this Twenty-first day of October, A. D. 1926.

RICHARD F. FORREST,
ERSKINE H. COX,
JAMES H. HURLEY,

Selectmen of Randolph.

Randolph, Mass., Nov. 1, 1926.

Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of Randolph herein described to meet at the time and place and for the purpose within mentioned by posting attested copies of this warrant at eighteen public places in said town nine days before the time set for holding said meeting.

(Signed) PATRICK T. McDONNELL,
Constable.

STATE ELECTION 1926

Randolph, Mass., Nov. 2, 1926.

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the Voters of Randolph assembled at Stetson Hall on Tuesday, the second day of November, 1926.

All the preliminaries being complied with, the warrant and return were read by Richard F. Forrest, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen. The following named persons appointed by the Selectmen served as Election Officers being sworn by the Assistant Town Clerk:—John R. Luddington, John A. Hoye, Officers at Gates; George F.

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Sawyer, Ballot Officer; Herman W. French, Helen T. Sullivan, Checkers at Gate; Julia F. Dolan, Una C. Belcher, Checkers at Stage; John B. Duff, Ballot box officer; Richard F. Condon, Gertrude A. Meaney, William A. Noyes, Edmund K. Belcher, Joseph J. McMahon, Mae A. Donahoe, Alice B. Burchell, Daniel P. Lyons, Elizabeth R. Cunningham, Hannah M. Foster, Bertha E. Soule, Fannie E. Knight, Tellers; Olga C. Howard, Mary A. Leahy, Tabulators.

The polls were open for the reception of ballots at 5.45 A. M. At 2.00 o'clock P. M. it was voted to keep the polls open until 4 o'clock P. M.

Ballots were removed from the Ballot Box, for counting at

9.05 A. M.	Ballot Box Register indicating	730 Votes cast
1.00 P. M.	Ballot Box Register indicating	1539 Votes cast
3.27 P. M.	Ballot Box Register indicating	1857 Votes cast
4.00 P. M.	Ballot Box Register indicating	1878 Votes cast
4.10 P. M.	after casting 11 absent voters' ballots	1889 Votes cast

The ballot box registered incorrectly the check list at the gate showing 1886 ballots given out and the check list at the stage showing 1885 ballots cast. The Election tellers counted 1885 ballots taken from the ballot box and a ballot was afterward found in one of the booths where it had evidently been left by a voter and since it had not been deposited in the ballot box it was marked "Defective" and was not counted.

At 7.30 P. M. declaration of the result was made as follows:

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Governor

Alvan T. Fuller	R	Nine Hundred Sixty-one	961
William A. Gaston	D	Eight Hundred Fifty-nine	859
Walter S. Hutchins	SP	Six	6
Samuel Leger	SLP	One	1
Lewis Marks	WP	Six	6
Blanks		Fifty-two	52

Lieutenant Governor

Frank G. Allen	R	Eight Hundred Seventy-three	873
Daniel T. Blessington	SLP	Six	6
Albert Oddie	WP	Eleven	11
Dennis F. Reagan	SP	Sixteen	16
Edmond P. Talbot	D	Eight Hundred Forty	840
Blanks		One Hundred Thirty-nine	139

Secretary

Harry J. Canter	WP	Sixty	60
Frank W. Cavanaugh	D	Eight Hundred Seventy-five	875
Frederic W. Cook	R	Seven Hundred Forty-two	742
Stephen S. Surridge	SLP	Nine	9
Edith S. Williams	SP	Seventeen	17
Blanks		One Hundred Eighty-two	182

Treasurer

Albert Sprague Coolidge	SP	Thirty-four	34
Winfield A. Dwyer	WP	Thirty-one	31
Daniel England	D	Eight Hundred Thirty-one	831
Henry Hess	SLP	Nine	9
William S. Youngman	R	Seven Hundred Fifty-three	753
Blanks		Two Hundred Twenty-Seven	227

Auditor

Leon Arkin	SP	Nineteen	19
Strabo V. Claggett	D	Eight Hundred Eighty-four	884
Alonzo B. Cook	R	Seven Hundred Nine	709
Emma P. Hutchins	WP	Twenty-two	22
John R. MacKinnon	SLP	Twelve	12
Blanks		Two Hundred Thirty-nine	239

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Attorney General

Isadore Harris	SLP	Fifteen	15
Max Lerner	WP	Twenty-one	21
Arthur K. Reading	R	Seven Hundred Fifty-nine	759
John Weaver Sherman	SP	Fourteen	14
John S. Swift	D	Eight Hundred Seventy-one	871
Blanks		Two Hundred Five	205

Senator in Congress (to fill vacancy)

John R. Ballam	WP	Eight	8
William M. Butler	R	Six Hundred Thirty-seven.	637
Washington Cook	MVA	Nine	9
Alfred Baker Lewis	SP	Seven	7
David I. Walsh	D	Eleven Hundred Seventy-six	1176
Blanks		Forty-eight	48

Congressman—Fourteenth District

Louis A. Frothingham	R	Eight Hundred Forty-seven	847
Frank A. Manning	D	Nine Hundred Eighteen	918
Blanks		One Hundred Twenty	120

Councillor—Second District

Chester I. Campbell	R	Seven Hundred Seventy-two	772
Augustus W. Perry	D	Eight Hundred Thirty-six	836
Blanks		Two Hundred Seventy-seven	277

Senator—Norfolk District

John J. Gallagher	D	Nine Hundred Forty-two	942
Henry L. Kincaide	R	Seven Hundred Fifty-five	755
Blanks		One Hundred Eigthy-eight	188

Representative in General Court—

Ninth Norfolk District

Joseph Belcher	R	Eight Hundred Forty-six	846
Timothy J. Clifford	I	Twenty-nine	29

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Bennett V. McLaughlin	D	Nine Hundred Seventy-five	975
Blanks		Thirty-five	35

County Commissioner—Norfolk County

Frederick A. Leavitt	R	Ten Hundred Twenty-three	1023
Augustus L. Chase		One	1
Blanks		Eight Hundred Sixty-one	861

Associate Commissioner—Norfolk County

Walter E. Piper	R	Nine Hundred Twenty-five	925
Asa P. French		One	1
Orrin E. Reynolds		One	1
Arthur L. Mann		One	1
Herman W. French		One	1
Blanks			2841

District Attorney—Southeastern District

Winfield M. Wilbar	R	Ten Hundred Five	1005
William J. Good		One	1
Blanks		Eight Hundred Seventy-nine	879

Sheriff—Norfolk County

Samuel H. Capen	DR	Eleven Hundred Eighty-one	1181
Timothy J. Clifford		One	1
Blanks		Seven Hundred Three	703

Referendum Question No. 1

Yes		Five Hundred Forty	540
No		Three Hundred Fifty-Five	355
Blanks		Nine Hundred Ninety	990

Referendum Question No. 2

Yes		Five Hundred Fifty-two	552
No		Five Hundred Fifty-five	555
Blanks		Seven Hundred Seventy-eight	778

The ballots and lists and tally sheets were sealed up in open meeting. Returns were filled out and signed by the Election Officers and at 9 o'clock P. M. the meeting was dissolved.

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A True Record:

Attest:

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Asst. Town Clerk.

MEETING OF TOWN CLERKS

Randolph, November 12, 1926.

We, the undersigned Town Clerks of Avon, Holbrook and Randolph, comprising Representative District No. 9, in the County of Norfolk, hereby certify that at an election duly held at the respective towns aforesaid on the second day of November, 1926, to vote for one Representative in General Court, the following votes were given:

	Avon	Holbrook	Randolph	Total
Joseph Belcher of Randolph	343	621	846	1,810
Timothy J. Clifford of Randolph	5	4	29	38
Bennett V. McLaughlin of Holbrook	345	532	975	1,852
Blanks	31	18	35	84
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Total	724	1,175	1,885	3,784

JOHN J. COLLINS,
Town Clerk of Avon.

BENNETT V. McLAUGHLIN,
Town Clerk of Holbrook.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Asst. Town Clerk of Randolph.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN RANDOLPH IN 1926

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Names of Parents
Jan.	3 Frederick William Marshall, Jr.....	M	Frederick William, Rose Anna—Gately
	10 Robert Edward Nason	M	Perley C., A. Elizabeth—Larsen
	18 Evelyn Irene Tower	F	Arthur M., Mabel W.—Wheelock
	18 Priscilla Isabel Yates	F	Robert A., Annie M.—Murphy
	24 Barbara Dench	F	Joseph J. Jr., Catherine—Dwyer
	27 Eleanor Josephine McNeill.....	F	John Bernard, Jane Josephine—Campagna
	28 Albert Lawrence Willis	M	Sherman Beatty, Victoria May—Carmichael
Feb.	9 John J. Dupras	M	John J., Nellie M.—Taylor
	11 Adele Hoffman Myrick	F	Howard F., Della G.—Hoffman
	12 John Adams	M	Robert E., Georgina M.—Guidice
	14 Virginia Bertha Mulcahay	F	Edward C., Alma—Young
	15 John Joseph Corcoran	M	George H., Ellen M.—Sullivan
	17 Donald Parker Fletcher	M	Frank, Lena M. E.—Cousineau
	18 Barbara Jane Rudderham	F	John H., Marion F.—McNulty
	19 William Robertson McLeer.....	M	William Goeres, Mildred Evelyn—Robertson
	25 Paul Edward Doyle	M	Wilfred P., Annie G.—McCue
	26 Vincent Maroney	M	Thomas J., Helen—Milligen
Mar.	1 Vito Damiano	M	Dominick, Mary—Damiano
	1 Kathryn Mary Kelleher	F	James J., Blanche M.—Toole
	4 Charles William Durling	M	Charles M., Mary E.—Hargreaves
	5 Etta Magdalen Beniamino.....	F	Joseph, Carmela—Cinquegrano
	6 George Albert Komich	M	George S., Alberta May—Morrow
	7 Elizabeth Abigail Wheeler.....	F	William Henry Harrison, Bertha Marion—Thayer
	9 Mirrian Jean Conrad.....	F	Arthur E., Ruth E.—Drysdale
	17 Alice McSolla	F	Thomas F., Margaret E.—Foley
	19 Catherine May Adams	F	Frank A., Margaret—Truelson
	20 John Cotone, Jr.	M	John, Eva—Foti
	21 Carmino Giuseppe DiPasqua	M	Ignazio, Maria—Minuteli
	27 Dorothy Mae McDonald.....	F	Joseph Edward, Alice M.—Pendleton
28	Robert Lincoln Richter.....	M	Herman William, Winnifred—Boothby

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BIRTHS REGISTERED IN RANDOLPH IN 1926

Date 1926	Name of Child	Sex	Names of Parents
30	Sidlanskas	F	James, Sofo—Lakis
Apr. 6	Arthur Hyllan	M	Ernest H., Gladys—Champion
7	Lillian Audrey Holmes	F	Chester L., Lillian J.—DeShon
9	Wilbur Merrill Call	M	Ray Clifton, Virginia Osborn—Wheeler
11	Frank Richardson Moody	M	Sumner Graves, Muriel—Bailey
25	Norman Robert Burns	M	Norman H., Helen L.—McEntee
5	Margarette Catherine Beck	F	William A., Margaret T.—Diffley
May 11	John Daniel Stevenson	M	John, Rosebud A.—Kiline
14	Vincent Hand	M	Frank L., Mary A.—O'Keefe
15	Josephine Annie Pepper	F	Alfred L., Mary A.—Grover
15	Anna Theresa Carroll	F	Thomas F., Marguerite M.—Ashe
22	Barbara Swallow	F	Ralph Raymond, Marion Helena—Hinckley
25	Marie Therese McLucas	F	James Joseph, Mary Elizabeth—Scully
25	Hubert Frank Westcott	M	George A., Carrie—Farrington
26	William David Jope	M	Fred W., Evelyn Rose—MacCartney
June 3	Arthur Philip Kendall	M	Arthur Philip, Gertrude Ruth—Gaffey
8	Therese Kiley	F	George Henry, Agnes Gleeson—Kelley
8	Mildred Tena Tasker	F	Russell Floyd, Mary Rita—McLean
8	Evelyn Lelia Lyman	F	Edward C., Evelyn E.—Lang
13	Frederick Henry Lightfoot	M	Henry Joseph, Mildred May—Fisher
18	William Brady	M	Michael H., Katherine L.—Kline
20	Arthur Roberts	M	Joseph, Mary—Landry
20	Jean Veronica Carmody	F	Richard Leo, Gladys—Brewer
26	Herbert Ernest Mann, Jr.	M	Herbert Ernest, Beatrice—Hager
30	John Ramie Doyle	M	William G., Julia—Gallant
6	Charles Dwight Wilson	M	David L., Lucy E.—Hamblit
8	John McSweeney	M	Michael John, Anna Frances—Sutton
17	Leo Henry Connors, Jr.	M	Leo H., Madeline M.—(Hird)
18	Jean Louise Hearn	F	Walter, Harriet C.—Swift
18	— Hearn	F }	Twins

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN RANDOLPH IN 1926

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Names of Parents
1926			
22	Glenda Irene Scott	F	Wallace James, Elizabeth—Smith
24	Louis Edward Messere	M	Joseph, Edith E.—Curry
26	Elizabeth Bump	F	Carroll A., Alice G.—Meara
30	John Good	M	John K., Susan F.—Dempsey
Aug. 2	—Gelzinis	F	Rokas, Katherine—Rantaluta
6	Arnold Nelson Finch	M	Francis W., Ellen F.—Kelley
8	Thodore Alcide Archambeault	M	Alcide, Mable M.—Coolidge
11	Paul Richard Kelly	M	Timothy J., Mary E.—Kenney
24	—Dempsey	F	John, Eva—Binet
24	Marshall Medcalf Knight	M	Harry B., Lena M.—Bennett
25	—Blunck	M	Gustav, Nellie—Coughlin
26	John Vogel	M	Carl Norman, Mary—Connolly
26	Beatrice Eileen Boutilier	F	Aubrey C., Ella H.—Harlow
27	Virginia Mae Taylor	F	Clay M., Catherine—Astbury
27		F	
28	Beatrice Mary Kral	F	George Robert, Marion—Dodd
29	Jean Donovan	F	James V., Helen E.—Kelleher
29	Stillborn	F	
Sept. 3	Ruth Louise Flood	F	Robert Ingersoll, Louise—Jaquith
4	Robert Howard Gove	M	Carl Stanley, Katherine Josephine—Woods
6	Geraldine A. McCormick	F	William Homer, Adrina Carlstrom
6	Harry Sargent	M	Harry, Edna—Schleiger
6	Mary Catherine Hurley	F	William L., Joanna E.—Mulcahey
6	Edward Joseph Hurley	F	Twins
7	George Samuel Mayo, Jr.	M	George S., Cornelia V.—McCarthy
12	Alice Therese Johnson	F	Charles H., Lela T.—Phelps
21	—Mullen	M	Bernard Joseph, Helen Margaret—Griswold
27	Russell Smith	M	Allen, Maude—Jope
7	James Augustine Brennan	M	William J., Helen—Kent
7	Mildred Ruth Woodward	F	Walter W., Inez L.—Herstrom

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BIRTHS REGISTERED IN RANDOLPH IN 1926

Date 1926	Name of Child	Sex	Names of Parents
Nov.	11 Gloria Marie Hannon	F	Lewis J., Irene J.—Bateman
	17 Donald Allen Buzzell	M	Charles Moshier, Sybil Edith—Allen
	18 Albert Edward Briand	M	Edward J., Ethel A.—Fisher
	19 Robert Gerard Dolan	M	Edward J., Sarah H.—Nixon
	20 Elizabeth Gaffey	F	James E. Jr., Amelia—Santos
	22 Walter Reid Erwin	M	George Thomas, Jennette Merlinda—Hollis
	23 Edna Frances Diotte	F	James J., Edna F.—Christie
	8 Barbara Anne Conley	F	Edward J., Nellie T.—Lawlor
	9 Francis Harold Leate	M	John N., Frances—Potter
	15 Robert William Hoeg	M	Arthur E., Sarah E.—Carey
	15 Mary Patricia White	F	William J., Catherine G.—Scannell
Dec.	16 Louis Francis De Cota	M	Louis, Eva—Savard
	16 Carolyn Elizabeth Bowley	F	Charles L., Jennie M.—Freeman
	23 John Robert Iverson	M	George G., Hazel D. McCormick
	23 Ellis Weston Wilbur	M	Ellis M., Gladys—Foye
	29 Robert Lester Dockendorff	M	Solomon J., Rose E.—Jennings
	2 Mary Theresa Carroll	F	Raymond E., Mary E.—Hofmann
	6 Ruth Elizabeth Andersen	F	Larz B., Ellen M.—Swanson
	13 ——— Beers	F	Edgar F., Ruth—Mayo
	14 William Hawkins, Jr.	M	William, Bertha E.—Teed
	14 Donald Warren Feener	M	Milledge W., Grace M.—Hammond
	26 Robert Hart	M	Stephen J., Frances L.—Hurley
	29 ——— Gaynor	M	James F., Mary L.—McInerney

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MARRIAGES

Date of Marriage 1926		Name	Residence
Jan.	30	Robert I. Flood.....	Brockton
	30	Louise Jaquith	Randolph
	30	Hugh W. McClellan	Boston
	30	Elizabeth C. Luddington.....	Boston
Feb.	16	Harold Laffin White.....	Randolph
	16	Margaret Mary White.....	Randolph
Mar.	30	John Cotone	Randolph
	30	Eva Foti (Capobianco).....	Randolph
Apr.	4	James Henry Dee.....	Braintree
	4	Mabel Emmeline Mann.....	Randolph
	12	Albert Leonard Bolin.....	Randolph
	12	Margaret McCabe	Stoughton
	17	John Gustaf Cederholm.....	Randolph
	17	Mildred Adams Goody.....	Randolph
	26	Lloyd Manzer	Randolph
	26	Winnifred Carley (Hess).....	Randolph
	28	John Charles Martin	Quincy
	28	Blanche Louise Farrell.....	Randolph
May	3	James Soveless Coe.....	Canton
	3	Jennie Mortimer Cowan.....	Canton
	15	John Joseph Lane.....	Boston
	15	Rosalie Margaret Tedesco (McCormack)....	Randolph
	22	John F. Gaynor.....	Randolph
	22	Loretta M. McAnarney.....	Braintree
June	1	Lincoln Francis Pond	Auburn
	1	Doris Mabel Hanson	Auburn

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Date of Marriage		Name	Residence
1926			
	1	Bernard Ashton Powers	Randolph
	1	Louise Arseno	Randolph
	1	Park E. Richards.....	Quincy
	1	Margaret McCarthy	Randolph
	2	Edward Joseph Briand.....	North Cambridge
	2	Ethel Alberta Fisher.....	Randolph
	19	Cecil Elden Stiles.....	Providence, R. I.
	19	Hazel Knox MacKay	Providence, R. I.
	19	Louis Edward DeCota.....	Randolph
	19	Eva Savard	Avon
	25	Raymond L. Mason.....	Randolph
	25	Dorothy Harris	Randolph
	26	Crawford Edward Fortescue.....	Wellesley Farms
	26	Juliette Blanche de Lorey.....	Randolph
	29	Herbert B. Langer.....	Thompson, Conn.
	29	Ethel I. Bell.....	Randolph
	29	William Francis Swift, Jr.....	Bourne
	29	Lovell Wade Storment.....	Bourne
July	17	Carl J. Jorgensen.....	Randolph
	17	Annie B. Brown.....	Randolph
	17	James E. Gaffey, Jr.....	Randolph
	17	Amelia F. Santos.....	Arlington
	18	Abbott W. Higgins.....	Brockton
	18	Helen Louise Harris.....	Brockton
	19	Frank T. Baker.....	Fall River
	19	Margaret M. Altham.....	Fall River
	31	Thomas B. Ross.....	Randolph
	31	Greta Jorczik.....	New York, N. Y.

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Date of Marriage 1926	Name	Residence
Aug. 7	Frederic Morton Harris, Jr.....	Randolph
7	Edna Mabel Gladwin.....	Brockton
7	James Henry Kiley.....	Randolph
7	Anne Loretto Desmond	Randolph
14	Harry Stephen Forman Coates.....	South Braintree
14	Gladys Hattie Stoddart.....	Randolph
23	Kenneth H. Dockham.....	Woburn
23	Minnie Fulton Mason	Woburn
31	Theodore Small Curtis.....	Lee, Maine
31	Augusta Tolman	Randolph
Sept. 1	Arthur Joseph Brennan.....	Randolph
1	Anna Elizabeth Corey.....	Randolph
2	Arthur L. Harmon.....	Randolph
2	Lillie P. Stone.....	Ch. Hill Reservoir
11	Wesley DeCoste	Braintree
11	Helen Frances Slaterry	Randolph
11	William Russell Leavitt.....	Randolph
11	Gladys Elvira Holbrook.....	Avon
18	Walter Franklin Lewis.....	Braintree
18	Ruth Viola Harris.....	Randolph
25	James Aloysius Walsh.....	Newton
25	Marjorie Clare Brennan	Randolph
27	Edgar Everett Rines.....	Randolph
27	Luella Maude Maynard (Hatton).....	Randolph
Oct. 2	Augustus Kane Forrest.....	Randolph
2	Marie Antony Tierney	Holbrook
6	Ralph D. Brown.....	Stoughton
6	Emily C. Pottier	Stoughton

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Date of Marriage 1926	Name	Residence
10	Lorin Thomas McLoud.....	Malden
10	Annie Elizabeth Bates	Randolph
20	John Joseph Rose.....	East Boston
20	Leona Mercedes Hogan.....	Randolph
21	Wallace P. Holland.....	Randolph
21	Marguerite H. Ayers	Randolph
23	Alonzo Day Childs.....	Randolph
23	Gladys Elizabeth Webster.....	Rockland
27	William C. Snow.....	Brockton
27	Bertha A. Baker (Makepeace).....	Randolph
30	Emil Walter Frederickson.....	Quincy
30	Phyllis Amelia Macy.....	Randolph
Nov. 6	Arthur Edgar Evans.....	Randolph
6	Mary E. Rolfe	South Boston
8	Ernest Miranda	Boston
8	Zafero Cokinos.....	Randolph
8	Weldon E. Ireland.....	Randolph
8	Lillian Marie Rohange.....	Newport, R. I.
25	Fred F. McAuliffe.....	Randolph
25	Anna L. Keane.....	Rockland
26	Harry Edgar Crowley.....	Malden
26	Rhoda May Brown.....	Randolph
29	John Chaplic	Brockton
29	Dorothy E. Simmons.....	Randolph
Dec. 26	Gordon Emeral Hurlburt	Randolph
26	Lillian Russell Keudell	North Randolph

DEATHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH 1926

Date	Name	Age		Cause of Death	Birthplace
		Y.	M. D.		
Nov. 22 1925	Ervin H. French.....	58		Cancer of Stomach	Randolph
Jan. 3 1926	Michael J. Daly	70	5	Heart Disease and Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph
	Francis E. O'Neil.....	26	16	Tuberculosis	Holbrook
11	Hans Hylan	78	—	Chronic Myocarditis	Sweden
14	Henrietta A. Wheeler	81	4	Lobar Pneumonia	England
16	Charles Elmore Young.....	64	9	Arterio Sclerosis	Avon
17	Mary E. Forrest.....	70	23	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph
Feb. 3 1926	Samual Monteforte	1	9	Broncho Pneumonia	Boston
	Edward H. Morgan	67	26	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph
	Helena Cutting	10	4	Acute and Chr. Pericarditis	Boston
	Patrick M. Kiley.....	81	8	Carcinoma (Liver)	Ireland
	Catharine McMahon	82	7	Arterio Sclerosis	Ireland
25	Mary Gillis	59	5	Arterio Sclerosis	Mass.
28	Rose M. Whealan	38	10	Lobar Pneumonia	Quebec
Mar. 5 1926	Thomas Hoyer	89	4	Hypostatic Pneumonia	Ireland
	Emma A. Osborn	77	4	Chronic Myocarditis	England
	Lulu E. Niles.....	56	17	Diabetes Mellitus	No. Abington
	William Corrigan	3	6	Unknown	Cambridge
	Feank Stinson	62		Chronic Myocarditis	Connecticut
15	Terrance Hagney	72		Chronic Myocarditis	Ireland
19	May Ross	67	2	Arterio Sclerosis	India
25	Mary E. Sutton.....	68	2	Pernicious Anemia	Milton
Apr. 2 1926	Martin Gavin	78	24	Arterio Sclerosis	Ireland
	Margaret E. Messier.....	47	9	Lobar Pneumonia	Germany
	Sarah E. Carroll.....	66	3	Broncho Pneumonia	Germany
	Johanna W. Kinnerman.....	86	2	Arterio Sclerosis	Avon
	Ella F. Holbrook	77	9	Influenza	Germany
	Emma L. Young	68	4	Carcinoma of Thigh	Randolph
16			2		Nova Scotia

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Date 1926	Name	Age		Cause of Death	Birthplace
		Y.	M. D.		
May	16 Henry Brock	45		Broncho Pneumonia	Germany
	17 Forrest E. Whalin	67	6	Tuberculosis of lungs	Randolph
	18 William Andrew Croak	88	10	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph
	19 Augusta Creutz	70	4	Chronic Interstitial Nephritis	Germany
	27 Jennie M. Stetson	64	11	Acute Uremic Poisoning	Dorchester
	30 Margaret Moore	81	11	Hypostatic Pneumonia	Longford, Ireland
	1 Edith S. M. Brown	24	—	Chronic Arthritis	Randolph
	8 Thomas Teece	67	11	Arterio Sclerosis	England
	11 Arthur L. Scott	64	6	Hyperthropic Cirrhosis of Liver	Winchester, N. H.
	21 Minnie W. Berry	69	3	Broncho Pneumonia	Milton
June	22 Arthur Hagney	77	5	Oedema of Brain	Tyrone, Ireland
	23 William H. Murphy	54	3	Carcinoma	Canton
	26 Wilhelmina L. Wagner	74	1	Meningitis	Germany
	29 Sarah C. Patten	60	1	Cancer of Breast	Randolph
	7 Elizabeth Fardy	72	8	Angina Pectoris	Randolph
	8 Mary Carolina Caswell	46	3	Cancer of Uterus	Herisan, Switzerland
	11 Thomas Curry	19	1	Sepsis and Surgical Shock	Randolph
	19 Mary M. Smith	80	7	Carcinoma (Liver)	New Brunswick
	22 Sarah J. Fahey	73	9	Carcinoma of Intestine	Randolph
	3 Abbie S. Thayer	70	11	Oedema of Brain	So. Braintree
July	3 Nellie F. Gibson	34	6	Cancer of Liver	No. Stoughton
	8 Esther Abrams	32		Carcinoma of Lung and Breast	Boston
	14 Grace E. Stetson	73	1	Arterio Sclerosis	Holbrook
	14 Axel Bruce	57	11	Carcinoma of Prostate Gland	Udderalla, Sweden
	18 Mary A. T. Isaac	80	11	Myocardial Degeneration	St. Johns, N. F.
	18 <u>Hearn</u>		1	Prematurity	Boston
	22 Edward Long	70	4	Oedema of Brain	Randolph
	22 Mary Woodard	87	7	Arterio Sclerosis	Hanover
	22 Thomas Maher	68	11	Broncho Pneumonia	Randolph

DEATHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH 1926

Date 1926	Name	Age		Cause of Death	Birthplace
		Y.	M. D.		
Aug.	29 Emily C. Berry	78	3 —	Chronic Cholecystitis	Boston
	3 Mary A. McGaughey	68	6 19	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph
	5 Mary Squire	78	11 22	Apoplexy	P. E. Island
	7 Belle W. Hooper	82	9 29		East Bridgewater
	13 John Hannon	3	1 20	Acute Appendicitis	South Braintree
	14 Moses F. Pellisier	68	5 17	Glioma	Charlestown
	20 Annie F. Halloran	77		Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph
	21 Jean Louise Hearn		1 3	Prematurity	Boston
	24 Ida V. Faunce	73	—	Cirrhosis of Liver	Randolph
	26 ——— Blunck	—	1	Prematurity	Boston
Sept.	29 ———	—	—	Still Born	Randolph
	30 Child of Marshall G. Quinn	—	2	Hemorrhage	Brockton
	31 Margaret Howard	74	6 23	Cancer of Uterus	Cape Breton
	8 Geraldine A. McCormick	—	2	Premature Birth	Randolph
	9 Eugene Thayer	76	11 28	Chronic Pyelitis	Randolph
	22 ——— Smith		1	Prematurity	Boston
	23 John Adams	—	7 10	Broncho Pneumonia	Randolph
	4 Cecelia Allen	80	1 25	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Bayfield, New Brunswick
	11 June Isabel Erwin	—	1 7	Chronic Indigestion	Boston
	18 Caroline A. Patten	25	4 23	Progressive Muscular Atrophy	Randolph
Oct.	21 Mary E. Walther	69		Lobar Pneumonia	Randolph
	21 Ami C. Boothby	73	1 20	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Limirich, Maine
	24 Leon H. Crothers	57	7 4	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Canada
	27 Robert John Knight	48	7 2	Tuberculosis	Homestead, Penn.
	30 John H. Field	90	7 1	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph
	2 Mary Elizabeth Tucker	71	2 23	Carcinoma (Intestinal)	Randolph
	3 Jeannette MacDonald	72	5 18	Cancer of Liver	Scotland
	8 ———	—	—	Still Born	Randolph
	16 Edward C. Hurlburt	78	5 11	Broncho Pneumonia	Bradford, Vt.

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Date	1926	Name	Age		Cause of Death	Birthplace
			Y.	M. D.		
Dec.	21	Ruth McCabe	16	1	9	Meningitis
	1	Jessie Funkie	30	11	21	Pulmonary Tuberculosis
	6	Timothy Kiley	67			Chronic Myocarditis
	9	Annie A. Kennedy	68	3		Hypostatic Pneumonia
	12	George A. Lovejoy	80	—	1	Oedema of Brain
	18	James Augustine Brennan	83	2	11	Unknown
	23	Frances M. Clarke	55	10	18	Senile Decay
	23	Alice Sullivan	55			Diabetes Mellitus
	23	Edward F. Stratton	56			Probably Acute Dilatation of the Heart
	27	Robert Hart				Rutland, Vt.
28		Paul John Kachele	69	11	29	Post-Operative Shock
28		Richard O'Brien	4	10	26	Bronchial Pneumonia
						Acute Endocarditis
						Germany
						Randolph

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INTERMENTS IN RANDOLPH IN 1926

of persons dying elsewhere

Date of Death 1926	Name	Age		Place of Death
		Y.	M.D.	
Jan.	3 Elizabeth Jane Kinnerman.....	54	8 9	Elgin, Ill.
	10 Stillborn	—	—	Braintree
	15 George Koofman	82	—	Somerville
	20 Julia A. Rand	83	8 8	Brockton
	21 Mary A. Steere	71	11 14	New York City
Feb.	26 Mary T. Sanderson	69	1 —	Avon
	1 Cecilia F. Smith	72	—	Taunton
	3 Persis C. Banows	65	6 24	Taunton
	6 James H. Newton	60	—	Boston
	10 Mary L. Browne	35	—	Boston
	15 Charles D. Boden	81	7 5	Brockton
	17 Gustavus Thayer	71	—	Baltimore
	17 Frank Yanogik	52	—	Lynn
	22 Margaret Mahoney	55	—	Boston
	25 Marcus Terrill	63	—	South Boston
Mar.	5 Inez M. Holbrook	—	—	Boston
	12 Theodore O. Thompson	66	8 2	Stoneham, Mass.
	23 Mary Pellerien	64	6 22	Braintree
	23 Alice Bennett	75	10 20	Braintree
	25 James J O'Connell	42	—	New York City
	25 Daniel W. Ball	52	—	Braintree
	27 Ralph E. DeForest	31	—	Braintree
	31 Walter S. Fouché	41	11 22	Holbrook
	2 Elizabeth Stewart	81	6 24	Braintree
	7 Frank E. Cushing	—	—	Worcester
Apr.	12 Emma Hayden	78	11 27	Quincy
	13 Henry LeRoy Harvey, Jr.	13	7 23	Rehoboth
	23 Mary Leahy	62	—	Holbrook

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Date of Death 1926	Name	Age		Place of Death
		Y.	M. D.	
May	Frank A. Bromade	8	10 28	Arlington
	Christopher C. Briers	48	1 22	South Braintree
	Grace A. Welder	76	9 16	Quincy
	Mary E. Caddy	36	5 17	Boston
	Patrick J. Carroll	69	—	Holbrook
	John Brady	71	2 22	Mellis
	John Welch	67	4 19	South Braintree
	Martin Spera	67	—	South Boston
	Thomas John Hagney	—	1 10	Elizabethtown, Pa.
	James J. Tierney	57	—	South Boston
June	Iolander Barrasso	—	— 12	Boston
	Philemena Pezzelle	4	—	South Braintree
	Stillborn	—	—	Westboro
	Mary A. Murphy	69	5 16	Braintree
	William Benjamin	74	4 8	Boston
	Peter Herr	72	—	Quincy
	Catherine Madden	58	6 2	South Braintree
	Barbara R. Demarest	1	6 13	South Braintree
	Frank Richard	1	— 10	South Braintree
	Annie F. Nichols	45	—	South Braintree
July	Stillborn	—	—	Braintree
	Joseph Renaldi	4	1 27	Holbrook
	Margaret T. Fraher	60	—	Chelsea
	Wm. H. Scannell	43	—	Holbrook
	Patrick J. Megley	45	5 2	Quincy
	Walter E. Cody, Jr.	2	—	South Braintree
	Frank Plumba	73	—	—
	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—
Aug.	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—
Sept.	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—

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INTERMENTS IN RANDOLPH IN 1926 of persons dying elsewhere

Date of Death 1926	Name	Age		Place of Death
		Y.	M. D.	
Oct.	7 Mabel Stevens	56	4 6	Wollaston
	11 Agnes Zeller	29	—	Whitman
	13 Louis I. Porter	79	—	Taunton
	13 Morris Dowd	63	5 10	Weymouth
	14 Daniel J. Gallivan	69	9 17	Boston
	19 James D. Neary	73	—	Boston
	20 Stillborn	—	—	South Braintree
	20 Benjamin Poole	72	2 18	East Weymouth
	24 Ray W. Hill	36	5 12	Quincy
	7 Joanna E. Power	63	8 9	Boston
Nov.	9 — Mann	—	1	Brockton
	21 Mary E. Walther	69	—	Foxboro
	22 Mary J. Horrigan	57	—	Quincy
	23 Katherine Griffin	21	17	Braintree
	24 Theodore Howard	66	6 24	Cambridge
	31 James George	18	6 5	Braintree
	3 Edward A. Fisher	83	4 20	East Braintree
	10 George B. Bryant	94	11	Chelsea
	15 Jeremiah Greaney	71	—	Holbrook
	22 Nancy Tricomi	70	—	South Braintree
Dec.	30 Mary E. Meagher	1	7	Wollaston
	14 Annie M. Dee	66	10 17	Brockton
	19 James F. O'Reilly	49	—	Brockton
	23 Alice Sullivan	55	—	Brockton
	24 Jane Pitts	82	—	Quincy
	27 Robert Hart	—	1	Brockton
	28 Richard O'Brien	4	10 26	Randolph
	Pietro L. Farina	69	—	Boston

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CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES

Senile Decay, Chronic Pericarditis, Pernicious Anemia, Influenza, Chronic Interstitial Nephritis, Acute Uremic Poisoning, Chronic Arthritis, Angina Pectoris, Myocardial Degeneration, Chronic Cholecystitis, Sepsis and Surgical Shock, Apoplexy, Senile Gangrene, Acute Appendicitis, Glioma, Chronic Pyelitis, Cirrhosis of Liver, Hemorrhagic Disease, Chronic Indigestion, Progressive Muscular Atrophy. Acute Dilatation of the Heart, Post-operative Shock, Acute Endocarditis.

one each	23
Chronic Myocarditis	6
Arterio Sclerosis	13
Cancer	14
Pneumonia Broncho	8
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	4
Cerebral Hemorrhage	6
Pneumonia Lobar	5
Stillborn	2
Diabetes	2
Unknown	2
Oedema of Brain	4
Meningitis	2
Prematurity	2
Hypostatic Pneumonia	2
	—
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TABLE OF VITAL STATISTICS YEAR 1926

1926	Intentions of Marriage	Marriages	Births	Deaths
January	1	2	7	7
February	1	1	9	7
March	2	1	15	7
April	6	5	5	13
May	4	3	9	8
June	3	10	10	5
July	5	5	9	11
August	4	5	14	12
September	5	7	10	4
October	6	8	9	8
November	6	6	10	5
December	1	1	7	11
	—	—	—	—
	44	54	114	98

Whole number of Births Recorded:

Males	62	
Females	52	114
	—	—
Parents both native born		84
Parents one native, one foreign born		17
Parents both foreign born		13

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Whole Number of Marriage Intentions	44
Whole Number of Marriages	54

Should any person discover any errors or omissions in the foregoing records, please notify the Town Clerk, that correction may be made.

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STATEMENT OF LICENSES ISSUED AND FEES RETAINED BY THE TOWN CLERK

Dog License to December 31, 1926:

346 Males at \$2.00 each	\$692.00
130 Females at \$5.00 each	650.00
17 Females (Spayed) at \$2.00 each	34.00
2 Breeder's Licenses at \$25.00 each	50.00
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	\$1,426.00

Cash paid to County Treasurer	\$1,327.00	
Fees Retained	99.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,426.00

Hunting, Fishing and Trapping Licenses:

98 Resident Citizens' Sporting Licenses at \$2.25 each	\$220.50
1 Resident Citizens' Trapping License	2.25
8 Minors' Trapping Licenses at \$0.75 each	6.00
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	\$228.75

Cash Paid Massachusetts Division of Fisheries and Game	\$207.00	
Fees Retained	21.75	
	<hr/>	\$228.75

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Town Clerk, Pro Tem.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

The Town Clerk hereby gives notice that he is prepared to furnish to parents, householders, physicians and midwives applying therefor, blanks for returns as required by law.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,

Town Clerk, Pro Tem.

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Report of the Fire Department

Randolph, Mass., January 1, 1927.

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

The following is a report of the Board of Fire Engineers for the year 1926.

There being no appointments by the Selectmen for Engineers for the year 1926, the engineers remained the same as the previous year with:

John J. Condon
Harold W. Macauley
Martin E. Young

During the year there were 99 alarms classed as follows:

Buildings	36
Chimneys	18
Autos	5
Grass and Brush	18
False	15
Bridge	3

Following are the list of fires:

ALARMS FOR 1926

Jan. 9. Alarm from Box 43—time 1.25 A. M., for fire at residence of Arthur M. Sperry, Wales Ave., cause

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overheated hearth setting fire to timbers. Damage \$107.00. Insured.

Jan. 12. Still alarm—time 9.05 A. M., for chimney fire at residence of James E. Foley, Cottage St. No damage.

Jan. 13. Alarm from Box 35—time 3.05 P. M., called department to residence of Llyod, North St., cause, back fire from heater. No damage.

Jan. 18. Still alarm—time 9.20 P. M., for electric light wire burning cable of N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. Officials of Randolph & Holbrook Light Co. notified and they took care of it. No damage.

Jan. 23. Alarm from Box 35—time 1.28 P. M., for chimney fire at residence of J. M. Dyer, North Street. No damage.

Jan. 25. Still alarm—time 9.35 P. M., called apparatus to residence of F. D. McCarthy, So. Main St., cause burning soot in heater pipe. No damage.

Jan. 28. Still alarm—time 9.05 P. M., for chimney fire at residence of Mrs. Nellie Boyle, South St. No damage.

Jan. 29. Alarm from Box 61—time 5.45 A. M., for chimney fire at residence of C. L. Paine, High St. No damage.

Feb. 10. Alarm from Box 43—time 12.30 P. M., for fire in chimney in house owned by M. Copeland, Allen Street, and occupied by Ernest Chatfield. No damage.

Feb. 12. Alarm from Box 26—time 4.30 P. M., for chimney fire at residence of Joseph McDermot, So. Main St. No damage.

Feb. 26. Alarm from Box 31—time 1.45 P. M., for chimney fire at residence of Maria Good, Mill St. No damage.

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Feb. 27. Alarm from Box 61—time 11.45 A. M., for chimney fire at residence of Laurence Powers, Lafayette St. No damage.

Mar. 4. Alarm from Box 42—time 7.04 P. M., for chimney fire at residence of W. J. Billingham, Wales Ave. No damage.

Mar. 10. Alarm from Box 43—time 12.15 P. M., for chimney fire in house owned by Irma Copeland, Mt. Pleasant Square and occupied by Raymond Hutchinson. No damage.

Mar. 12. Alarm from Box 21—time 5.00 P. M., for fire at residence of John Finn, Fairview Ave., cause, fire in salamander in garage. No damage.

Mar. 13. Alarm from Box 35—time 4.40 A. M., for chimney fire at residence of J. Munroe Dyer, North St. No damage.

Mar. 14. Alarm from Box 27—time 5.47 P. M., for fire at residence of A. H. Hall, South St., cause, grass fire setting fire to side of house. Damage \$50.00. Insured.

Mar. 27. Still Alarm—time 7.25 P. M., for dump fire on Centre St. No damage.

Mar. 29. Box 23—time 8.50 A. M., for chimney fire at residence of Walter L. Stevens, Crawford Sq. No damage.

Mar. 29. Still alarm—time 3.13 P. M., for rubbish fire in rear of Lyceum Bldg., Main St. No damage.

Mar. 29. Alarm from Box 21—time 4.47 P. M., for chimney fire in house owned by Ellen T. Proctor, Boston, and occupied by Richard Forrest. No damage.

Mar. 29. Still alarm—time 10.45 P. M., for fire in waste barrel in Town Hall, cause, unknown. No damage.

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Mar. 30. Alarm from Box 45—time 1.15 P. M., for fire in rear of Baptist Church. No damage.

Mar. 30. Alarm from Box 41—time 4.10 P. M., for brush fire off Center St. No damage.

April 10. Alarm from Box 27—time 12.10 P. M., for grass fire in rear of house owned by Mrs. Hannah McMahon, South St. No damage.

April 14. Alarm from Box 42—time 4.30 P. M., grass fire off Pleasant St. No damage.

April 14. Alarm from Box 47—time 5.10 P. M., brush fire off Old St. No damage.

April 17. Alarm from Box 28—time 3.15 P. M., for brush fire on land of Peter Cocahnor, Union St. No damage.

April 18. Alarm from Box 26—time 9.40 A. M., for fire on roof of house owned by E. R. Dixon, 750 Main St., cause, sparks from chimney igniting shingles. Damage \$100.00. Insured.

April 19. Alarm from Box 29—time 6.20 P. M., for fire in building owned by I. O. O. F., Main St., cause, sparks from chimney igniting shingles on roof, burning through. Damage \$50.00. Insured.

April 20. Alarm from Box 27—time 9.40, for fire in hen house owned by Geo. Pierce, South St. Damage slight, cause unknown.

April 23. Alarm from Box 47—time P. M., for brush fire threatening houses on Francis St. No damage.

May 3. Alarm from Box 45—time 3.04, for brush fire off Grove St., on land of Esten Soule. 40 cords of wood burned.

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May 3. Alarm from Box 61—time 3.35, for brush fire on land of Laurence Powers, Lafayette St.

May 3. Alarm from Box 61—time 8.35 P. M., for brush fire on land of Charles Debinsky, Lafayette St.

May 3. Alarm from Box 26—time 9.10 P. M., for chimney fire at residence of Charles E. Anderson, 600 So. Main St. No damage.

May 5. Alarm from Box 47—time 9.18 A. M., for fire on roof of house owned by Peter Foss, Augusta St., cause, sparks from chimney igniting shingles. Damage \$100. Insured.

May 5. Alarm from Box 42—time 11.15 P. M., for slight fire in building owned by Randolph Foundry Co., Pleasant St., cause, unknown.

May 6. Alarm from Box 46—time 12.04 A. M., for fire in barn owned by R. Busby Newcomb, North Main St., cause, incendiary. Damage \$125.00. Insured.

May 6. Alarm from Box 47—time 12.19 A. M., for fire in building owned by Annie McDonald, Pond St., and occupied by John T. Connor's Stores, cause, incendiary. Damage \$30.00. Insured.

May 8. Alarm from Box 122—time 1.40 A. M., for fire in dump on Center Street.

May 8. Still alarm—time 3.40 P. M., called Combination No. 2 to brush fire in rear of J. Munroe Dyer's house. No damage.

May 8. Still alarm—time 9.40 P. M., called Combination No. 2 to brush fire in rear of land owned by Thomas Whitty, Mt. Pleasant Sq.

May 9. Alarm from Box 56—time 1.10 P. M., for brush fire in rear of West St.

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May 10. Alarm from Box 45—time 8.45 P. M., for fire on roof of Belcher schiol, cause, sparks from chimney igniting shingles. Damage \$75.00. Insured.

May 11. Alarm from Box 47—time 7.40 P. M., for fire in out building owned by Charles Webber, cause, unknown. Damage slight.

May 12. Alarm from Box 28—time 8.47 A. M., for fire in house owned by Peter Madigan, Union St., cause, exploding oil stove set fire to room. Damage \$300.00. Insured.

May 13. Alarm from Box 45—time 11.10 A. M., for fire in ice houses owned by E. C. Soule, off Grove St. Damage slight, cause, thought to be incendiary. No insurance on buildings.

May 31. Alarm from Box 61—time 3.45 P. M., for fire in building owned by American Fireworks Co., over town line in Canton, explosion, wrecked building, cause unknown. Damage.

June 9. Alarm from Box 29—time 12.35 A. M., for fire in automobile owned by F. F. McAuliffe, Warren St. Damage slight.

June 10. Alarm from Box 122—False.

June 12. Alarm from Box 47—time 9.00 A. M., for fire in Ford truck owned by Charles Copland, Hillside St., Milton, cause, short circuit. Damage \$175.00.

June 17. Alarm from Box 42—time 3.30 P. M., for fire in bridge at Depot St. Damage slight, cause, sparks from engine.

June 20. Still alarm—time 6.50 P. M., for fire in dump on Mill St. No damage.

June 21. Alarm from Box 41. Time 3.15 P. M., brush fire.

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July 4. Alarm from Box 34—time 10.20 P. M. False.

July 4. Still alarm—time 10.25 P. M., for slight roof fire on building owned by Mrs. Farrell, Short St., and occupied by Ed. Murphy and Gaynor. Damage slight.

July 5. Alarm from Box 51—time 12.45 A. M. False.

July 5. Alarm from Box 121—time 12.58 A. M. False.

July 5. Alarm from Box 121—time 2.04 A. M. False.

July 5. Still alarm—time 2.30 A. M., for fire on Union St., in old automobile. Damage slight.

July 5. Alarm from Box 41—time 2.37 A. M. False.

July 5. Alarm from Box 61—time 4.08 A. M. False.

July 5. Alarm from Box 47—time 4.48 A. M. False.

July 5. Alarm from Box 41—time 5.20 A. M. False.

July 5. Alarm from Box 41—time 5.45 A. M. False.

July 5. Alarm from Box 34—time 11.47 A. M., for fire in tool house in Catholic Cemetery., cause incendiary. Damage \$250.00.

July 5. Alarm from Box 34—time 3.45 P. M., for fire in Hudson sedan, owned by John Roztowsky, 78 Boston St., Dorchester, and operated by Robert M. Welch, 12 Howell St., Dorchester, cause, short circuit. Damage \$400.00. No insurance.

July 5. Still alarm—time 9.20 P. M., for fire in pile of poles on Union, near Centler St. Damage slight.

July 6. Alarm from Box 121—time 1.10 A. M., for fire in house over town line in Holbrook.

July 6. Alarm from Box 41—time 2.20 A.M. False.

July 8. Alarm from Box 42—time 3.57 P. M., for fire in bridge at Main St. and Depot St., cause, sparks from engine. Damage slight.

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July 11. Alarm from Box 122—time 10.40 A. M., for fire in residence of Edward Munch, Wilmarth Road, cause unknown. Damage to buildings \$1400.00. *Contents.

July 15. Alarm from Box 42—time 4.57 P. M., for fire in railroad bridge at Depot St., caused by engine. Damage slight.

Aug. 5. Still alarm—time 6.04 P. M., for chimney fire at residence of Mrs. Atherton, Short St., No damage.

Sept. 3. Alarm from Box 25. Time 7.04 P. M., for automobile fire, owned by Peter Sheridan, 12 Churchill Place, Dorchester. Reg. 142,482. Damage slight, cause, short circuit.

Sept. 9. Alarm from Box 43—time 5.23 P. M., for fire in oven of gas stove at residence of Mrs. Grace Tibbetts. House owned by Mrs. Vye, Allen St. No damage.

Sept. 20. Alarm from Box 47—time 4.35 P. M., brush fire.

Sept. 21. Alarm from Box 47—time 4.50 P. M., brush fire.

Sept. 28. Alarm from Box 47—time 5.00 P. M. False.

Oct. 22. Alarm from Box 121—time 11.40 P. M. False.

Oct. 30. Alarm from Box 45—time 3.40 A. M. False.

Nov. 1. Alarm from Box 122—time 9.25 P. M., for fire in house owned by Geo. Williams, Lancaster Rd., East Randolph, and occupied by him, cause unknown. Damage \$100.00.

Nov. 1. Alarm from Box 51—time 10.10 P. M. False.

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Nov. 6. Alarm from Box 42—time 6.45 P. M., for fire in foundry building owned by Randolph Foundry Co., cause unknown. Damage \$100.00. Insured.

Nov. 6. Still alarm—time 7.10 P. M., for fire in Ford automobile owned by J. E. Prescott, 465 N. Main St., cause, short circuit. Damage slight.

Nov. 14. Alarm from Box 46—time 9.50 P. M., for fire in pile of brush on Canton St.

Nov. 19. Alarm from Box 121—time 9.20 P. M. False.

Nov. 23. Alarm from Box 25—time 10.55 A. M., for grass fire. Cameron, South Main St. No damage.

Nov. 25. Still alarm—time 10.58 A. M., for fire in outhouse owned by A. H. Hall, South St., cause unknown. Damage \$50.00

Nov. 30. Alarm from Box 56—time 8.45 A. M., for chimney fire at residence of G. A. Gardner, West St. No damage.

Nov. 30. Still alarm—time 11.00 A. M., for fire in house owned by G. A. Gardner. Fire in woodwork around chimney. Caused by chimney fire. Damage slight.

Dec. 2. Alarm from Box 52—time 8.55 A. M., for fire in garage owned by E. C. Young, Highland Ave., cause, back-firing of truck. Damage to truck \$125.00, damage to building \$97.00. Insured.

Dec. 2. Still alarm—time 6.10 P. M. for chimney fire at residence of Herman Shaw, So. Main St. No damage.

Dec. 5. Alarm from Box 31—time 9.55 A. M., for fire in house owned by Frank Walsh, and occupied by Catherine Tierney, North St., cause, thawing water pipes. *Damage. Insured.

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Dec. 5. Alarm from Box 26—time 7.20 P. M. Needless.

Dec. 6. Alarm from Box 35—time 9.05 A. M., for fire at residence of Charles Johnson, 206 Liberty St., cause, thawing water pipes, setting fire to building. House owned by Joe Allen, Randolph. Damage slight.

Dec. 16. Alarm from Box 54—time 7.55 A. M. for chimney fire in house owned by Mrs. N. C. Copeland, and occupied by John Leath. No damage.

During the year the fire alarm system was gone all over. All grounds cleaned so that to date the system is in good condition.

A new line was installed on Center St.

Box 71 as voted for by the town to be located at Frances St. has been purchased but as yet has not been installed. Also material for building of the line.

All the hose threads have been changed from the Roxbury to the National standard thread to conform with the law.

Repairs were made on the Central Station and the upstairs painted.

The apparatus is in good condition with the exception of paint on the pumper.

We recommend the following amounts for the ensuing year:

General expense	\$800.00
Driver of truck	1,800.00
Spare driver	260.00
Salaries of men	450.00

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Engineers' salaries	150.00
Hour service	350.00
Hose	400.00
Fire alarm	350.00
Total	<hr/> \$5,060.00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. CONDON,
HAROLD W. MACAULEY,
MARTIN E. YOUNG.

Report of the Trustees of the Turner Free Library

Trustees 1926

Winthrop B. Atherton	President	
Herbert F. French	Vice-President	
Frank W. Belcher	Treasurer	
William H. Leavitt	Secretary	
Richard F. Forrest	Erskine H. Cox	James H. Hurley
(Selectmen of Randolph Ex-Officiis)		
Asa P. French	Frank C. Granger	
Seth Turner Crawford	Harold F. Howard	
Mrs. Alice M. T. Beach	C. Wilson Lyons*	
Mrs. Helen W. Pratt		

*Resigned. A. W. Hodges elected to fill vacancy

PUBLIC LIBRARY

To the Citizens of Randolph:

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 3 of the By-laws of The Turner Free Library this, the fifty-first annual report is submitted, showing the condition of the trust, consisting of the building, library and funds, together with the reports of the Librarian and Treasurer and so

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much of the reports submitted by the various committees to the Trustees as seems of general interest.

The Library Committee reports that the books, charts and furnishings are in good condition. All books belonging to the library were accounted for by the Librarian.

The Building Committee reports that the building is in fair condition except the roof which is badly in need of repairs and an appropriation of \$350. is requested.

The Library has reached such proportions that the inhabitants of the Town cannot fail to find something instructive or interesting if they will but make it a visit. With nearly 30,000 books on its shelves and the leading magazines in the reading room, surely the people are well supplied with what is good to read. The library lost a faithful and efficient librarian in the resignation of Miss Alice M. Belcher who has gone to a larger field of usefulness, but we were fortunate in having a capable assistant in Miss Sarah C. Belcher to take her place and the new assistant Miss Eunice L. Belcher, is proving her ability in this position.

The report of the Librarian showing in detail the doings, management and results of the various departments of the Library and the report of the Treasurer showing the investments of the funds and the receipts and expenditures of the library are hereunto subjoined.

Respectfully submitted,

WINTHROP B. ATHERTON,
President, Board of Trustees.

Randolph, Mass., January 1st, 1927.

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REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

I have the honor to submit the annual report of the Turner Free Library for the year ending December 31st, 1926.

The library has been opened to the public 303 days; 22,625 books have been borrowed also 395 unbound magazines.

313 books have been added to the library during the year, making 29,771 accessioned volumes.

302 books were added by purchase, 6 bound magazines, and 5 received as gifts from various sources.

We are again indebted to Mr. Erskine H. Cox for a year's subscription to the "Nature Magazine."

We have issued 346 borrower's cards during the year. The total number of borrowers on our book at present is 1,972.

The sum of \$150.46 has been received for fines and collections and has been turned over to the Treasurer.

The reference room is used not only by the pupils of the Randolph schools, but by those of Bridgewater Normal and Boston College High. We plan to add several reference books for their use the coming year.

The reading room is given over to the smaller children during the afternoons when books suitable for them are placed on the tables. We wish more of the older people might use and enjoy it evenings. We have 28 of the leading magazines and two daily papers for their enjoyment and profit.

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Miss Alice M. Belcher, who has served as librarian many years, resigned in September to take a more lucrative position in the Brockton Public Library. Randolph's loss was certainly Brockton's gain. Miss Eunice L. Belcher was appointed assistant librarian and is showing much interest and ability.

The librarian wishes to express her thanks to her assistant and to the Trustees for their interest and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH C. BELCHER,
Librarian.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

In compliance with the requirements of the By-Laws, I herewith submit the annual report of the Treasurer of the Turner Free Library:

Income Receipts

Income Turner Fund	\$428.94
Income R. W. Turner Fund	747.06
Rent Randolph Savings Bank	360.00
Rent C. Fred Lyons	200.00
Rent Randolph Hardware Co.	100.00
Interest Boston Elevated R. R. Bonds	337.50
Randolph Savings Bank, Fuel	81.95
Fines and Collections	150.46
From Town Appropriation	29.15

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Randolph Savings Bank, Interest	29.57
Merchants Nat'l Bank, Interest	60.11
Randolph Trust Company, Interest	.92

\$2,525.66

Balance cash on hand Jan. 13, 1925 \$11,854.76

Less Principal of Fund (see
Principal acct.)

11,000.00

854.76

\$3,380.42

Disbursements Acct. Income

Paid for books	\$356.72
Periodicals	91.55
Rebinding books	86.80
Salary Librarian	600.00
Extra pay, Librarian	50.00
Salary Assistant Librarian	300.00
Extra Help	10.80
Salary Janitor	300.00
Electric Light and Lamps	110.65
Rent Safe Deposit Box	10.00
Repairs	29.15
Fuel	289.92
Printing	26.50
Supplies	5.05
Sundries	19.01

\$2,286.15

Balance income cash on hand Jan. 8, 1927, on
deposit in the Randolph Trust Co.

1,094.27

\$3,380.42

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The Turner Fund Is Invested in:

	Par	Book
1 N. Y. Central & Hudson River R. R. Co. Bond, 4%-1934	\$1000.00	\$1000.00
1 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bond, 4%-1956...	1000.00	1000.00
2 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bonds, 5%-1956..	2000.00	2000.00
3 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bonds, 5%-1956..	300.00	300.00
1 Third Liberty Loan Bond, 4¼%-1928.....	1000.00	1000.00
1 Third Liberty Loan Bond, 4¼%-1928.....	50.00	50.00
3 Union Pacific R. R. Co. Bonds 4%-1947....	1500.00	1500.00
1 Western Tel. & Tel. Co. Bond, 5%-1932....	1000.00	1000.00
10 shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y. stock, 5%	1000.00	902.16
33 shares Union Pacific R. R. Co. stock, 4%....	3300.00	3300.00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank.....		122.84
		\$12,175.00

The Royal Turner Fund Is Invested in:

	Par	Book
5 American Tel. & Tel. Co. Bonds, 4%-1929...	\$5000.00	\$5000.00
2 Brooklyn Manhattan Transit Co., Bonds, 6%-1968	2000.00	1872.50
2 Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific R. R. Co. Bonds, 4%-1934.....	2000.00	1799.27
5 New York Tel Co. Bonds, 4½%-1939.....	5000.00	5000.00
2 Rio Grande Western R. R. Co. Bonds, 4%-1949	2000.00	1596.01
20 shares California Packing Corp. stock, 4% no par val.		1247.32
10 shares Illinois Central R. R. Co. stock, 7%..	1000.00	1162.74
10 shares N. Y. Central R. R. Co. stock, 7%....	1000.00	1205.66
10 shares Southern Railway Co. stock, 7%....	1000.00	1067.41
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank.....		674.09
		\$20,625.00

The Remaining Funds Are Invested in:

5 Boston Elevated Railway Bonds, 4½%-1937	\$5000.00	\$5000.00
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Principal Fund Receipts

Received in 1925 for 11,000 Old Colony R. R. Bonds, and reported on January 13, 1926, as part of cash balance on hand	\$11,000.00
Received for rights	9.48
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	\$11,009.48

Principal Fund Payments

Paid for stocks and bonds	\$10,862.55
Balance invested in Randolph Savings Bank	
Turner Fund	97.84
R. W. Turner Fund	49.09
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	\$11,009.48

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK W. BELCHER,
Treasurer.

To the Trustees of Turner Free Library:

Your Committee on Finance submits the following report:—

The Committee has audited the accounts of the treasurer for the year 1926, and found them correct. All moneys received have been duly accounted for, and no moneys have been paid out except upon vouchers properly approved.

The Committee has examined, also, the securities representing the investments of the funds of the library, and has found them to be intact and as represented.

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The following changes in the investment of the funds have been made during the year:

In the Turner Fund, one \$1000 Old Colony Railroad Company 4s matured in December, 1925, with the proceeds of which were purchased 10 shares of Consolidated Gas Company of New York at \$902.16, and the balance, \$97.84, was deposited in Randolph Savings Bank.

In the Royal W. Turner Fund, ten \$1,000 Old Colony Railroad Company 4's matured in December, 1925, with the proceeds of which the following purchases were made:

\$2000 Chicago, RockIsland and Pacific RR. 4s	\$1799.27
\$2000 Brooklyn & Manhattan Transit Co., 6s	1872.50
\$1000 Rio Grande & Western RR. Co. 4s	796.11
\$1000 Rio Grande & Western RR. Co., 4s	799.90
10 shares Southern Railway Company	1076.89
10 shares New York Central Railroad Co.	1205.66
10 shares California Packing Corporation	1247.32
10 shares Illinois Central Railroad Co.	1162.74
Deposited in Randolph Savings Bank	39.61

Making a total re-investment of	\$10,000.00
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During the past year a 100% stock dividend, representing ten shares of California Packing Corporation was received.

ASA P. FRENCH,
Chairman.

Randolph, Mass., January 1, 1927.

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We the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the Turner Free Library Fund and find the same correct with proper vouchers for all expenses, and have examined the securities and verified each balance, and find same correct, as per statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
JOHN H. RUDDERHAM,
Auditors.

Norfolk ss

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 21, 1927.

Subscribed and sworn to before me

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Justice of the Peace.

Report of Police Department

Randolph, Mass.
January 1, 1927.

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit report of the work done by the Police Department of the Town of Randolph for the year ending December 31, 1926.

Calls answered and investigations made	608
*Summons served	153
Cases settled out of court	113
*Arrests	104
Arraignments in Court	178
Bound over to the Grand Jury	10
†Found guilty in District Court	137
Appealed to Superior Court	9
‡Found guilty in Superior Court	16
Pending in Superior Court	6
Acquitted	6
Placed on file	19
Placed on probation	31
Fined	73
Placed in House of Good Shepherd	3
Committed to Concord Reformatory	1
Committed to House of Correction	15

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Committed to State Farm	1
Committed to Sherborn	2
Stolen property recovered	\$6,485.00
Net returns paid to Town Treasurer from fines over and above expenses of prosecution	\$706.42

PATRICK T. McDONNELL,

Acting Chief of Police.

†Some convictions were secured on cases not arrested, but summoned into court.

*Some arrests and summonses were served for out of town police.

‡Includes five cases bound over to the Grand Jury, all of which were convicted in Superior Court.

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Report of the
Sealer of Weights and Measures

(For the year ending December 31, 1926)

To the Board of Selectmen,
Randolph, Mass.

Gentlemen:

During the year 1926 I have sealed:

Scales	5	Kerosene Pumps	5
Weights	193	Oil Pumps	4
Liquid Measures	102	Molasses Pump	1
Gasolene Pumps	47	Yard Sticks	3

There were resealed and tested:

Gasolene Pumps 4

Inspections made:

Pedler's License	4	Pedler's Scales	4
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Condemned:

Scales	3	Liquid Measures	5
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Equipment to the value of \$24.30 was purchased during the year.

Fees collected and turned over to the Town Treasurer
\$48.52.

Salary of Sealer	\$150.00
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Expenses	15.00
Equipment	24.30

\$189.30

APPROPRIATION	\$175.00
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Overdrawn	\$14.30
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Respectfully submitted,

B. F. HAYDEN,

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Report of the Local Moth Superintendent

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The Moth situation at the end of the year 1926 was not as good as it was at the close of the year 1925.

The amount called for by the State Forester and the amount assessed to the Town by law was reduced by eight hundred dollars (\$800.), so that we were not able to do any creosoting or scouting last Fall, as we have done in the past.

ARE YOU GOING TO LET THIS TOWN BE A BREEDING PLACE FOR MOTHS TO SPREAD AROUND YOUR HOMES AND BE A PEST AND NUISANCE AS WELL AS DESTROYING YOUR FRUIT AND SHADE TREES?

Now is the time to keep them in check, because if you allow them to get a start again, it will cost twice the amount to fight them. While we have them on the run, let us keep them running.

Material and labor cost much more this year and some provisions should be made for the same.

The Town's liability, according to law, is \$1,800.00. If that amount is raised the work can be carried on and results obtained.

JOHN T. MOORE,
Local Moth Superintendent.

Report of the Tree Warden

To the Voters of the Town of Randolph:

The public shade trees of a community are an asset and an ornament to the public.

Much work needs to be done on our shade trees. Many old elms need trimming and fertilizing to save them.

Twelve new trees were planted last year and five removed, making a total of seventy-four trees planted within the last four years.

The old elm at the corner of School and Main streets, on account of the new bank building and cements walk, was removed. Expert advice was procured and in the opinion of tree experts, the tree could not survive under the new surroundings. The Randolph Savings Bank paid all the expense for the advice and the removal of the tree.

I am asking this year for a small sum to plant more trees and also to provide for some tree guards for those already set out.

Trees cost more the past year also labor of setting out the same.

Let us all get together and let the motto be "Plan to plant another tree."

JOHN T. MOORE.

Tree Warden.

Report of the Inspector of Animals

To the Board of Selectmen, Randolph:

During the year ending December 31, 1926, the following animals were inspected:

Cattle	368	Goats	5
Swine	450	Sheep	3

One cow, found to be a clinical case of tuberculosis was killed.

Three lots of swine were found infected with hog cholera.

Respectfully submitted,

H. W. KINGMAN, M. D. V.,

Inspector of Animals.

Report of the Inspector of Slaughtering

To the Board of Selectmen, Randolph:

During the year ending December 31, 1926, the carcasses of the following animals were examined:

Swine	128
Sheep	24
Cows	4
Calves	14

Thirteen swine were condemned for hog cholera, and one for dog bites. One spotted liver was condemned.

Respectfully submitted,

H. W. KINGMAN, M. D. V.,

Inspector of Slaughtering.

Report of the
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
1926

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The annual report of the School Committee of the Town of Randolph for the year 1926 is herewith submitted, and we wish at this time to extend our thanks to the Citizens for the increased interest they have taken this year in the education of our children. The interest of the parents in the Schools is something that is of very great value to the child, the teacher, and also the school authorities.

During the year several changes were made in the teaching staff of both the High and Elementary grades, and we believe that now we have a corps of fine, conscientious teachers that are working hard and faithfully under the direction of our Superintendent.

We were unfortunate this year in losing by retirement, one of our most capable teachers, Miss Ellen P. Henry, one who has served the town long and faithfully, and who is highly respected today by hundreds of our citizens that received part of their early training from her.

The opening of the new High School Building on March 1st was an occasion that had been looked forward to for many long months. It not only provides an up-to-date,

modern building for our High School, but also relieves the over-crowded condition at both the Prescott and Belcher Schools because of the fact that the new building is taking care of the Junior High School also.

During the summer months two of the rooms at the Prescott School were completely renovated, new floors being laid, ceilings whitened, walls painted, and new furniture installed, all of which adds greatly to the material value of the building, and also to the general environment. If this program of permanent repairs can be followed up each year by doing one or two rooms, in a short time this building will be in first-class condition.

The heating plant of the North Randolph building gave the Committee considerable trouble during the latter part of last winter, and it was found necessary to install a larger furnace during the summer vacation. The rooms were also freshly painted at this time, and today the building is in very good condition.

The interior of the West Corner School was sadly in need of repairs, and this was also done this summer, by painting the walls and wood-work and whitening the ceilings, which puts this building in first-class condition.

There was some work done at the Tower Hill School, but the Committee recommends that further alterations be made during this coming summer.

We again call attention of the citizens to the very poor condition of the Belcher School, and remind them that in a very short time it will be necessary to replace this building with a larger and more modern structure to take care of the ever increasing enrollment from that section of the town.

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The School Committee takes this opportunity to express their gratitude to the citizens of Randolph for the co-operation given them during this past year, which has helped them greatly in conducting the affairs of the Schools in a congenial and harmonious manner.

JESSE S. BEAL, Chairman,
CHAS. R. KILEY,
JOSEPH BELCHER.

The School Committee recommends that the following sums be appropriated for School expenses during the year 1927:

Stetson High School	\$16,750.00
Teaching Grammar Schools	35,000.00
Fuel	3,500.00
Books and Supplies	4,500.00
Care of Rooms	4,300.00
Transportation	2,900.00
Superintendent of Schools	1,300.00
School Physician	100.00
School Nurse	1,400.00
Continuation and Trade School	3,000.00
General Expenses	4,000.00
Equipment	4,000.00
School Committee	300.00
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	\$81,050.00
Re-appropriation	3,341.27

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SCHOOL DEPARTMENT SUMMARY

	Appropriations	Expenditures
Teaching, High School	\$16,750.00	\$15,896.75
Teaching, Grade Schools	32,935.00	32,884.41
Fuel	4,000.00	2,260.34
Books and Supplies	4,500.00	4,949.10
Care of Rooms	3,800.00	3,368.07
Transportation	2,900.00	2,328.50
Salary of Superintendent	1,225.00	1,266.54
Salary of School Physician	100.00	100.00
Salary of School Nurse	1,400.00	1,340.00
Salary of School Committee	300.00	300.00
Grading High School Grounds	500.00	81.45
Continuation and Trade Schools	1,800.00	293.98
General Expenses	4,000.00	**5,401.11
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	\$74,210.00	\$70,470.25

RE-APPROPRIATIONS

School Equipment, bought in 1925	\$9,605.28	\$13,977.99
School Department	3,864.98	
North Randolph School	866.45	757.20
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Total amount appropriated	\$88,546.71	
Total amount paid out		\$85,205.44
*Balance		\$3,341.27

*This balance is not, however, wholly a surplus, as owing to unusual conditions, there are a number of outstanding bills, hence this sum of \$3,341.27 should be reappropriated.

**\$594.00 of this amount should be charged to care of rooms.

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SUPERINTENDENT

A. O. Christiansen	\$1,266.54
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SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Jesse Beal	\$100.00
Charles R. Kiley	100.00
Joseph Belcher	100.00

\$300.00

TEACHING

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Frederick E. Chapin, Principal	\$2,240.00
Hubert J. Powderly	1,800.00
Marshall Leavitt	1,800.00
Winnifred Brennan	1,500.00
Jane C. Good	1,500.00
Evelyn Goodwin	1,448.25
Ruth Knight	945.00
Edith Kurtz	900.00
Eleanor F. McDonald	750.00
Naomi Maher	720.00
M. E. Hayes	640.00
M. S. Glancy	600.00
M. Bannigan	560.00
C. Black	455.00
Mrs. Willis Bachelder	22.00
Mrs. Powderly	16.50

\$15,896.75

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GRADE SCHOOLS

Charles A. Brennan	\$1,042.14
Hubert Gilgan	984.06
Mrs. E. A. Powderly	1,299.30
Hannah F. Hoye	1,249.16
Ellen E. McLaughlin	1,249.16
Kittie R. Molloy	1,249.16
Rachel McMahon	1,249.16
Clara A. Tolman	1,249.16
Grace Gilgan	1,249.16
Elizabeth G. Lyons	1,246.03
Mary O'Brien	1,249.16
Mrs. Florence Caples	1,249.16
Mrs. Alice Belcher	1,181.39
Fannie A. Campbell	1,150.49
Mrs. Marie Cormey	1,125.01
Mary Mullen	1,125.01
Mrs. Ellen McGerrigle	1,170.23
Anna K. Good	1,116.49
Dorothy Carney	1,055.80
Margaret L. Donovan	1,005.83
Nettie Day	1,002.11
Elizabeth Griffin	931.02
M. Goss	468.43
Elizabeth Condon	931.02
Mrs. Walter Burbank	896.06
Grace Murphy	880.88
Ellen P. Henry	723.58
Catherine M. Desmond	520.96
M. E. Parshley	420.44
H. F. Kelleher	394.13
T. M. Carlin	360.72
Katherine J. Riley	334.00

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Mrs. E. McMahon	126.00
Mrs. Mary Sweeney	16.00
William Drohan	68.00
Mrs. Chatfield	4.00
Cyril Powderly	16.00
Emily Sanford, Drawing Supervisor	297.60
Dorothy Gribbin, Drawing Supervisor	198.40
Rose Hand, Supervisor of Music	800.00
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	\$32,884.41

TRADE AND CONTINUATION SCHOOLS

Town of Braintree, Continuation	\$238.98
City of Quincy	55.00
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	\$293.98

NURSE

Julia Leary	\$45.00
Annie Desmond Kiley	1,295.00
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	\$1,340.00

CARE OF ROOMS

George W. Bailey	\$237.00
Richard P. Condon	750.19
William E. Stott	609.14
H. Willie Hayden	580.93
George A. Smith	386.00
Martin P. Nugent	294.50
Mrs. George Eddy	193.00

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Joseph Norris	152.35	
William Mahady	164.96	
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FUEL

Randolph Coal Company	\$1,290.90	
Frank Diauto	812.94	
C. Esten Soule	97.50	
L. J. Courtney	35.00	
Edwin Soule	24.00	
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TRANSPORTATION

Eastern Mass. St. Ry. Company	\$1,425.00	
Stephen J. Hart	903.50	
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SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

George V. Higgins, M. D.	\$100.00	\$100.00
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HIGH SCHOOL GRADING

Powers Brothers	81.45	\$81.45
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NORTH RANDOLPH SCHOOL

Frank E. Woodward & Co.	\$25.00
Trask-Pynn Company	732.20

\$757.20

SCHOOL EQUIPMENT

Allen Shade Company	\$387.67
American Equipment Co.	90.45
Armstrong Desk Co.	984.50
Atlantic Clock Co.	675.30
Edward Babb & Co.	1,448.40
John F. Boyle	34.80
Brockton Gas Light Company	154.70
Mark B. Claff (cash advances on Contract)	764.65
Division 3, A. O. H.	300.00
Georges Motor Co.	61.00
Globe-Wernicke Co.	26.18
Willard Hanson Co.	245.11
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins	4,565.50
L. E. Knott App. Company	1,513.75
Library Bureau	12.50
Mahoney Chair Company	1,225.00
Mitchell, Woodbury Co.	91.50
Ryan & Buker	478.40
G. W. Shedd	43.00
F. W. Skillings	652.00
State Prison	52.88
J. W. Taylor	139.20
Eddy C. Young Company	31.50

\$13,977.99

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BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

F. M. Ambrose Company	\$9.85
American Book Company	286.25
Edward E. Babb & Company	1,333.41
Baird & McGuire, Inc.	11.88
Beacon Waste Supply Company	7.00
Joseph Belcher, cash paid for supplies	3.40
Brockton Gas Light Company	5.69
Burditt & Williams Company	5.17
Capen & Lane	9.25
Chandler & Barber Company	4.68
Frederick E. Chapin	9.18
M. E. Claff & Sons, Inc.	1.90
F. J. Curran	6.45
DeWolfe & Fiske Company	3.87
Oliver Ditson Company	12.10
Dowling School Supply Company	212.38
James Edgar Company	4.46
M. F. Ellis Company	118.30
L. E. Foster	3.00
Ginn & Company	682.12
Charles B. Graves	17.85
J. L. Hammett Company	16.66
Harper Brothers	52.61
Benjamin Hayden	10.50
F. W. Hayden & Company	41.86
D. C. Heath Company	97.91
Walter Hickey	94.75
Houghton-Mifflin Company	24.63
Howard Paper Co.	43.50
Hunter Stationary Company	1.90
L. E. Knott Apparatus Company	63.99
Longmans, Greene Company	33.93

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The MacMillan Company	85.79
Milton Bradley Company	424.19
Monument Mills	121.28
New England Reed Company	9.00
C. A. Noyes & Company	1.31
Lee Porter	67.40
Hubert J. Powderly, cash paid out	14.75
Office Appliance Company	31.69
Randolph Foundry Company	2.00
Randolph & Holbrook L. & P. Company	4.92
Reformatory for Women	13.44
L. Richmond Company	1.75
George A. Roel	3.75
Benjamin Sanborn Company	113.78
Arthur P. Schmidt Company	9.95
Scott & Foresman Company	47.85
Charles Scribner's Sons	53.67
Silver Burdett & Company	5.96
Charles N. Smart	6.00
Takamine Corporation	28.00
Tropical Paint Company	109.10
Underwood Typewriter Company	490.00
Frank C. Walsh	1.67
Ward Stationery Company	9.75
Wheeler Publishing Company	4.35
William F. Whitecross	5.10
Wright & Potter Printing Company	4.08
Brown Durrell Company	5.88
Mrs. George Harris	3.00
William F. Whitecross	2.55
G. B. Dolge & Company	14.40
Brockton Gas Light Company	3.02
F. W. Hayden & Company	5.69

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Randolph Hardware Company	13.60
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\$4,949.10

GENERAL EXPENSE

Arthur Aldrich	\$4.00
American Railway Express Co.	6.92
B. & P. Transportation Co.	5.75
Bancroft ———	1.25
Jesse Beal (auto hire and tel. expense)	30.00
Joseph Belcher (cash paid for supplies and exp.)	51.69
Blue Line Transportation Co.	4.50
John Boothby	1.50
John T. Boyle	75.00
Brockton Gas Light Co.	21.62
Brockton Transportation Co.	3.75
L. G. Brown	26.00
Chas. J. Burnham Motor Transp. Company	.50
Capen & Lane	4.75
P. P. Caproni & Brothers	127.00
William H. Carroll	43.25
Chandler & Barber Company	3.16
Frederick E. Chapin (cash paid for labor)	119.80
A. O. Christiansen (traveling exp. and pay for clerical work)	208.92
Richard P. Condon	48.00
Earle Crockett	57.75
F. J. Curran	16.65
Arthur E. Conrad	7.00
James Dowd	49.50

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James Dunphy	4.80
M. F. Ellis & Company	45.31
Gurney Brothers	4.00
Harrington King & Co.	10.24
Harris (estate of) Frank	108.03
B. F. Hayden	4.50
F. W. Hayden & Company	113.12
Walter Hickey	73.25
H. Willie Hayden	45.00
Thomas Hill	289.87
Hellamore's Express Company	.35
Olga C. Howard	45.95
Hunter Stationery Company	2.35
Timothy Kelliher	6.00
Charles R. Kiley (express charges and tel.)	8.00
Kenney Brothers & Walkins	13.96
Marshall W. Leavitt	5.00
H. W. Macauley	97.88
Benjamin J. Mann	50.00
William P. Mann	3.00
Martin Diploma Company	78.25
Massachusetts (Com. of)	25.00
Masury-Young Company	15.50
Joseph P. McDermott	41.00
William McLeer	237.25
John B. McNeil	25.00
Gertrude Meaney	47.40
Monument Mills (Supplies 1925)	82.20
Mystic Products Company	9.73
James Mulligan	16.20
Edward T. Murphy	50.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Company	133.07

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Newsom & Toner	15.80
C. A. Noyes & Company	.75
Robert O'Brien	172.32
The Office Appliance Co.	14.77
Old Colony Piano Company	106.50
The Picture Shop	.80
R. & H. Electric Light Company	473.83
Reformatory for Women	3.07
E. L. Shaw	.35
Philip J. Shea, Jr.	9.00
Spaulding-Morse Co.	33.00
State Prison	18.66
J. W. Taylor	6.00
Teed & Company (new floors at Prescott)	530.00
labor and material at W. Cor. School	104.95
Underwood Typewriter Company	3.10
White & Hill	2.56
William F. Whitecross	98.41
E. C. Young Company	22.84
George Bailey	583.29
Mrs. George Eddy	21.25
Martin Nugent	22.50
Mrs. Walter Burbank (School Supervision)	40.00
Mary Connors (School Supervision)	17.50
Florence Harris	77.50
Ellen P. Henry	55.00
Mary Mullin	74.80
Talmadge Morrow	3.55
George R. Sullivan	11.33
Francis Murphy	15.99

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H. W. Hayden	10.00
W. D. McLaughlin	5.00
Lloyd Boothby	3.50
Seth Swain	3.38
William Sheridan	161.00
Edward Keith	6.00
Daniel Leavitt	3.50
William Mahady	15.00
Edward Moore	6.00
Frank Dillon	6.75
George Mellon	5.00
Robert Torrence	1.00
George A. Smith	5.00
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	\$5,401.11

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee, Randolph.

Gentlemen:

I am submitting herewith my sixth annual report of the public schools of Randolph.

A study of the enrolment this year and the distribution of the teaching load throughout the schools indicates that we are not wholly free from classroom congestion.

According to the enrolment by grades, there will be 142 sixth graders seeking admission to the 7th grade in the junior high school in September while 96 pupils from the 8th grade will enter the high school at the same time. As the high school graduating class in June

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will number 46 this means an increase of 50 pupils in the senior school. Both departments therefore will be seriously taxed. To get the maximum service out of our classrooms which stand idle during the afternoon hours, some form of relay-attendance will be necessary next fall. The extra room at the Prescott school will undoubtedly be used for the grades.

SCHOOL ENROLMENT

Dec. 1926

	1926	1925	1924
Stetson High School	217	225	208
Junior High School	214		
Prescott Grammar School	204	287	251
Prescott Primary School	205	248	243
Belcher School	221	280	272
North Randolph	87	81	87
Tower Hill	71	61	69
West Corner	37	31	31
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Totals	1256	1213	1161

ENROLMENT BY GRADES

High School, Grade 12	46	217
Grade 11	41	
Grade 10	59	
Grade 9	71	
Junior High, Grade 8	86	
Grade 7	118	214
Grammar, Grade 6	142	
Grade 5	116	
Grade 4	135	
Grade 3	138	825
Grade 2	134	
Grade 1	160	
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Totals	1256	1256

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TEACHERS

Schools are no better than the teachers who serve therein. Whatever our educational objectives may be, they count for little or nothing save as they are translated and interpreted in terms of service and instruction to our boys and girls. Our teachers are most desirous of serving to that end.

Their interest in some professional study is most commendable. Elsewhere in this report I am placing on record the educational work done by these teachers and the courses pursued during their spare time.

INSTRUCTION

The economic necessity of teaching large groups of children today is seeking, if not demanding, some standard or common measuring stick whereby the results of instruction can be measured. It is generally agreed that such an objective is a good one and yet at the same time there is an agreement that such will not solve our problems entirely. Standardization in education and ends sought can be reduced to its lowest terms by lightening the teaching load of the teacher. Although in accord with any and all helpful methods in education, I still feel that we have sought too often and in many instances high percents at the cost of high ideals and the formation of a beautiful character. The home is equally responsible in this all-important training but the school has a most wonderful opportunity, if not an obligation, for service in this field and should, therefore, be rated and scored as high, if not higher in this endeavor, than it now boasts of in the mere performances in the three "R's."

Testing and checking, however, have not been ignored. Excellent attainment has been made in the subjects, read-

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ing (oral and silent), arithmetic and spelling. When our teachers may be permitted to give equal time and attention and score the same results in citizenship training, worthy home membership, worthy use of leisure and character building as they now do in the academic subjects, then I feel we can give a more worthy account of our stewardship to parents and citizens alike. Teachers have long felt the need of a more uniform distribution of values for school achievements. Useful, constructive work and attainments outside the school should be recognized in terms of school values and thereby prove to the child daily that the schools and the outside world are in agreement and that the former is indeed a preparation for the latter.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Regularity in school attendance is the pupil's first step towards success and achievement in school. None the less important is punctuality. We cannot hope to complete our prescribed work within the regular school year if teachers are to be annoyed daily by a large number of tardy pupils or by absences which we know could have been avoided.

Due consideration is always given to good and legitimate excuses but it must be kept in mind that the time lost is gone and that the child is the sole loser. We believe, however, that with a closer home co-operation this attendance defect can be remedied if not entirely eliminated.

SCHOOL BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS

It is a source of great pleasure to note the initial step taken towards improving and repairing the school buildings each year.

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The two rooms remodeled and furnished at the Prescott school and the refinishing of the two rooms and the instalation of a new heater at the North Randolph school are worthy additions to our school plant.

RECOMMENDATIONS

In accordance with the plan of the Committee for some school improvement each year, I am offering the following suggestions for your consideration:

1. Refinishing of two or more rooms at the Prescott School.
2. Sanitation at the Tower Hill School should receive our attention to the end that some improvement be made at that school. Some form of shelter over the front doors would be an added comfort and convenience to pupils and teachers alike.
3. Extensive repairs at the Belcher School would be a waste of public money. However, a better and stronger distribution of electric lights in the classroom is a necessity and would involve but a small expenditure of money. Complete the wire fence on the south side of the play ground.
4. A small annual appropriation for playground equipment.
5. Begin a study of school accommodations in the Belcher district.

RETIREMENT

Miss Ellen P. Henry was retired by the Massachusetts Teachers' Retirement Board, July 1, 1926. Miss Henry's

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long, successful career as a public school teacher has left a deep and lasting influence on our schools. Hundreds of boys and girls who have attended her classes during these years bear witness to this fact.

Teachers who have recently completed or who are now pursuing professional study.

Hubert J. Powderly, Columbia Summer School.

Marshall Leavitt, Boston University Extension.

Margaret Banigan, Harvard Summer School and Boston College.

Evelyn Goodwin, Boston University Extension Courses.

Winifred Brennan, Boston College Extension Courses.

Catherine Black, Harvard Summer and Boston University Courses.

Mary L. Mullen, Boston University Extension Courses.

Hanna F. Hoyer, State Extension Courses.

Margaret L. Donovan, State Extension Courses.

Mrs. Sarah Powderly, State Extension Courses.

Mary R. O'Brien, State Extension Courses.

Anna K. Goode, State Extension Courses.

Mrs. Alice Belcher, State Extension Courses.

Martha Parshley, Fitchburg Normal Summer School.

Grace A. Murphy, Hyannis Summer School.

I am very grateful to you for your business-like support and sound council and to teachers and parents for their co-operation and interest in our schools.

Respectfully submitted,

A. O. CHRISTIANSEN.

Jan. 14, 1927.

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SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1927-28

Elementary Schools, Grades 1 to 8

Open Jan. 3, 1927. Close Feb. 18, 1927. 7 weeks.
Open Feb. 28, 1927. Close April 15, 1927. 7 weeks.
Open April 25, 1927. Close June 17, 1927. 8 weeks.
Summer Vacation
Open Sept. 6, 1927. Close Dec. 23, 1927. 16 weeks.
Christmas Vacation
Open Jan. 3, 1928. Close Feb. 17, 1928. 7 weeks.

High School

Open Jan. 3, 1927. Close Feb. 18, 1927. 7 weeks.
Open Feb. 28, 1927. Close June 24, 1927. 17 weeks.
Summer Vacation
Open Sept. 6, 1927. Close Dec. 23, 1927. 16 weeks.
Christmas Vacation
Open Jan. 3, 1928. Close Feb. 17, 1928. 7 weeks.

Schools will close on the following days:

Good Friday, April 15th; May 30th; Oct. 12th; Thanksgiving Day and Friday, Nov. 24th and 25th.

NO-SCHOOL SIGNALS

Three blows repeated at

7.15 A. M. All schools close.
8.15 A. M. No morning session for the first six grades.
12.30 P. M. No afternoon session for the first six grades.

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HONOR ROLL FOR PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Junior High School

Virginia Bunnell 1	Elizabeth Jones 1
Chester Gardner 1	Eugenia Kasey 2
Anna Ginnetty 1	Annie Saunders 1
Albin Johnson 1	George Young 1

Prescott School

Arthur Anderson 1	Everett Hoeg 2
Arvid Anderson 1	Harry Johnson 1
Wendall Bears 1	Eda Kaspar 2
Harry Beers 1	Catherine Kelley 1
Mildred Bolin 1	Mary Kelliher 1
Clara Boothby 1	Virginia Kelliher 1
Walter Burchell 1	Katharine Lyons 1
Theodore Bussey 1	Robert Madan 1
David Chaplin 1	Gregory Malloy 1
Helen Colivita 1	Stella Mazur 1
Marie Collins 2	Helen McCarty 1
Anna Condon 1	Earl McDonald 2
Edward Connolly 2	Amelia McLean 1
Ernest Crockett 1	John Mellon 1
Eber Crummett 1	Alice Merchant 2
Teresa Ferrara 2	Leonard Merchant 1
David Fitzgerald 1	Arlene Moody 1
Mary Fregean 1	Eleanor Mulvey 1
Francis Gaynor 1	Gerald O'Leary 1
Randolph Gibson 2	Anna Sullivan 1
James Ginity 2	Mary Sullivan 1
Grace Guinnitty 1	Marion Tower 1
Lawrence Haskell 1	Elena Travaglia 1
Edna Hoak 1	Robert Vaughn 2

Belcher School

Thomas Brennan 2	Eustace Driscoll 1
Robert Burns 1	Lloyd French 2
Ida Cameron 1	Josephine Gurnis 1
Wilma Cameron 2	Joseph Harris 1
Louise Carroll 1	Robert Hess 1
Marjorie Churchill 1	Fred Hollis 1
Mildred Condon 1	Paul MacCalder 1
John Dempsey 2	Stephen MacCalder 1
Mary Derocher 1	Emma Mann 1
Esther Devine 1	George Mann 1

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June McDonald 2
John Pace 1
Howard Robbins 1

Hattie Saunders 1
Clara Schultz 1
Gladys Yates 2

North Randolph

Marjorie Bowley 1
Priscilla Bowley 1
George Condon 1
Clinton Dempsey 1

Edna Jope 1
Mable Jope 2
Mable Porter 1

The number following the names indicates one or both school terms.

GRADUATES JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

June 18, 1926

Josiah Baker
John Joseph Baldner
Yvonne Lillian Bossi
Alice Teresa Brennan
Virginia Kent Burrell
Merle Cecelia Carroll
Arthur Henry Corrigan
Ruth Pauline Diauto
Mary Gladys Doyle
Robert George Elliot
Glenda Gertrude Gavin
Anna Elizabeth Ginnetty
Vincent Hayes
Walter Edward Henry
Thomas Joseph Hoyer
Elizabeth Marion Jones
Harold Walter Ledig
Irene Helen McDowell
John Richard Mulvey
Paul Francis Murphy
Francis Raphael Murphy
Agnes Christine Nilsen
Joseph Dennis O'Kane
William Patrick O'Sullivan
Virginia Brown Pierce
Eugene Joseph Pignatelli
Evelyn Louise Purcell

Ruth Carolyn Tower
Phyllis Aikley Wales
George Elmore Young
Ameda Violet Zigler

Eleanor Allouise Atkinson
Ruth Mable Ayers
Sidney Herbert Beck
Audrey Lena Bettie
Arthur Edward Brewster
Robert Lawrence Burchell
Ralph Philip Condlin
Ethel Florence Crayton
Elizabeth Mary Dorothy
Richard Prescott Elms
Elvira Mae Ferraro
Chester Marshall Gardner
Mary Elizabeth Gibson
Albert Douglas Godfrey
Marie Jessie Granger
Eugenia Anna Kasey
Arlene Louise Libby
Edward Patrick McEleney
Ralph Joseph McKenna
Martha Melotta
Gettrude Olive Poore
Alice Marie Powers

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Ethel May Robertson
Annie Katherine Saunders
Dagma Juliana Swanson
Marion Christine Wilbur
Paul Sumner Winch

Roy Charles Jones
Albin Johnson
Mary Katherine Mahoney
Joseph Robert McDermont
Marie Isabelle Murphy
Chester Harvey Nairne
Helen Marie Norman
Ruth Mary Porter
Marion Ethel Rodd
Gilbert Frederick Shaw
Alice Gertrude Stalliday
Grace Elizabeth Taylor
James Joseph Truelson
Arthur Benjamin Zecchini

John Michael Benjamino
Mary Anna Camelio
George Ernest Cochrane
Marie Agnes Crowe
Andrew Diauto
Arthur Paul Franke
George Herbert Foley
Joseph Arthur Frusciente
Mary Clara V. Gray

LIST OF TEACHERS, JAN. 1, 1927

	Position	Educated at	Year App.
A. O. Christiansen	Superintendent	Brown, A.B., Harvard, A.M.	1921

High School

Frederick Chapin	Principal	Dartmouth, A. B.	1898
Hubert Powderly	History	Holy Cross, A. B.	1921
Marshall Leavitt	Latin	Dartmouth, A. B.	1923
Winifred Brennan	Commercial	Burdett	1918
Jane C. Good	Commercial	Burdett	1925
Margarita Glancy	English	C. of New Rochell, A. B.	1926
Margaret Banigan	English	Brown, A. B.	1926
Mariam Hays	Science	Mt. Holyoke, A. B.	1926
Catherine Black	Mathematics	Acadia University, A. B.	1926
Evelyn Goodwin	French	Newcomb C., A. B.	1925

Junior High School

Mrs. Sarah Powderly	English	Bridgewater	1914
Hanna F. Hoye	English and Music	Quincy Tr. School	1888

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	Position	Educated at	Year App.
Martha Parshley	Arithmetic Drawing	Fitchburg	1926
Anna Good	History Geography	Bridgewater	1924
Teresa Carlin	Science, Spelling Geography	Lowell	1926
Helen Kelliher	Arith., History Physical Train.	Hyannis	1926

Prescott School

Mrs. Marie Cormey	Principal Grade 6	Framingham	1925
Elizabeth Condon	Grade 6	Bridgewater	1926
Margaret Donavan	Grade 5	Bridgewater	1924
Grace Murphy	Grade 5	Bridgewater	1926
Mary O'Brien	Grade 4	Bridgewater	1921
Rachael McMahon	Grade 4	Bridgewater	1916
Ellen McLaughlin	Grade 3	Bridgewater	1901
Mary Mullen	Grade 3-2	Simmons	1923
Fannie Campbell	Grade 2	Notre Dame Ac.	1898
Elizabeth Griffin	Grade 1	Bridgewater	1925

Belcher School

Mrs. Walter Burbank	Principal Grade 6	Worcester	1926
Dorothy Carney	Grade 5	Bridgewater	1923
Catherine Riley	Grade 4	Bridgewater	1926
Pauline Goss	Grade 3	Castine, Me.	1926
Clara Tolman	Grade 2	Bridgewater	1888
Grace Gilgan	Grade 1	Bridgewater	1917

North Randolph

Mrs. Florence Caples	Principal Grades 1-2	Bridgewater	1922
Mrs. Ellen McGerigle	Grades 3-4	Bridgewater	1923

Tower Hill

Mrs. Elizabeth Lyons	Principal Grades 1-2-3	Quincy Tr. Sch.	1920
Mrs. Alice Belcher	Grades 4-5-6	Quincy Tr. Sch.	1923

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	Position	Educated at	Year App.
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West Corner

Nettie M. Day	Grades 1-3	Gorham	1925
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Drawing Supervisor

Dorothy Gribbin	All Grades	N. E. Sch. of Design	1926
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Music Supervisor

Rose Hand	All Grades		
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School Nurse

Mrs. Anne Kiley	All Grades	R. N.	1925
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School Physician

George V. Higgins,
M. D.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

The seating capacity of that part of our building assigned to the junior high school is 208. The total number of junior pupils this year has been 227; not all of these pupils have been in the school at any one date, but there has been in attendance at all times a greater number than is taken care of by the normal seating plan. We have placed some of our junior pupils in the drawing room where they do not have the advantage of a home-room teacher. It is probable that a greater number of pupils will be enrolled in the near future. Mr. Morse, Supervisor of secondary education of Mass. advises that the seventh grade be taken from the building and given

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quarters elsewhere. This would involve other problems among which is doing away with the unity of the junior high school.

The total number of pupils enrolled in the senior high school has been 239. The seating capacity of our rooms is 225. We have had an overflow into parts of the building not intended as home rooms. These figures argue a change such as would give the senior school at least one room now used by the pupils of the junior school. It is highly undesirable to crowd a room beyond its normal seating capacity. The large room designed as a study room on the upper floor, north side, namely room 27, is a very poorly adjusted room for recitations. There must nearly always be present some thirty-five pupils who are study pupils while thirty more are reciting in the front part of the room. It is very difficult to see work on the black-board from any point back of the center of the room. The room ought never to have over fifty pupils; It would be desirable to use this room, number 27, as it was intended to be used, namely a study room for high school pupils.

The class of 1927 at present numbers 47 members and is the largest senior class in the history of the school. We were hoping to attain a total of fifty, but will have to leave that ideal for the future.

In the annual report of the Mass. Department of Education for the year ending November, 1926, Randolph is in Group II with 79 towns of 5,000 population or over and ranks 27 in that list on the basis of "Expenditure for School Support from local taxation for the year ending December 31, 1925 per \$1,000.00 valuation. The amount is \$11.37. That is if Randolph's tax rate for that year was \$34 then \$11.37 of this was given to education.

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The town of Dracut ranks first with \$17.67 per pupil per \$1,000. Among these 79 towns Randolph ranks 78 on the basis of the average amount expended per pupil from all sources. That is, if you divide the \$63,476.75 expended by Randolph that year by the net average membership; the quotient is \$57.86 or the figure next to the smallest of the towns in Group II. The town report for that year gives the total amount for schools \$73,110. This total would improve our rating. It is interesting to note that Brockton expends \$80.10 per pupil and \$11.59 per \$1,000 valuation. Brockton ranks 22 in the 39 cities on the \$80 and 3 on the \$11. In the list of 39 cities of Massachusetts the city of Somerville ranks 39 or last, in the average amount per pupil from all sources, and 26 in 39 on the \$1,000 valuation basis; and yet Somerville is among the leaders educationally. These rankings mean very little, or nothing, as related to the efficiency of the schools. They have a certain interest, but are in the main fortuitous.

Mr. Stephen Hart is doing exceptionally good work as truant and attendance officer. From a rather high number of absences and tardinesses we have now reached a very satisfactory basis of attendance. Tardiness is a great handicap to the school, and is a habit detrimental to success in after life. For the most part the home people have co-operated with us in our crusade against tardiness.

The class of 1926 has presented to the school a Mass. flag for the stage in the assembly room. This was a very appropriate and acceptable gift, one which ought to inspire loyalty to the Commonwealth. It balances the U. S. Flag on the left of the stage and puts the assembly

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room in line with other schools which display these two flags in the Assembly Room.

The Massachusetts State Board of Education has published a list of books for high school libraries. The list contains the titles of over 2,500 books, with the names of the publishers and the prices. The books are variously classified as 1. Dictionaries, Encyclopedias, Atlases; 2. General Reference Books; 3. Conduct of Life; 4. Mythology, Folk Lore, Legends; 5. Politics and Government; 6. Immigration; 7. Economics; 8. Labor and Capital; 9. Finance; 10. Vocational Guidance; 11. Commence, Commercial Geography; 12. General Science; 13. Mathematics; 14. Astronomy; 15. Physics; 16. Chemistry; 17. Geology; 18. Home Economics; 19. Agriculture; 20. Home Management. These are a few of the general subjects. The usual rule in regard to the number of volumes needed for a high school library is four volumes for each pupil or for a school of 500 pupils about 2,000 books of reference; for each additional pupil in excess of 500, one volume should be added. It is recommended that the library have a seating capacity for 5% to 10% of the total enrollment of the school. A trained librarian is employed in many schools. In others certain teachers give part of their time; if one teacher could give half of her time to the management of the library; and also act as dean for girls for the other half she would find full employment in a school of 500 pupils.

Certain subjects as History, English, social studies and science must have a well-equipped library at hand to furnish material. The project method of teaching demands a good school library and any form of directed learning must have good reference books. Certain magazines and periodicals ought to be found in the school

library. Familiarity with such leading periodicals is essential if our boys and girls are to be ready to meet the problems of life. Our books were badly damaged by the fire of 1924. The insurance was \$900 of which \$540 or 60% was paid to the town, since the insurance adjustor allowed a total loss. By very careful drying many of the books were saved in a badly damaged condition, and at present constitute our school library. Mr. Frank Morse, Supervisor of Secondary Education in Massachusetts, has advised that more books are needed in our reference room.

The more progressive high schools of the state are requiring those pupils who fit for college to take a five year course. Requirements for admission to college are constantly being raised, and it is practically impossible for a public high school to prepare the average boy or girl in four years. The blanks issued by the colleges for a summary of the school ranks have provision for five years. Now if five years is coming to be recognized as necessary for college preparation, how are the four-year smaller high schools to continue to send their graduates to college either on certificate or by examinations? The principal of a Massachusetts high school recently told me that his school committee insisted that their high school could prepare pupils for college in four years and that there was something wrong if a pupil failed to meet the entrance requirements. This principal said that the college entrance requirements were such at present that he could not guarantee preparation in four years. Stetson High School ought to have five years for college preparation. We sent two graduates of the class of 1926 to Boston University and eleven to Normal Schools. This is a very fair showing.

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A vacuum pump made by the Young Company of Michigan City, Indiana, was installed during the Christmas vacation. Since this change was made there has been no trouble with the heating. The basic idea of the pump is to draw the cold water from the pipes so that hot water may replace it. At a much lower steam pressure and with much less coal the building is heated so well that in most of the rooms the heat has to be turned off daily.

Some of our needs may be stated as follow:

Program Bells which will ring so that the signals for passing may be rung automatically by the master clock in the school office.

A curtain to darken the assembly room when it is desired to throw pictures on the screen.

A curtain for the assembly room stage.

Room telephones connected with the school office.

Relocation of the tennis courts.

The principal of a junior and senior high school finds an immense amount of administrative detail awaiting him each day; no matter how efficient and conscientious teachers may be, no matter how well the daily program is laid out, he is sure to find that his time is all too short to meet the demands made upon it. The introduction of room telephones would save much time; a teacher who could give part time to office work would help solve the problem. Each day brings from one to ten talks with people who represent among other things book-publishing houses or firms which have school supplies; there are many telephone calls; many cases of petty infraction of school discipline; many sets of ranks to be made out for

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graduates and former pupils. It has been claimed that all this office work can be done by older pupils; some of it may be so done and is now done by our pupils; beyond a certain point, however, the principal or some teacher must attend to these matters.

The teachers of the school have been especially faithful during the past year. The junior high school teachers have worked hard to adapt the school to the new conditions; the work of our teachers has been of a very high order in point of efficiency. The discipline in the rooms has been surprisingly good, the quality of instruction excellent. We made out a blue print program for both schools in April 1926. The senior program has continued in use with very little change, partly because the number of teachers remains constant. The program of the junior school has been revised four times, and has been blue-printed each time.

It appears that a considerable proportion of the pupils in the seventh grade find the work too difficult. These pupils ought not to have been promoted, or, if promoted and found deficient, they ought for their own best interests, to be sent back to the sixth grade where they might have a better chance to do the work.

The plan of giving one teacher charge of the physical education of the pupils with frequent periods when pupils are brought together for outdoor exercises is in line with the best educational ideas. Miss Kelleher has made a success of this work; It would be worth while to have a man-teacher take charge of the boys in a similar way. This is the only good solution of the problem; the regular teachers can do a certain amount of coaching and gymnastic leadership, but there must be a man who

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makes it his special duty to look after the boys in the games and exercises.

Our lunch room has been a success financially and in the quality of service. Mrs. Connors and her assistant, Mrs. O'Gorman, deserve the highest commendation. We have had a total expense weekly of about 110 dollars, of which five is sent to the lunch counter at the Prescott School. A small surplus has accumulated and at the present time is a little over 50 dollars. The food is sold for \$.05 per serve, a very low figure; many of the pupils bring their lunch which is eaten in the lunch room. Total receipts from March 1926 to June 1926 were \$1,900.

New up-to-date locks should be put on all the doors in the old parts of the building, because these old locks are so worn that they cannot be operated satisfactorily. The principal of the school has visited locksmiths in Brockton and Boston fifteen times in an attempt to put the locks into condition for service. As yet, the locks are not giving satisfaction.

We have as many kinds of time as there are clocks. The building ought to be wired again for the clocks even if outside wiring is necessary.

FREDERICK E. CHAPIN.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,
Superintendent of Schools.

Dear Sir:

Annual report of school from February 1 to December 31, 1926:

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All pupils weighed and measured.

Pupils 10% or more underweight	91
Pupils examined at clinic (State Doctors)	66
Pupils who had Von Pirquet test	66
Pupils who reacted to Von Pirquet test	25
Pupils X-rayed	25
Pupils sent to Braintree Highlands camp	2
Pupils sent to Foxboro	1
Pupils sent home with Impetigo	15
Pupils sent home with Pediculosis	90
Home visits	250
Pupils sent to Dr. Higgins' Office	40

The generosity of our townspeople in buying the Christmas seals and help from the Red Cross enables us to send some of our boys and girls to summer camp.

All our boys and girls are very much interested in health work. They have made books, diaries, and posters, and some of the teachers have had health plays which were very instructive.

It is my pleasure at this time to thank Dr. Higgins, the Ladies' Library Association, for the use of their rooms for our clinic, all the organizations in town who helped toward our Milk Fund, the parents, pupils, and all our teachers for their co-operation and interest in health work.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNE L. KILEY, R. N.,
School Nurse.

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REPORT OF THE DRAWING SUPERVISOR

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,
Superintendent of Schools.

My dear Mr. Christiansen:

I herewith submit my report of the drawing work in the schools of Randolph.

The drawing is progressing satisfactorily in all the grades and in the High School.

The grade schools are visited, and an outline issued, every two weeks. The problems include free hand cutting, illustrative drawing, representation, and color.

Drawing in the High School is elective and divided into two kinds: freehand and mechanical. In freehand, considering the fact that the individual spends but one or two periods a week in class work, the course of study is arranged to broaden students in as many branches of design as possible. The problem consists of a thorough knowledge of composition, textile and wall-paper design, poster work, interior decoration, and harmony in color. In mechanical drawing, the outline includes the making and reading of any simple mechanical problem such as the working drawing of a bookrack or table.

The cordial co-operation of the Superintendent and the teachers, in carrying out the drawing outline, is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY A. GRIBBEN,

Supervisor of Drawing.

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REPORT OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,
Superintendent of Schools,
Randolph, Mass.

Dear Sir:

Music in the schools is progressing very favorably. The children and teachers taking a keen interest in the work.

The creation of Harmonica Classes in many of the schools in our large cities and towns has proven a great success along the lines of training the children in concerted instrumental work. Harmonica bands have been organized and have produced music of wonderful tone quality. Therefore, after a conference with the teachers in the class rooms where the children were found eligible for such work, we decided to form Harmonica classes in the fifth and sixth grades of the Prescott and Belcher schools.

We find that the children have done fairly well considering the short space of time given that line of work, and only hope that with the co-operation of the parents we may be able to accomplish the work we have started in a creditable manner.

Respectfully submitted,

ROSE G. HAND,
Supervisor of Music.

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REPORT OF THE Highway Surveyor

To the Citizens of Randolph:

I herewith present my report for 1926.

Owing to the extremely hard winter and the late spring, work was late in being started.

We commenced on the usual spring repairs which are necessary each year.

Having completed these repairs, new work was begun in June on Howard Street, where for a distance of one thousand feet the Street was turned over and re-built into a water bound road. Four hundred and eighty-four feet of drain pipe were laid, and five catch basins were installed in this street.

Wales Avenue and Cross Street jointly were re-built, also Mill Street for a distance of two thousand feet and Lafayette Street for a distance of twelve hundred feet.

We were fortunate in securing a contribution of \$2,500. from the State and \$2,500. from the County for rebuilding Canton Street, these amounts were added to the \$2,500. appropriated by the Town. Work on this street has progressed under the supervision of the State officials.

During the year a gasoline roller was purchased at a cost of \$5,000. which has proved very effective.

I wish to thank the citizens for the co-operation they have given and the assistance they have rendered when called upon.

JAMES LYNCH.

Report of the Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor

To the Citizens of Randolph:

Your Selectmen in submitting their annual report for the year 1926 congratulate the Town on having enjoyed another year of competent police protection. For details of what has been done we respectfully refer to the Report of the Police Department. To increase the efficiency of this department we suggest the purchase of a side-car for the police motor-cycle for use in winter, not to mention also the desirability of purchasing a Ford car for the transportation of prisoners at all seasons.

Had the Town voted affirmatively, at the 1926 annual town meeting, on article 34 asking for a reserve fund, the overdrafts would have been properly taken care of. This proposal was voted down, but the Commonwealth now demands the creation of such a fund.

In obedience to a vote* of the Town, the Commonwealth was petitioned to install its accounting system. This required first of all a State audit. Accordingly the State examiners have been going over the Town's books since November and we understand that the State system will require another by-law, another town official (bookkeeper or Town Accountant) to be appointed

*On March 5, 1923, the Town voted affirmatively on the question, submitted on the ballot, "Shall the Town petition for the installation of an accounting system by the Commonwealth."

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by the Selectmen, a Reserve Fund, a Finance Committee to administer the fund, changes in the warrants for annual town meetings and a different routine for the payment of bills. This system will automatically prevent overdrafts on appropriations.

The Town Farm has been unfortunate this year in losing some of its crops and livestock, so has not made as good a showing as usual. We believe, that money could be saved by dispensing with all the animals there and purchasing milk and the use of a team as needed.

During the course of the year 17 persons were cared for at the Almshouse, of whom four persons paid for their board, leaving 13 persons supported by the Town, a total of 500 1-7 weeks.

RICHARD F. FORREST,

ERSKINE H. COX,

JAMES H. HURLEY,

Board of Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor.

Report of the Board of Health

The following cases of contagious disease were reported to this Board during the year:

Chicken Pox	14
Diphtheria	1
German Measles	1
Influenza (with 1 death)	2
Lobar Pneumonia (with 4 deaths)	5
Measles	34
Pulmonary Tuberculosis (with 4 deaths)...	7
Scarlet Fever	21
Venereal Disease	2
Whooping Cough	3

In compliance with the vote of the Town to clean up such rubbish dumps on the watershed of Great Pond as constituted a menace to the water, the Board of Health procured expert advice from the State Department of Public Health and removed the dumps to the satisfaction of the Department.

In the spring a clinic for underweight children, applied for by the Board of Health, was held here by physicians and social workers from the State Department of Public Health. As a preliminary, the School Nurse* had weighed all the children and those that were 10% or more underweight were examined at the clinic. These were all tested with tuberculin and those that reacted were

*See Report of the School Nurse.

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X-rayed also. A number of children, classed as "suspicious cases," were given preventive treatment during the summer in open-air camps. All this was done without cost to the Town: the Ladies' Library Association giving the use of their rooms and equipment for the clinic, which was conducted at the Commonwealth's expense, and the charge for the board of three children was met in the cases of two boys from proceeds of the sale of Christmas Health Seals and in the case of one girl by the Randolph Chapter, American Red Cross. The success of the clinic was largely dependent on the interest and ability of the School Nurse, who was energetic in promoting it.

This is most valuable in the prevention of tuberculosis, as cases are discovered before the disease has made appreciable headway, so that they are comparatively easily cured. Recognizing this, the Board of Health has arranged to have the clinics continued.

RICHARD F. FORREST,

ERSKINE^e H. COX,

JAMES H. HURLEY,

Board of Health.

ALMSHOUSE

Randolph Coal Co., fuel	\$367.30
J. C. Keith, supplies	8.00

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Edwin C. Soule, supplies	47.80
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	61.09
Randolph & Holbrook Pr. & Elec. Co.	128.73
Mrs. Bridget O'Brien, labor	318.00
Brockton Gas Light Co., supplies	70.46
M. W. Brown, pigs	16.00
Est. F. W. Harris	10.80
Frank Diauto, grain	447.63
White & Hill, supplies	9.08
James T. Flannelly, supplies	211.51
M. M. Sullivan, salary	1,000.00
Chas. H. Truelson	5.00
Union Market	130.75
Fuller Brush Co.	2.75
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	68.80
M. J. McKenna, fish	51.40
Wm. Filene & Sons Co.	26.80
C. H. Saunders, supplies	82.88
Fred McAuliffe, supplies	40.16
Royal Shoe Co., supplies	4.20
W. M. Howard, fish	53.16
Gilchrist Co., supplies	44.09
F. W. Hayden & Co.	164.21
G. H. Eddy, supplies	159.23
Jos. Breck & Sons	103.03
Edison Elec. Illuminating Co.	268.00
John H. Wrenn, (auto to hospital)	46.85
Earle Crockett	16.50
R. J. McAuliffe	190.23
H. N. Smith, supplies	71.69
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	3.12
Rodgers & Hubbard Co.	24.85
Robt. T. McAuliffe	5.00
The Great A. & P. Co.	6.70

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H. A. Poole	1.00	
Thos. Whitty, supplies	86.19	
Warren Pharmacy, Inc.	.60	
Proctor & Gamble Co.	22.29	
C. E. Beal	5.75	
Raymond McGerrigle, use of auto	12.00	
Commonwealth of Mass., State Prison	37.50	
American Ry. Express Co.	.65	
Albert Hawes	3.00	
Harold J. McAuliffe, supplies	112.61	
Atwood Paper Co.	10.78	
Randolph Hardware Co.	39.76	
Daniel P. Lyons, fowl	20.00	
B. F. Hayden, supplies	1.00	
Talmage Morrow	49.95	
E. C. Young Co.	1.20	
R. E. O'Brien	45.47	
M. E. Leahy, fuel	253.51	
H. N. Smith, Dentist	2.00	
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Unexpended		28.94
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		\$5,000.00
Appropriation		5,000.00

ASSESSORS

A. L. Burdakin, abstracts	\$187.90
Wright & Potter, supplies	2.50
Wakefield Item Co., supplies	1.50
James E. Foley, expense	9.00
James H. Hurley, expense	23.35

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Assessors' Auto Tax, service	5.00	
Assessors' Expense, H. V. Morgan	39.00	
Florence T. Staples, abstracts	12.50	
American Ry. Express Co.	.36	
W. L. Hickey, supplies	26.00	
B. & P. Transportation Co.	1.50	
Becker & Co.	2.50	
Thorpe & Martin, supplies	2.00	
Hobbs & Warren, supplies	16.39	
	<hr/>	\$329.50
Appropriation	\$300.00	
Overdrawn	29.50	
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BOARD OF HEALTH

Arthur Clark, burial of dog	\$1.00
Moses F. Mann, burial of dog	1.00
Wm. J. Hogan, burial of dog	20.00
Frederic C. Cobb, County Treasurer	1,111.34
Earle Crockett and man, clean up days	28.20
Percy H. Thompson, clean up days	14.40
Geo. Washington, clean up days	12.00
Edgar Washington and truck, clean up days	39.56
John Tolaca, clean up days	13.80
H. F. Rodenhizer, clean up days	33.60
Martin Nugent, clean up days	13.80
Philip Wuschke, burial of animal	1.00
Walter F. Stevens, legal advice	10.00
F. Burt Jaquith, advertising	5.10

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Walter Swanson, burial of animal	1.00
William F. Whitecross, burial of animal	1.00
Allen Holgren, burial of animal	1.00
Allen Bros., stencil and brush	5.50
G. D. Finnegan, advertising	5.50
Frank Diauto, supplies	1.08
P. J. Whalen, cleaning dump	22.10
Lloyd French, burial of dog	1.00
James Milligan, cleaning dump	150.00
R. F. Forrest, salary	20.00
Warren Powers, burial of dog	1.00
Thos. J. Hoye, burial of dog	1.00
American Ry. Express Co.	.40
G. E. Bolling	18.00
E. H. Cox, salary	20.00*
James H. Hurley, salary	20.00
Earle Crockett, cleaning cess pool	14.00
Case No. 1:	
Norfolk County Hospital Board	434.20
Case No. 2:	
Norfolk County Hospital	107.90
Case No. 3:	
Norfolk County Hospital	48.10
Case No. 4:	
Brockton Hospital	56.00
Case No. 5:	
Westfield State Sanatorium	184.30
Case No. 6:	
Norfolk County Hospital	3.90
Case No. 7:	
Brockton Hospital	88.00
Case No. 8:	
Warren Pharmacy, Inc.	108.55

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Case No. 9:		
Mass. Homeopathic Hospital	30.00	
Case No. 10:		
Brockton Hospital	7.50	
Case No. 11. To be reimbursed:		
Paid Norfolk County Hospital	143.00	
Case No. 12:		
Warren Pharmacy, Inc.	3.90	
	<hr/>	\$2,802.73
Appropriation	\$2,500.00	
To be reimbursed	143.00	
Overdrawn	159.73	
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*Reimbursement acct. purchase street signs.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS

John A. Wrenn, returning deaths	\$3.25	
E. L. Paine, canvassing births	30.00	
John B. McNeill	229.00	
Cartwright & Hurley	12.25	
W. L. Hickey, printing	6.50	
G. V. Higgins, M. D., returning births	3.75	
A. W. Myrick, M. D., returning births	9.50	
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	\$294.25	
Unexpended	30.75	
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Appropriation		\$325.00

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CARE OF CLOCK

First Cong. Parish	\$20.00
Appropriation	\$20.00

CHAPTER 118 OR MOTHERS' AID

Case No. 1:		
Cash paid	\$410.00	
Case No. 2:		
Overseer of Public Welfare, Boston	262.80	
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	\$672.80	
To be reappropriated	310.13	
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		\$982.93
Reappropriation		\$982.93

DECORATION OF SOLDIERS' GRAVES

Post 110, G. A. R., Capt. Horace Niles

Capt. Horace Niles Post 110, G. A. R.	\$225.00
Appropriation	\$225.00

ELECTION EXPENSE

Brockton Enterprise, advertising	\$8.53
F. Burt Jaquith, advertising	11.05
Pay Roll, Election Officers	190.00

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Ellen A. Farrell, dinners	44.50	
Com. of Mass., supplies	15.00	
Wm. Toomey, labor	18.00	
W. L. Hickey, printing	199.00	
Timothy Kelliher	88.00	
H. W. Bailey, printing warrant	18.00	
Patrick McDermott	1.00	
Chas. H. Patten, Town reports	15.00	
Gertrude H. Meaney	.60	
Edmund R. Flaherty	5.00	
Olga C. Howard	5.00	
Manuel and James Nugent	9.10	
John G. Bauld, printing	60.00	
Randolph Lunch	16.00	
Nicholas Moore	16.00	
Harry Damon, election officer	5.00	
Mrs. Annie Pellissier, dinner	31.50	
Una C. Belcher, election officer	5.00	
John B. Duff, election officer	5.00	
E. H. Cox, election officer	10.00	
Pay of election officers	205.00	
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	\$981.28	
Unexpended	18.72	
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		\$1,000.00
Appropriation		\$1,000.00

FIRE ALARM SIGNAL BOXES

Wetmore-Savage Elec. Co.	\$132.58	
Unexpended	117.42	
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		\$250.00
Appropriation		\$250.00

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FIRE DEPARTMENT

H. L. Bailey, salary	\$1,800.24
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	34.34
Randolph & Holbrook Pr. & Elec. Co.	98.12
Randolph Garage Co.	82.28
H. A. Poole, supplies	74.85
F. W. Hayden & Co., supplies	75.52
Talmage Morrow, supplies	3.50
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.	61.54
R. E. O'Brien, labor and supplies	13.16
R. W. LeBaron	24.00
Arthur Aldrich	30.00
Chas. Stephens	4.00
Harry Dolan	78.17
Robert Stephens	11.00
Edward Moore	27.50
Roy A. Drysdale	3.00
P. McDermott	63.00
J. R. Luddington	1.00
J. T. Welch	4.00
J. M. Hardy	430.16
Henry Smith	8.00
Francis Keith	25.50
Geo. C. Mellon	3.50
Robert Torrance	69.32
W. F. Keith	120.14
James J. Tierney	2.50
Arthur Kendall	4.00
Thos. H. Good	47.08
Maxim Motor Co.	45.00
Frank Diauti	306.80
J. F. Welch and Albert Godfrey	4.00

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Roy Pepper	83.07
E. J. Brady	84.97
Frank E. Faunce	141.00
Sager Elec. Co.	50.57
Pay Roll	532.00
Elmer Scott	28.46
Hallamore's Express	.50
Est. F. W. Harris	10.80
Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co.	232.75
H. W. Macauley	64.30
Edw. L. Hurley Co.	3.00
The Gamewell Co.	41.07
Wm. A. O'Connell	7.00
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.	.50
R. M. Hollingshead Co.	5.00
Porter's Pharmacy	.25
Frank H. Gaffney	7.25
Russell Tweed	28.36
Brockton Gas Light Co.	32.81
Ralph Cartwright	289.41
American Ry. Express	1.42
Russell Leavitt	30.00
Foamite-Childs Corp.	33.39
Frank Ridlon Co.	28.37
Augustus C. Gillis	50.00
F. J. Curran, supplies	.50
Edw. Pellisier	59.67
Edwin C. Soule, fuel	16.00
Edward Tierney	45.47
Arthur Lyons	54.67
W. Stanley Atherton	52.87
D. J. Good, Jr.	30.67
Ray Elliott	32.21
John J. Condon, Engineer	55.80

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M. E. Young, Engineer	55.80	
Benj. J. Mann	29.80	
Douglas F. Wilbur, snow work	10.50	
(Est.) James Riley, rent of land	15.00	
Louis W. Bills, supplies	75.00	
Russell Leavitt	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,878.48
Appropriation	\$5,775.00	
Overdrawn	103.48	
	<hr/>	\$5,878.48

FOREST FIRE DEPARTMENT

John J. Condon	\$22.50
W. F. Keith	10.50
Edw. Pelissier	15.00
Roy Pepper	12.00
Robt. Torrance	8.00
Russell Leavitt	4.50
E. Moore	20.50
Harry Dolan	22.50
A. Aldrich	13.00
D. Wilber	4.50
Wm. Condon	4.50
H. L. Macaulley	6.50
Thos. Condon	2.00
Chas. Stephens	8.50
M. F. Pelissier	8.00
James Tierney	1.50
Arthur Lyons	5.00
T. F. Lyons	.50

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J. Conley	2.00
E. Scannell	5.00
Ralph Cartwright	4.00
T. De Angelish	1.00
P. De Angelish	1.00
M. Sullivan	.50
J. Clark	.50
D. Coyle	1.00
Elmer Vaughn	.50
J. Gill	.50
E. J. Brady	13.00
J. M. Hardy	7.55
Capen & Lane Co.	46.55
Fyr-Fyter Co.	40.40
Edw. Southwick	3.50
J. T. Moore	5.00
Wm. Dolan	3.50
J. R. Luddington	4.00
D. Scott	3.50
D. Cass	3.50
Earle Crockett	2.00
C. Truelson	4.00
M. Dupras	2.50
J. Gibson	2.50
L. Gibson	3.00
Leo Patten	2.00
C. Bennett	3.00
H. Tucker	1.50
R. Bradley	2.00
H. Knight	3.00
J. Boyle	2.50
A. Clark	3.50
C. Bell	1.00
N. Numford	2.00

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F. W. Keith	5.00	
A. Rolph	2.00	
D. Murphy	1.00	
J. Coyle	2.50	
Wm. O'Connell	1.00	
E. Jacobson	1.00	
Joe Catone	6.00	
E. Serello	2.00	
Joe Fruscent	1.50	
Al. Webber	1.00	
A. Webber	1.00	
R. Webber	1.00	
R. Boutin	1.00	
M. F. Sullivan	1.00	
L. McGrath	1.00	
D. Childs	1.00	
A. Godfrey	1.00	
J. Truelson	4.00	
John Dolan	4.50	
Pay Roll	68.50	
Atherton Motor Co.	94.13	
F. W. Hayden & Co.	2.50	
Randolph Garage Co.	16.60	
H. A. Poole	10.45	
Pay Roll	50.00	
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	\$631.18	
Unexpended	168.82	
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Appropriation		\$800.00
		\$800.00

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

APPROPRIATION FOR FOREST FIRE LOOK OUT

Com. of Mass., State Forester	\$200.00
To Re-appropriation	\$200.00

GYPSY MOTH DEPARTMENT

John J. Moore, labor	\$8.00	
John T. Moore, labor and use of truck	397.50	
Edw. Southwick	222.80	
Frost Insecticide Co.	15.00	
Chas. Heney	141.60	
Acme Rubber Mfg. Co.	32.34	
(Est.) F. W. Harris	3.22	
Fitzhenry-Guptill Co.	1.90	
Alfred Pepper	10.34	
George W. Bailey	48.00	
Jenney Mfg. Co.	3.50	
Harold Clark	75.00	
Wm. Carroll	4.00	
Cartwright & Hurley, supplies	14.95	
H. W. Beal, supplies	12.50	
Talmage Morrow	4.00	
F. E. Faunce	6.00	
G. D. Finnegan, advertising	6.75	
F. Burt Jaquith, advertising	6.75	
	<hr/>	\$1,014.15
Appropriation	\$1,000.00	
Overdrawn	14.15	
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HIGHWAYS GENERAL

James Lynch, Reg. of truck	\$2.00
James Tierney	541.62
John E. Clark	100.20
M. F. Sullivan	454.00
Almshouse, use of horse	44.00
Wm. Sargent and man	4.95
James Milligan and team	65.40
Ralph Hurlburt	4.75
Walter F. Keith	19.00
Patrick Ryan	107.80
Martin Nugent	4.40
John Wales and team	3.60
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	42.09
E. J. Brady	340.45
Wm. Mahady	491.00
Chas. Patten and team	461.55
Grossman Bldg. Supply Co.	15.60
American Oil Products Co.	333.48
The Barrett Co.	1,512.30
Chas. J. McCarthy Co., supplies	316.36
The Berger Mfg. Co.	10.59
William Dean	213.40
Geo. Sawyer	116.80
Frank Reilly and team	90.00
American Ry. Express Co.	.59
Frank Sullivan	96.00
Geo. Nunes	86.40
Frank Diauto	9.20
Nelson Bros.	303.00
Knight Filling Station	5.75
Randolph & Holbrook Pr. & Elec. Co.	3.00

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Randolph Garage Co.	23.00
The White Lunch	1.10
J. Pettengill	4.80
Wm. Dolhenty	4.80
Porter's Pharmacy	.75
Atherton Motor Co.	12.68
Geo. Chisholm	2.40
Edgar Washington and truck	546.35
H. A. Poole, supplies	188.46
Powers Bros.	49.76
Robert Torrance	15.00
Henry Powderly	266.40
John Doyle, use of truck	108.00
M. B. Elliott	3.45
Edw. J. Megley	11.00
M. F. Brady, gravel	5.75
(Estate) of F. W. Harris	14.50
Joseph Catone	40.62
Patrick Whalen	34.20
R. W. Elliott	100.50
Puritan Iron Works	9.80
William Sheridan	123.40
James Dickey	130.80
Good Motor Sales and Service	17.61
S. Nelson	4.40
Chas. Heney	42.00
Arthur Collette	2.50
James Dunphy	56.40
Earle Crockett	17.75
R. A. Yates, gravel	13.50
Independent Coal Tar Co.	130.00
J. Frederickson	77.00
A. Aldrich	4.80
Chester Wallace, labor	62.50

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J. Moore, labor	205.14	
Thos. McGrath, labor	7.20	
Jenney Mfg. Co., supplies	2.15	
Jeremiah Foley	19.20	
Robert Ayres and team	56.00	
H. Jones	24.00	
C. Keith	1.20	
Richard Keith	93.60	
Elbridge Jones	8.50	
Edwin C. Soule	2.00	
F. W. Cary	28.96	
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	4.63	
Chas. Anderson	26.40	
Buffalo-Springfield Roller Co.	2.94	
Payne's Garage	7.35	
Arthur Dee, labor	2.50	
Frank C. Walsh, supplies	9.39	
G. V. Higgins, M. D.	24.50	
Paine Bros., gravel	12.75	
Talmage Morrow	65.30	
John P. McCarthy	25.00	
R. E. O'Brien	36.22	
F. W. Hayden & Co.	19.03	
Geo. Gillard, labor	2.40	
	<hr/>	\$8,611.62
Appropriation	\$8,600.00	
Overdrawn	11.62	
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CANTON STREET

Norfolk County Commissioners'	
Petition	\$3.00

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

The Globe Newspaper Co.	13.20	
The Canton Mirror	2.50	
Geo. W. Prescott, advertising	5.00	
New England Road Builders' Ass.	12.10	
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	\$35.80	
To be Re-appropriated	5,264.20	
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		\$5,300.00
Appropriation	\$2,500.00	
Received from State	1,400.00	
Received from County	1,400.00	
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		\$5,300.00

HOWARD STREET

M. F. Sullivan, labor	\$31.20
Wm. Sheridan, labor	82.80
Frank Sullivan, labor	54.00
Richard Keith	48.00
Geo. Sawyer	57.60
Patrick Ryan	97.20
Joseph Stevens	9.60
Wm. Mahady	92.40
Wm. Dean	27.60
Joe Stevenson	26.40
Frank Zecchini	81.60
James Milligan and team	28.80
John T. Wales	31.20
Percy H. Thompson	22.80
Martin Nugent	76.80
James Tierney	60.45
Henry Powderly	57.60

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Ray Elliott	99.00	
Frank Diauto	204.00	
Percy C. Peckman	35.00	
D. Doyle Perry, gravel	11.75	
John Frederickson and truck	91.00	
Valtine Sass	27.50	
E. J. Brady	7.20	
H. A. Poole, supplies	20.24	
Dyer Sales and Machinery Co., supplies	79.00	
Nelson Bros., supplies	138.00	
Berger Mfg. Co., supplies	36.14	
The Barrett Co., supplies	268.80	
L. Grossman & Sons, supplies	42.00	
(Estate) F. W. Harris	4.45	
John Doyle, use of truck	49.50	
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	\$1,999.63	
Unexpended	.37	
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Appropriation		\$2,000.00
		\$2,000.00

MILL STREET

E. J. Brady, labor	\$108.50
James Tierney, labor	74.80
Henry Powderly, labor	69.60
William Mahady, labor	72.00
Chas. Patten and truck	123.60
Wm. Sheridan, labor	21.60
Chester Wallace, labor	41.25

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Richard Keith, labor	102.00	
J. Moore, labor and truck	60.87	
John Doyle, truck	45.00	
Patrick Ryan, labor	21.60	
Frank Cullen, labor	46.20	
Edgar Washington and truck	22.50	
J. Frederickson and truck	54.00	
Alfred Clark, labor	15.00	
C. Keith	3.75	
Walter Keith	30.00	
James Dunphy	31.20	
Louis Courtney, truck	56.25	
H. A. Poole, supplies	59.44	
Albert Clark, labor	15.00	
M. F. Sullivan, labor	67.80	
Powers Bros., supplies	8.35	
Nelson Bros.	99.00	
Randolph Garage	1.25	
The Barrett Co.	296.80	
Brockton Gas Light Co.	7.00	
Charles McCarthy	4.80	
Chas. P. Hanson, gravel	26.50	
Ralph Hurlburt, gravel	4.00	
Atherton Motor Co.	5.16	
James Gogan, gravel	20.75	
Paine Bros., gravel	43.75	
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	\$1,659.32	
Unexpended	340.68	
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		\$2,000.00
Appropriation		\$2,000.00

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WALES AVE.; CROSS ST.; AND GROVE ST.

James Tierney	\$59.50	
Henry Powderly	40.80	
Percy H. Thompson	4.80	
Ray Elliott	49.00	
M. F. Sullivan	2.40	
James Dickey	2.40	
Edgar Washington and truck	7.00	
H. A. Poole, supplies	25.50	
Highway Products Co.	100.00	
E. J. Brady	61.00	
Chas. Patten and truck	62.10	
Martin Nugent, labor	24.00	
Chester Wallace, labor	22.50	
J. Moore, labor	17.50	
J. Frederickson and truck	42.00	
James Dunphy, labor	14.40	
Thos. McGrath, labor	24.00	
Patrick Ryan, labor	9.60	
Wm. Mahady, labor	9.60	
Independent Coal Tar Co.	90.00	
The Barrett Co.	291.20	
John Doyle, truck	27.00	
Nelson Bros.	27.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,013.30
Appropriation	\$1,000.00	
Overdrawn	13.30	
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LAFAYETTE STREET

E. J. Brady, labor	\$70.00
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Henry Powderly, labor	45.60	
Walter Keith, labor	46.40	
J. Moore and truck	119.00	
James Tierney, labor	35.00	
Wm. Mahady, labor	28.80	
Jeremiah Foley, labor	28.80	
Louis Courtney and truck	40.50	
Knight Filling Station	1.15	
William F. Sheridan, labor	14.40	
The Barrett Co.	291.20	
Nelson Bros.	63.00	
Powers Bros.	23.91	
Paine Bros., gravel	40.25	
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	\$848.01	
Unexpended	151.99	
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Appropriation		\$1,000.00
		\$1,000.00

REMOVAL OF SNOW

Knight Filling Station, gas	\$2.00
E. J. Brady, labor	32.00
John E. Clark, labor	31.00
James Milligan, labor	69.50
Wm. Sargent and man	17.25
John T. Wales	14.00
Earle Crockett	202.95
James Tierney	34.00
Almshouse, use of horse	4.50
Atherton Motor Co.	889.12
Chas. H. Patten	70.20

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Jenney Mfg. Co., gas	22.06
M. F. Sullivan	31.00
Robert Ayres	19.00
Robert J. Knight	2.00
John Cedarholm	1.00
M. B. Elliott	1.60
A. Crocker & Son, supplies	84.07
Lincoln Stetson	339.50
James O'Connor	10.50
Wm. Pentleton	2.00
Geo. Milligan	2.50
American Ry. Express	.94
Pay Roll No. 1	175.50
Pay Roll No. 2	219.00
Pay Roll No. 3	194.00
Pay Roll No. 4	189.00
Pay Roll No. 5	411.00
Pay Roll No. 6	178.00
Pay Roll No. 7	295.50
Pay Roll No. 8	361.75
Pay Roll No. 9	103.25
Pay Roll No. 10	443.00
John F. Toomey	4.90
Pay Roll No. 11	263.00
Pay Roll No. 12	479.00
Pay Roll No. 13	342.50
Pay Roll No. 14	57.25
Pay Roll No. 15	326.00
Pay Roll No. 16	331.02
Pay Roll No. 17	21.00
Pay Roll No. 18	279.00
Philip Olins and Wm. Pentleton	12.00
Ezekiel Sargent	127.23
H. A. Poole, supplies	7.00

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Randolph Garage Co.	1.25
E. C. Young Co.	84.00
Frank Follis	26.00
A. C. Bumpus	10.00
Joseph J. Deuch	12.50
Wm. Barry	2.50
Frank C. Wales	3.00
H. F. Rodenhizer	7.50
Thos. Brady	7.50
Frank Manley	7.50
Geo. H. Chisholm	10.25
C. L. Holmes	8.00
C. Ester Soule	7.75
Waldo E. Niles	5.50
Highway Products Co.	15.00
Four Wheel Drive Auto Co.	61.38
Good Motor Sales	381.95
Elwood F. Lord, labor	8.00
Highway Dept.	40.00
W. L. Mann	6.00
Warren E. Mann	5.00
Dewey Stoltz	2.50
Gordon Stoltz	2.50
Removal of Plow	15.00
Earle Harris, labor	6.00
P. J. Foley, Supplies	3.15
Pay Roll No. 19	154.50
Joseph Catone	28.60
Thos. H. Good	6.00
Arthur Aldrich	6.30
Talmage Morrow	108.05
Joseph Brewster	2.73

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Pay Roll	126.95	
Robert Ayres and Robert Franke	32.60	
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		\$7,908.05
Appropriation	\$7,000.00	
Overdrawn	908.05	
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		\$7,908.05

INTEREST AND DISCOUNT

Com. of Mass.	\$690.50	
Randolph Savings Bank	891.03	
The First National Bank of Boston	5,116.05	
The Shawmut Corp. of Boston	2,208.66	
Revere Savings Bank	90.00	
Westboro Savings Bank	300.00	
Randolph Trust Co.	115.00	
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		\$9,411.24
Appropriation	\$7,750.00	
Overdrawn	1,661.24	
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		\$9,411.24

INSURANCE WORK, COMPENSATION AND FIRE

Joseph T. Leahy	\$1,452.33	
H. W. French	1,860.36	
F. W. Vye	64.10	
Harry C. Isaac, agent	52.27	
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	\$3,429.06	
Unexpended	139.68	
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		\$3,568.74

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Appropriation	\$2,700.00	
Re-appropriation	868.74	
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INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

Frank C. Wales	\$150.00	
James H. Hurley	25.00	
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Appropriation	\$150.00	
Overdrawn	25.00	
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INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Harry W. Kingman	\$100.00
Appropriation	\$100.00

INSPECTOR OF MILK

William Mahady	\$100.00
Appropriation	\$100.00

LOCKUP EXPENSE

R. E. O'Brien, labor and stock	\$2.45
Timothy Kelliher, salary and meals	131.84

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W. T. Thayer, labor and material	26.08	
Frank Diauto, fuel	47.00	
	<hr/>	\$207.37
Appropriation	\$200.00	
Overdrawn	7.37	
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LEGAL SERVICES

William J. Good		\$557.75
Appropriation		\$557.75

LAND DAMAGE WARREN ST.

Margaret J. Kelliher		\$73.00
to be refunded by Norfolk County		\$73.00

LAND DAMAGE OLD ST.

Carrol and Hilda Olsen	\$45.00	
Gertrude Franke	175.00	
Gertrude Franke, piazza damage	100.00	
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To be refunded by Norfolk County		\$320.00

LAND DAMAGE CHESTNUT ST.

William H. Quigley	\$122.00	
William H. Quigley, moving wall	250.50	
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To be refunded by Norfolk County		\$372.50

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

MEDICAL ATTENDANCE ON POOR

G. V. Higgins, M. D.	\$75.00	
Wm. E. Buck, M. D.	75.00	
A. L. Chase, M. D.	75.00	
A. W. Myrick, M. D.	75.00	
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	\$300.00	
To be re-appropriated	75.00	
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		\$375.00
Appropriation	\$300.00	
Re-appropriation	75.00	
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		\$375.00

MILITARY AID

Cash paid		\$240.00
Re-appropriation	\$100.00	
Overdrawn	140.00	
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		\$240.00

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSE

Norfolk County Petitions	\$6.00
N. E. Tel. and Tel. Co.	201.09
Randolph & Holbrook Light & Power Co.	124.49
R. F. Forrest, expense of Selectmen	11.35
W. L. Hickey, printing	117.50
Becker & Co., supplies	28.55

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Hobbs & Warren, supplies	42.64
Timothy Kelliher, care of rooms	154.25
The Kay-Dee Co.	6.57
Gertrude A. Meaney	23.55
A. J. Maguire, postage	55.20
John T. Boyle	3.50
F. Burt Jaquith	3.83
Brockton Enterprise	2.60
Com. of Mass., Dept. of Public Safety	.75
P. B. Murphy	11.60
William E. Corkum	5.00
Times Publishing Co.	3.15
H. W. Bailey & Co., printing	8.80
Atlantic Clock Co., new clock	7.17
P. J. Whalen	1.00
J. B. MacNeil	8.50
John J. Condon	17.00
James H. Hurley	2.50
J. E. Jakobson, cleaning clock	2.50
Edwin C. Soule, fuel, town office	12.00
Acme Stamp Co.	1.40
M. Bennett, printing and stationery	88.00
United Stated Fidelity & Guarantee Co., (Town Clerk Pro tem Bond)	4.00
Randolph Hardware Co.	2.25
Edwin B. Pratt, salary dog officer	81.00
Edgar B. Cole, repairs on chair	10.30
Hunter Stationery Co.	6.25
Davis Elec. Co., 3 lamps	13.50
Com. of Mass., Trust Co. Tax	34.10
Cartwright & Hurley, auto hire	9.00
R. L. Polk & Co., Town Directory	7.00
American Ry. Express Co.	3.13
John F. McCarthy, legal services	25.00

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Estate (F. W. Harris)	1.90	
	<u>\$1,148.42</u>	
Unexpended	351.58	
	<u></u>	\$1,500.00
Appropriation		\$1,500.00

POOR OUT OF ALMSHOUSE

Case No. 1		
Cash Paid	\$156.00	
M. E. Leahy, Fuel	35.00	
Randolph Coal Co., Fuel	9.00	
	<u></u>	\$200.00
Case No. 2		
Town of Avon, Board	\$156.00	
Cartwright & Hurley, Burial Exp.	97.00	
	<u></u>	253.00
Case No. 3		
Commonwealth of Mass.		147.00
Case No. 4		
Board		604.00
Case No. 5		
Board		72.00
Case No. 6		
Cartwright & Hurley, Burial Exp.		95.00
Penalty of late returns of poor persons, Com. of Mass.		2.00
Case No. 7		
Overseer of Public Welfare, Boston		20.00
Case No. 8		
Cash Paid		86.00

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Case No. 9		
Com. of Mass. Board		180.71
Case No. 10		
Com. of Mass., Board		260.71
Case No. 11		
J. H. Wrenn, Auto to Tewksbury	\$20.00	
Com. of Mass., Dept. of		
Public Welfare	114.00	
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		134.00
Case No. 12		
Seth Mann, 2nd, Home Rent	\$50.00	
H. N. Smith, Rent to Nov. 1, 1926	10.00	
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		60.00
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		\$2,114.42
Unexpended		385.58
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		\$2,500.00
Appropriation	\$1,833.43	
Re-appropriation	666.57	
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		\$2,500.00

POOR OF OTHER TOWNS

To be reimbursed by City of Chelsea

Case No. 1		
Cash Paid	\$600.00	
M. E. Leahy, Fuel	22.00	
Randolph Coal Co., Fuel	9.00	
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		\$631.00
Case No. 2		
Cash Paid		\$200.00
To be refunded by City of Boston		\$200.00

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Patrick T. McDonnell	\$2,000.00
Appropriation	\$2,000.00

POLICE SPECIAL

H. A. Poole, Gas	\$132.14	
Patrick McDonnell	12.44	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	86.42	
City of Quincy Police Dept.	28.00	
Wm. J. Hogan	4.95	
Brockton Indian Co.	355.33	
Frank Diauto	4.50	
Percy H. Thompson	16.10	
F. W. Hayden & Co.	9.60	
American Gas Accumulator Co.	25.38	
Valvoline Oil Co.	6.96	
Geo. Sawyer	8.40	
Wm. Mahoney	31.20	
Wm. Whitecross	5.00	
Edwin B. Pratt	31.70	
John A. Forrest	12.30	
Gertrude A. Meaney	1.30	
Estate of F. W. Harris	4.25	
C. Harrold Saunders	2.40	
John C. Marville	2.40	
Wm. G. McLeer, Labor	30.00	
Arthur J. McCue	19.20	
Geo. F. Frawley	10.00	
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		\$839.97

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Appropriation	\$800.00	
Overdrawn	39.97	
	<hr/>	\$839.97

PRINTING TOWN REPORT

H. W. Bailey & Co.	\$709.96
Appropriation	\$709.96

RANDOLPH VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION

James F. Kennedy, Treas.	\$1,000.00
Appropriation	\$1,000.00

PURCHASE OF ROLLER FOR HIGHWAY DEPT.

Buffalo-Springfield Roller Co.	\$5,000.00
Appropriation	\$5,000.00

REPAIRING OF RESERVOIR

Edward J. Megley	\$764.54
Appropriation	\$764.54

STREET LIGHTING

Randolph & Holbrook Lt. & Pr. Co.	\$5,888.22	
To be Reappropriated	215.70	
	<hr/>	\$6,103.92
Appropriation		\$6,103.92

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

STATE TAX

Commonwealth of Mass.	\$8,040.00
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STATE HIGHWAY TAX

Commonwealth of Mass.	\$742.00
Appropriation	\$742.00

STATE AID

Cash Paid	\$942.00
(To be Refunded by State)	

SOLDIERS' RELIEF ORDINARY

	CASE NO. 1	
M. E. Leahy, Fuel		\$48.25
	CASE NO. 2	
Cash Paid		48.00
	CASE NO. 3	
Cash Paid		150.00
(To be Refunded by Beverly)		
	CASE NO. 4	
Cash Paid		120.00
(To be Refunded by Woburn)		
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		\$366.25
Unexpended		203.75
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		\$570.00

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To be Refunded	\$270.00	
Re-appropriated	300.00	
	<u> </u>	\$570.00

SOLDIERS' RELIEF FUND—RANDOLPH AND HOLBROOK

	CASE NO. 1		
Cash Paid		\$48.00	
	CASE NO. 2		
Mrs. Mary Hagney, Rent		\$12.50	
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		\$60.50	
Unexpended		139.50	
		<u> </u>	\$200.00
Appropriation			\$200.00

SURVEY OF TOWN AND MAPS FOR SAME

Reappropriation	\$500.00	
Appropriation, year 1926	500.00	
	<u> </u>	\$1,000.00
(No expenditure)		

SALARY OF TOWN OFFICERS

James H. Hurley, Assessor	\$543.50
James H. Hurley, Selectman and Overseer of Poor	200.00

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Richard F. Forrest, Selectman and Overseer of Poor	250.00	
Erskine H. Cox, Balance of Salary, Year 1924	5.00*	
Erskine H. Cox, Balance of Salary, Year 1925	200.00*	
Erskine H. Cox, Balance of Salary, Year 1926	165.30*	
James E. Foley, Assessor	425.00	
James E. Foley, Moderator	125.00	
Henry V. Morgan, Assessor	450.00	
John B. McNeill, Town Clerk and Treasurer	900.00	
Joseph T. Leahy, Town Clerk and Treasurer Pro Tem	300.00	
John T. Moore, Tree Warden	250.00	
James Lynch, Highway Surveyor	1,500.00	
James V. Donovan, Auditor	60.00	
John H. Rudderham, Auditor	60.00	
Michael F. Cunningham, Auditor	60.00	
Harold F. Howard, Registrar of Voters	50.00	
Charles R. Powers, Jr., Registrar of Voters	50.00	
Robt. T. McAuliffe, Registrar of Voters	50.00	
Collector of Taxes		
W. H. Lyons, Part Com. 1925 Levy	900.00	
W. H. Lyons, Part Com. 1926 Levy	400.00	
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	\$6,943.80	
To be Reappropriated	2,776.18	
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		\$9,719.98

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Appropriation	\$7,650.00	
Reappropriation	2,069.98	
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*Part expended on street signs; balance paid to Trustees, Turner Free Library.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Allen, Doane Co., Inc.	\$15.50	
Hobbs & Warren	8.80	
B. F. Hayden, Salary and Auto	165.00	
	<hr/>	\$189.30
Appropriation	\$175.00	
Overdrawn	14.30	
	<hr/>	\$189.30

STATE PAUPERS

Case No. 1		
M. E. Leahy, Fuel	\$8.75	
Salvatorre Carnizzaro, Rent	68.00	
R. T. McAuliffe, Shoes	8.25	
Leo F. Sullivan, Milk		
Cash Paid	125.00	
Randolph Coal Co., Fuel	9.00	
	<hr/>	\$229.20
Case No. 2		
M. E. Leahy, Fuel	\$61.25	
Edwin C. Soule, Fuel	24.00	
Edw. T. Hand, Rent	108.00	
T. J. Salamore, Shoes	26.15	
Long & Johnson, Clothing	30.00	

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Expense to Hospital	4.15	
Cash Paid	248.00	
Randolph Coal Co., Fuel	9.00	
	<hr/>	\$510.55
Case No. 3		
M. E. Leahy, Fuel	\$43.75	
Urma C. Copeland, Rent	90.00	
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		\$873.50
To be refunded by State		\$873.50

TRAFFIC BEACON

American Gas Accumulator Co.		\$265.00
Appropriation		\$265.00

TURNER FREE LIBRARY

Trustee's of Turner Free Library	\$29.15	
Unexpended	120.85	
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Appropriation		\$150.00

TAX COLLECTOR BOND

H. W. French		\$123.00
Appropriation	\$100.00	
Overdrawn	23.00	
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TOWN TREASURER'S BOND

Joseph T. Leahy, Bond of Treasurer	\$100.00	
United States Fidelity & Guarantee		
Co., Bond of Treasurer Pro Tem	61.50	
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		\$161.50
Appropriation	\$100.00	
Overdrawn	61.50	
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		\$161.50

TREE WARDEN'S DEPT.

R. E. O'Brien, Labor and Stock	\$5.68	
John T. Moore	72.70	
Wm. Carroll and team	77.20	
Geo. Bailey	68.70	
Geo. Mellon	1.50	
John J. Moore	8.00	
W. E. Allen	20.00	
Wm. F. Allen	24.00	
Walter F. Keith	29.20	
Bay State Nurseries, shade trees	48.00	
Edward Southwick	86.40	
Joseph Desmond	7.20	
Elmer Vaughn	4.40	
W. Dennis	14.40	
F. H. Cullen	7.20	
W. L. Hickey, Printing	7.00	
Frank E. Faunce	19.20	
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		\$500.78
Appropriation	\$350.00	
Overdrawn	150.78	
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		\$500.78

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Completion of and Addition to Same

John T. Boyle	\$10.00	
Burditt & Williams	66.80	
Funk & Wilcox, Architects	622.83	
Willard Hanson, Builder	19,103.04	
Powers Bros., Grading	81.45	
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	\$19,884.12	
To be re-appropriated	2,573.48	
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		\$22,457.60
Appropriation	\$12,852.32	
Re-appropriation	9,605.28	
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		\$22,457.60

REDUCTION OF TOWN DEBT

Paid notes, see report of Town Treasurer	\$15,600.00
Appropriation	\$15,600.00

COUNTY TAX

Amount assessed for 1926	\$6,705.08
Due and unpaid Dec. 31, 1926	

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Randolph, Mass., Feb. 14, 1927.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, respectfully report that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and find the same correct with proper vouchers for all orders drawn on the Treasurer.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN H. RUDDERHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,

Auditors.

2/14/1927.

Subscribed and sworn to before me

WM. J. GOOD,
Notary Public.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

	Appropriations	Credits	Total	Payments	Over- drawn	Un- expend- ed
Almshouse	\$5,000.00		\$5,000.00	\$4,971.06		\$28.94
Assessors	300.00		300.00	329.50	\$29.50	
Board of Health	2,500.00	\$143.00	2,643.00	2,802.73	159.73	
Births, Marriages, Deaths	325.00		325.00	294.25		30.75
Care of Clock	20.00		20.00	20.00		
Chapt. 118—Mothers' Aid		982.93	982.93	672.80		310.13
Decorating of Soldiers' Graves	225.00		225.00	225.00		
Election Expense	1,000.00		1,000.00	981.28		18.72
Fire Alarm Signal Boxes	250.00		250.00	132.58		*117.42
Fire Department	5,775.00		5,775.00	5,878.48	103.48	
Forest Fire Department	800.00		800.00	631.18		168.82
Forest Fire Lookout Tower		200.00	200.00	200.00		
Gypsy Moth Dept.	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,014.15	14.15	
Highways, General	8,600.00		8,600.00	8,611.62	11.62	
Highways, Canton St.	2,500.00	2,800.00	5,300.00	35.80		
Highways, Howard St.	2,000.00		2,000.00	1,999.63		*5,264.20
Highways, Mill St.	2,000.00		2,000.00	1,659.32		.37
Highways, Wales Ave., Cross St., Grove St.	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,013.30	13.30	340.68
Highways, Lafayette St.	1,000.00		1,000.00	848.01		151.99
Removal of Snow	7,000.00		7,000.00	7,908.05	908.05	
Interest and Discount	7,750.00		7,750.00	9,411.24	1,661.24	
Insurance, Workmen's Compensation and Fire	2,700.00	868.74	3,568.74	3,429.06		139.68
Inspector of Slaughtering	150.00		150.00	175.00	25.00	
Inspector of Animals	100.00		100.00	100.00		
Inspector of Milk	100.00		100.00	100.00		

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	Appropriations	Credits	Total	Payments	Over-drawn	Un-expend- ed
Lockup Expense	200.00		200.00	207.97	7.97	
Legal Service		557.75	557.75	557.75		
Land Damages—Warren St.		73.00	73.00	73.00		
Land Damages—Old St.		320.00	320.00	320.00		
Land Damages—Chestnut St.		372.50	372.50	372.50		
Medical Attendance on Poor	300.00	75.00	375.00	300.00		*75.00
Military Aid		100.00	100.00	240.00	140.00	
Miscellaneous Expense	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,148.42		351.58
Poor out of Almshouse	1,833.43	666.57	2,500.00	2,114.42		385.58
Poor of Other Towns		911.00	911.00	911.00		
Police	2,800.00		2,800.00	2,839.97	39.97	
Printing Town Reports	709.96		709.96	709.96		
Randolph Visiting Nurse Assn.	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,000.00		
Purchase of Roller for Highway Dept.	1,200.00	3,800.00	5,000.00	5,000.00		
Repairing of Reservoir	764.54		764.54	764.54		
Street Lighting	6,400.92		6,400.92	5,888.22		*512.70
State Tax	8,040.00		8,040.00	8,040.00		
State Aid		942.00	942.00	942.00		
Soldiers' Relief, Ordinary		570.00	570.00	366.25		203.75
Soldiers' Relief, Randolph and Holbrook	200.00		200.00	60.50		139.50
Survey of Town and Map for Same	500.00	500.00	1,000.00			*1,000.00
Salary of Town Officers	7,125.00	2,069.98	9,194.98	6,943.80	\$§	*2,251.18
Sealer of Weights and Measures	175.00		175.00	189.30	14.30	
State Paupers		873.50	873.50	873.50		
Town Treasurer's Bond	100.00		100.00	161.50	61.50	
Tree Warden's Dept.	350.00		350.00	500.78	150.78	
Traffic Beacon	265.00		265.00	265.00		

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

	Appropriations	Credits	Total	Payments	Over- drawn	Un- expended
Turner Free Library	150.00		150.00	29.15		120.85
Tax Collector's Bond	100.00		100.00	123.00	23.00	
Tax, State Highway	742.00		742.00	742.00		
Tax, County	6,705.08		6,705.08	0.00		*6,705.08
School Dept.	73,710.00		73,710.00	71,148.07		1,561.93
S. H. S. School Addition	1,352.32	21,105.28	22,457.60	19,884.12		*2,573.48
S. H. S. School Equipping		14,627.51	14,627.51	13,977.99		649.52
Water Dept.	23,159.25	3,000.00	26,159.25	24,225.63		*1,933.62
Census of 1925	300.00		300.00	0.00		300.00
Notes, Town Debt	15,600.00		15,600.00			
Total	\$207,377.50	\$55,558.76	\$262,936.26	\$224,364.38	\$3,363.59	\$25,335.47

*Balance carried over
(To be reappropriated)

§§Overpayments to be refunded:

Auditors' Salaries \$30.00
Assessor's Salary 98.50

Report of the Water Commissioners

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The forty-first annual report of the Water Commissioners is herewith submitted for the year ending December 31, 1926.

During the past year seven extensions were voted by the Town. These were all completed excepting Chestnut Street. The Town voted an extension of 600 feet on Chestnut Street, and owing to the frozen condition of the ground, only 400 feet have been laid. The remaining 200 feet to be laid as soon as weather conditions permit.

The standpipes of Randolph and Holbrook were both painted outside and cleaned and painted inside and were found to be in excellent condition.

An additional chlorinator has been installed at the pumping station by the Joint Board, thus insuring chlorination at all times.

During the past year seventy (70) new services were added to the system.

Outstanding water bills for the year 1926 and prior amount to:

Fixture Rates	\$1,161.32	
Meter Rates	1,312.76	
Labor, Fixtures, etc.	373.34	
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TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Orders were drawn on the Treasurer for
the following amount \$24,225.63

		Appropriations
Joint Maintenance	\$4,030.97	\$3,101.00
Painting Standpipe		\$1,600.00
Chlorinator		250.00
Gate		400.00
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Randolph Maintenance	6,006.40	4,896.00
Randolph Service Pipe Construction	2,884.41	3,909.00
Interest Account	200.00	160.00
Holbrook Account	997.06	
Truck	500.00	500.00
Grove St. extension	1,183.51	1,000.00
Orchard St. extension	894.01	825.00
Centre St. extension from South	1,185.53	1,718.25
Centre St. extension from So. Main	2,068.56	2,400.00
Highland Ave. extension	2,596.05	3,000.00
Chestnut St. extension	901.57	1,700.00
No. Main St. extension	777.56	700.00
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	\$24,225.63	\$26,159.25
Unpaid Bills	\$1,963.07	

JOINT BILLS PAID BY RANDOLPH

JOINT MAINTENANCE

American Railway Express Co.	\$.59
Crosby Steam Gage & Valve Company	38.41
M. T. Davidson	4.36
Donaldson Iron Co., pipe	295.99
Frank Diauto, supplies	29.75
Eagle oil & Supply Co., supplies	347.83

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Electro Bleaching Gas Co.	100.00
H. W. French, insurance	93.70
James Fardy	.65
Globe Rubber Works	3.30
F. W. Harris Est.	3.90
E. W. Howard, painting standpipe	586.75
F. W. Hayden Co., supplies	34.42
Hobbs & Warren, supplies	1.47
Timothy Lyons, carting pipe	11.25
Joseph T. Leahy, insurance	169.60
Wm. M. L. McAdams	18.50
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	36.23
Pay Roll:	
R. F. Forrest, Supt.	462.75
Percy Thompson	19.20
I. DePasquale	4.80
M. Mann	181.13
John Marcille	28.80
Arthur Kendall	28.80
D. Mazzeo	154.10
F. Sallo	18.00
John Stevenson	12.00
Charles Forrest	14.40
M. Luciano	38.25
C. H. Saunders	1.80
John Rooney	4.80
Perrin-Seamans & Co.	8.85
Herbert A. Poole, gas and oil	15.21
The Q-P Signal Co.	6.65
Reading Steel Casting Co.	9.02
Randolph Coal Co., coal 1925	990.80
Randolph Sentinel News, Pub. rules and regulations	25.00
Roberts Iron Works	13.00

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Randolph Garage Co.	10.67
L. Richmond & Co.	2.00
Edwin C. Soule	2.00
Sumner & Dunbar	11.51
Fred O. Stevens, survey	32.40
E. L. Shaw Trans.	2.00
F. R. Thayer, damages to ladder	2.00
Percy Thompson, labor	15.60
A. C. Trojano	42.60
Talmadge Morrow, repairs	6.45
Waldo Bros. & Bond Co., pipe	22.26
The White Lunch	1.75
Walworth Manufacturing Co.	18.00
Wm. F. Whitecross, repairs	47.67
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	\$4,030.97
Appropriation	3,101.00
Painting Stand Pipes	1,600.00
Chlorinator	250.00
Gate	400.00
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	\$5,351.00

JOINT ACCOUNT PAID BY HOLBROOK

A. Peterson, salary Engineer	\$1,809.71
J. W. Porter	74.20
J. W. Holbrook	81.60
M. Keating	4.80
Jos. McIntosh	7.20
American Express Co.	5.74
Raffi & Swanson	233.90
Sumner & Dunbar	20.28
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	64.41

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E. W. Howard, painting standpipe	547.50	
Grossman Bldg. Supply Co.	32.00	
Fred O. Stevens	50.00	
Powers Bros.	25.36	
Holbrook Coal Co.	2,056.37	
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	2.30	
J. F. Megley	8.75	
Paradon Eng. Co., Chlorinator	603.90	
W. H. Scott	7.35	
C. A. Gates Co.	80.75	
	<hr/>	\$5,716.12

STATEMENT OF JOINT ACCOUNT

Joint bills paid by Randolph	\$4,030.97	
Joint bills paid by Holbrook	5,716.12	
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One-half to be paid by each town	\$4,873.55	
Paid by Holbrook	5,716.12	
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Due Holbrook from Randolph to balance acct.	842.58	
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RANDOLPH MAINTENANCE

Addressograph Co.	\$49.33
American Railway Express Co.	3.98
The American City Magazine	2.00
B. & P. Transportation Co.	.50
George E. Bolling, analysis of water	25.00
Banker & Tradesman	7.00
Braintree Water Dept.	25.00

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Henry Campbell	11.00
The Chapman Valve Mfg. Co.	27.14
Carpenter Portable Light Co.	59.65
Chadwick-Boston Lead Co.	5.73
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Registry of Motor Vehicles	4.00
The Dean Penney Co., Inc.	25.88
Frank Diauto, supplies	5.08
Darling Valve & Mfg. Co.	6.88
Bridget Forrest, garage rent, 1926	50.00
James Fardy, repairs	15.40
Good Service Motor Sales, balance on truck and repairs	78.80
Globe Kneadable Metallic Packing Co.	12.00
Walter L. Hickey, printing	63.25
Hydraulic Development Co.	50.50
Hersey Mfg. Co.	5.97
F. W. Hayden Co., supplies	18.89
Frank W. Harris Est.	10.20
Timothy Kelleher, janitor	34.36
C. F. Lyons, supplies	2.06
Joseph T. Leahy, insurance	123.68
Mystic Motor Trans. Co.	1.50
John H. Marcille, labor	15.00
Andrew J. Maguire	58.16
Richard F. Forrest, salary Water Commissioner	125.00
John B. McNeill, salary Water Commissioner	125.00
Henry J. Meaney, salary Water Commissioner	125.00
John B. McNeill, salary Collector	300.00
Joseph T. Leahy, salary Collector	100.00
Henry T. Meaney, clerical Work	200.00
Expenses to Boston, Board of Water Com- missioners	8.50
Nichols & Eldridge, printing	33.43

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Neptune Meter Co.	15.87
National Meter Co.	1,274.67
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	96.12
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	13.55
R. E. O'Brien	73.28
Herbert A. Poole	159.90
Porter's Pharmacy, supplies	3.95
Pureoxia Co.	1.50
Perrin-Seamans Co.	12.50
Pittsburgh Meter Co.	83.77
Pay Roll:	
R. F. Forrest, Supt.	666.00
Arthur Kendall	31.20
M. Mann	486.65
D. Mazzeo	381.50
John Marcille	138.60
John Rooney	8.40
Erasmus Camelio	2.40
Richard Condon	14.40
Patrick Flynn	13.20
Percy Thompson	50.40
I. DePasquale	15.60
Albert Farmer	3.60
John Stevenson	9.60
Bernard Murphy	7.80
F. Sallo	47.75
James O'Connor	14.40
Walter Larson	4.80
Samuel Bouffard	4.80
Randolph Garage Company, repairs	246.04
Randolph Trust Company	5.00
Sumner & Dunbar, supplies	7.13
J. E. Sprague	43.13
Percy H. Thompson, reading meters	67.20

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Talmadge Morrow, repairs	31.65
Thorpe & Martin, supplies	5.00
Union Water Meter Co.	6.07
Vacuum Oil Co.	38.44
Waldo Bros. & Bond Co.	5.47
Walworth Mfg. Co.	14.48
William F. Whitecross, repairs	85.71

\$6,006.40

Appropriation \$4,896.00

Unpaid bills \$383.43

RANDOLPH SERVICE PIPE CONSTRUCTION

American Tube Works	\$345.51
B. & P. Trans. Co.	.35
Blue Line Motor Trans. Co.	.50
Chadwick Boston Lead Co.	75.30
Frank Diauto, supplies	5.10
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	5.91
Pay Roll:	
Richard F. Forrest, Supt.	438.00
Leo Sullivan	3.60
M. F. Mann	258.60
D. Mazzeo	280.65
Anton Bolin	31.20
John Rooney	33.60
Richard Condon	3.60
Erasmo Camelio	15.60
Patrick Flynn	40.80
George Campbell	55.20
John Marcille	30.00
Percy Thompson	160.40
Edgar Washington	27.60

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I. DePasquale	25.80
Albert Farmer	31.80
John Stevenson	131.40
Bernard Murphy	12.00
C. Harold Saunders	7.20
L. Kangizer	27.00
Arthur Kendall	70.20
J. C. Norris	21.60
J. C. & P. W. Norris	25.80
James O'Connor	4.80
Peter Larson	13.20
T. F. Lyons	3.00
William Meaney	3.60
M. Luciano	11.25
Perrin Seamans Co.	36.35
Red Hed Mfg. Co.	29.72
Sumner & Dunbar, supplies	537.14
Walworth Mfg. Co., supplies	81.03
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	\$2,884.41
Appropriation	\$3,909.00
Unpaid bills	\$182.45

NORTH MAIN STREET EXTENSION

The Chapman Valve Mfg. Co.	\$19.50
Donaldson Iron Co., pipe	295.01
Timothy Lyons, carting pipe	14.18
John H. Marcille, labor	3.00
C. A. Noyes	1.62
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	27.19
Herbert A. Poole, gas and oil	10.86
Pay Roll:	
R. F. Forrest, Supt.	36.00

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M. Mann	25.20
D. Mazzeo	19.80
John Rooney	37.20
Patrick Flynn	37.20
Arthur Kendall	19.80
George Campbell	44.40
Arthur Bolin	7.80
I. DePasquale	27.00
John Marcille	19.20
C. Harold Saunders	30.60
Bernard Murphy	14.40
Percy Thompson	33.60
John Stevenson	29.40
Albert Farmer	24.60

\$777.56

Appropriation

\$700.00

Unpaid bills

\$10.73

GROVE STREET EXTENSION

Chapman Valve Mfg. Co.	\$92.00
Donaldson Iron Co., pipe	411.06
James Fardy, repairs	5.55
Hydraulic Development Co.	15.00
William D. Hatchfield, repairs	6.10
Timothy Lyons, carting pipe	19.13
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	56.62
Herbert A. Poole, gas and oil	10.86
Pay Roll:	
R. F. Forrest, Supt.	87.00
M. Mann	84.00
D. Mazzeo	70.20

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Percy Thompson	97.20
Arthur Kendall	81.60
John Marcille	38.40
John Stevenson	90.00
Edwin C. Soule	11.50
Walworth Mfg. Co.	7.29
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	\$1,183.51
Appropriation	\$1,000.00

ORCHARD STREET EXTENSION

Chapman Valve Mfg. Co.	\$92.00
Donaldson Iron Co., pipe	247.42
Hydraulic Development Co.	15.00
Timothy Lyons, carting pipe	13.50
John H. Marcille, labor	2.00
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	22.34
Herbert A. Poole, gas and oil	10.86
Pay Roll:	
R. F. Forrest, Supt.	48.00
M. Mann	39.00
D. Mazzeo	37.20
Percy Thompson	40.80
Arthur Kendall	46.80
John Marcille	44.40
John Stevenson	49.20
James Welch	12.60
Albert Farmer	40.20
John Rooney	4.80
Peter Larson	6.00
George Campbell	37.20
Patrick Flynn	19.20
Bernard Murphy	43.80

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C. Harold Saunders	14.40
Walworth Mfg. Co.	7.29

\$894.01

Appropriation	\$825.00
Unpaid bills	\$6.71

HIGHLAND AVENUE EXTENSION

Chapman Valve Mfg. Co.	\$362.50
Donaldson Iron Co., pipe	955.48
Hydraulic Development Co.	60.00
John H. Marcille, labor	3.00
John C. Marcille, repairs	12.50
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	107.43
Perrin Seamans Co.	5.00
Herbert A. Pool, gas and oil	30.01
Pay Roll:	
R. F. Forrest, Supt.	72.00
M. Mann	64.80
D. Mazzeo	60.00
John Marcille	68.40
Arthur Kendall	70.80
Anton Bolin	70.20
L. Kangizer	70.20
Roy Drysdale	19.20
Patrick Flynn	69.60
Edgar Washington	16.80
Percy Thompson	72.00
John Rooney	63.60
Walter Larson	24.60
Albert Farmer	69.60
Henry Lightfoot	41.40
I. DePasquale	75.00

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Erasmo Camelio	19.20
George Campbell	67.20
John Stevenson	1.20
Walworth Mfg. Co.	36.45
Edgar Washington, use of truck	7.88

\$2,596.05

Appropriation

\$3,000.00

Unpaid bills

\$181.50

CENTRE STREET EXTENSION, FROM MAIN STREET

City of Brockton	\$61.45
Chapman Valve Mfg. Co.	164.50
Donaldson Iron Co., pipe	648.81
F. W. Hayden Co., supplies	.97
Hydraulic Development Co.,	10.00
Timothy Lyons, carting pipe	22.64
John C. Marcille, repairs	7.80
C. A. Noyes, supplies	1.62
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.,	81.35
Herbert A. Poole, gas and oil	10.85
Pay Roll:	
R. F. Forrest, Supt.	72.00
M. Mann	78.00
D. Mazzeo	75.60
Arthur Kendall	80.40
Bernard Murphy	69.00
John Rooney	79.20
Albert Farmer	85.20
Leopold Kangizer	67.20
Patrick Flynn	81.60

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Percy Thompson	86.40
Anton Bolin	67.80
John Marcille	49.20
C. Harold Saunders	9.00
John Stevenson	21.00
James Buchanan	51.60
George Campbell	63.00
Edwin C. Soule	.50
Walworth Mfg. Co.	21.87
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	\$2,068.56
Appropriation	\$2,400.00
Unpaid bills	\$13.43

CENTRE STREET EXTENSION FROM SOUTH STREET

Braintree Water Department	\$17.00
Chapman Valve Mfg. Co.	145.00
Donaldson Iron Co., pipe	1.06
Timothy Lyons, carting pipe	40.95
John H. Marcille, labor	2.00
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	60.38
Herbert A. Poole, gas and oil	13.38
Perrin, Seamans & Co.	6.00
Pay Roll:	
R. F. Forrest, Supt.	63.00
T. F. Lyons	25.20
M. F. Mann	24.00
D. Mazzeo	48.00
Anton Bolin	48.00
Arthur Kendall	32.40
John Rooney	38.40

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Richard Condon	36.00
Erasmo Camelio	42.00
George Campbell	38.40
John Marcille	20.40
Percy Thompson	38.40
Edgar Washington	36.00
Henry Lightfoot	38.40
I. DePasquale	30.00
Albert Farmer	50.40
L. Kangizer	34.80
M. F. Sullivan	28.80
Leo Sullivan	18.00
Patrick Flynn	31.20
John Stevenson	42.00
Arthur Dolan	26.40
William Meaney	8.40
Walter Larson	33.00
Roy Drysdale	19.20
William O'Connell	19.20
Walworth Mfg. Co.	14.58
Edgar Washington, use of truck	15.18
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	\$1,185.53
Appropriation	\$1,718.00
Unpaid bills	\$639.14

CHESTNUT STREET EXTENSION

Braintree Water Dept.	\$44.80
Chapman Valve Mfg. Co.	72.50
Hydraulic Development Co.	30.00
Timothy Lyons, carting pipe	45.00
John C. Marcille, labor	3.60

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C. A. Noyes, supplies	1.62
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	53.66
Herbert A. Poole, gas and oil	.99
Perrin-Seamans Co.	5.00

Pay Roll:

R. F. Forrest, Supt.	54.00
D. Mazzeo	33.60
M. F. Mann	33.60
John Marcille	21.60
Alton Hayden	16.80
William Curran	16.80
Charles Mullins	21.60
Samuel Abrams	4.80
Erasmus Camelio	26.40
Patrick Flynn	21.60
I. DePasquale	26.40
Eugene Sullivan	26.40
John Stevenson	26.40
Albert Farmer	26.40
Arthur Dolan	26.40
Walter Larsen	26.40
Henry Lightfoot	26.40
Anton Bolin	26.40
L. Kangizer	26.40
Percy Thompson	26.40
John Rooney	33.60
George W. Campbell	33.60
Richard Condon	28.80
Arthur Kendall	33.60

\$901.57

Appropriation \$1,700.00

Unpaid bills \$545.68

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APPROPRIATION

Good Service Motor Sales, truck	\$500.00
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INTEREST ACCOUNT

Commonwealth of Massachusetts	\$120.00
City of Worcester	40.00
National Shawmut Bank	20.00
Randolph Water Commissioners, coupons paid	20.00
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	\$200.00
Appropriation	\$160.00

HOLBROOK ACCOUNT

Water to Braintree Highlands	\$847.06
Settlement on Truck	150.00
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	\$997.06

RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR 1926

From Fixed Rates	\$5,436.18
From Meter Rates	8,931.50
From Meter Rentals	691.70
From Labor and fixtures	756.45
From Braintree Water Department	1,694.12

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From Holbrook Water Department	1,104.16	
From Holbrook Water Department	150.00	
Sale of junk	7.50	
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Less abatements		264.09
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We have Treasurer's receipts for		\$18,507.52
Outstanding water rates for years 1926 and prior:		\$2,847.42

RICHARD F. FORREST,
JOHN B. McNEILL,
HENRY J. MEANEY,
Water Commissioners.
Randolph, February 7, 1927.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph have this day examined the accounts of the Water Commissioners and find proper vouchers for all orders drawn on the Treasurer and the entries and footings correct.

JAMES V. DONOVAN,
M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN H. RUDDERHAM,
Aditors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Justice of the Peace.

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PUMPING RECORD

To the Water Commissioners of Randolph and Holbrook

The following is the record of Pumping for the year 1926:

	Gallons Pumped	Average Daily	Lbs. Coal burned	Daily Av. coal burned Lbs.
January	13,563,450	450,899	49,500	1,600
February	13,492,209	481,864	47,100	1,700
March	13,781,772	444,573	47,600	1,600
April	12,689,818	404,334	43,700	1,400
May	14,522,864	468,479	44,400	1,500
June	16,127,909	522,616	47,800	1,600
July	22,702,786	732,348	60,700	2,000
August	17,581,321	567,107	51,400	1,700
September	14,764,763	492,158	43,800	1,500
October	13,557,794	443,083	44,100	1,500
November	12,798,605	426,625	40,100	1,400
December	13,637,298	439,912	42,200	1,400

Totals	179,018,589	490,462	562,400	1,500.50
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Largest day's pumping July 9, 1926, 1,492,456 gallons, 15 hours, 15 minutes.

Largest week's pumping ending July 13, 1926, 7,027,-715 gallons pumped.

Respectfully submitted,

AUGUST J. PETERSON,
Engineer.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

**STATE REGULATIONS
For Protection of Water Supply**

**THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
Department of Public Health**

State House, Boston, June 15, 1926.

To the Board of Water Commissioners,
Randolph, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to transmit the rules and regulations adopted by the Department of Public Health, in reply to your petition received at this office on May 22, 1926, relative to preventing the pollution and securing the sanitary protection of the water of Great Pond, used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply. These rules and regulations were adopted by the Department of Public Health at its meeting on June 15, 1926.

Respectfully,
(Signed)

GEORGE H. BIGELOW, M. D.
Commissioner of Public Health.

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
Department of Public Health
RULES AND REGULATIONS**

for the

Purpose of preventing the Pollution and securing the Sanitary Protection of the Waters of Great Pond and its Tributaries, used by the Towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a

SOURCE OF WATER SUPPLY

The State Department of Public Health, acting under

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the authority of Section 160 of Chapter 111 of the General Laws, and every other act thereto enabling, hereby makes the following rules and regulations for the purpose of preventing the pollution and securing the sanitary protection of the waters of Great Pond and its tributaries, used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply, which shall remain in force until further order, and which may be hereafter from time to time amended or added to by the State Department of Public Health.

The provisions of the following rules and regulations so far as they are the same as those of the existing rules and regulations shall be construed as a continuation thereof and not as new provisions.

The rules and regulations adopted by the State Board of Health under date of July 7, 1904, and of May 5, 1910, are hereby repealed.

1. No cesspool, privy or other place for the reception, deposit or storage of human excrement, and no urinal or watercloset not discharging into a sewer, shall be located, constructed or maintained within fifty feet of high-water mark of Great Pond, so called, said pond being in the towns of Randolph and Braintree and used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply, or within fifty feet of high-water mark of any reservoir, lake, pond, stream, ditch, water course or other open waters, the water of which flows directly or ultimately into said Great Pond.

2. No human excrement shall be deposited or discharged in or into Great Pond, so called, said pond being in the towns of Randolph and Braintree and used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply, or into any reservoir, lake, pond, stream, ditch, water course or other open waters, the water of which

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flows directly or ultimately into said Great Pond; and no human excrement shall be kept in, or deposited or discharged in or into, any cesspool, privy or other receptacle situated within two hundred and fifty feet of high-water mark of said Great Pond, or within two hundred and fifty feet of high-water mark of any open waters, the water of which flows directly or ultimately into said Great Pond, unless such cesspool, privy or other receptacle is so constructed that no portion of its contents can escape or be washed into any such waters.

3. No human excrement, or compost containing human excrement, or contents of any privy or cesspool or sewer, or other receptacle for the reception or storage of human excrement, shall be deposited or discharged upon or into the ground at any place from which any such excrement, compost or contents, or particles thereof, may flow or be washed or carried into Great Pond, so called, said pond being in the towns of Randolph and Braintree and used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply, or into any reservoir, lake, pond, stream, ditch, water course or other open waters, the water of which flows directly or ultimately into said Great Pond.

4. No house slops, sink waste, water which has been used for washing or cooking, or other polluted water, shall be discharged into Great Pond, so called, said pond being in the towns of Randolph and Braintree and used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply, or into any reservoir, lake, pond, stream, ditch, water course or other open waters, the water of which flows directly or ultimately into said Great Pond; and no house slops, sink waste, water which has been used for washing or cooking, or other polluted water, shall be discharged into the ground within fifty feet, or

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upon the ground within two hundred and fifty feet, of high water mark of any open waters flowing as aforesaid into said Great Pond.

5. No garbage, manure or putrescible matter whatsoever, shall be put into Great Pond, so called, said pond being in the towns of Randolph and Braintree and used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply, or into any reservoir, lake, pond, stream, ditch, water course or other open waters, the water of which flows directly or ultimately into said Great Pond; and no garbage, manure or putrescible matter whatsoever, shall, except in the cultivation and use of the soil in the ordinary methods of agriculture, be put upon the ground within two hundred and fifty feet of high-water mark of any open waters flowing as aforesaid into said Great Pond.

6. No stable, pig-sty, hen-house, barn-yard, hog-yard, hitching or standing place for horses, cattle or other animals, or other place where animal manure is deposited or accumulates, shall be located, constructed or maintained, any part of which is within fifty feet of high-water mark of Great Pond, so called, said pond being in the towns of Randolph and Braintree and used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply, or within fifty feet of high-water mark of any reservoir, lake, pond, stream, ditch, water course or other open waters, the water of which flows directly or ultimately into said Great Pond. No stable or other place, as above enumerated, shall be located, constructed or maintained within two hundred and fifty feet of high-water mark of said Great Pond, or within two hundred and fifty feet of high-water mark of any open waters flowing as afore-mentioned into said Great Pond, unless suitable and and adequate provision is made to prevent

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any manure or other polluting matter from flowing or being washed into said Great Pond or such open waters.

7. No interment shall, except by permission in writing by the Board of Water Commissioners of the town of Randolph and the Board of Water Commissioners of the town of Holbrook, be made in any cemetery or other place of burial, within fifty feet of high-water mark of that portion of Great Pond, so called, situated within the limits of the the town of Randolph and used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply, or within fifty feet of high-water mark of any reservoir, lake, pond, stream, ditch, water course or other open waters within the limits of the town of Randolph, the water of which flows directly or ultimately into said portion of said Great Pond.

8. No lands, which were not under the control of cemetery authorities and used for cemetery purposes on June 15, 1926, from the which the natural drainage flows into Great Pond, so called, said pond being in the towns of Randolph and Braintree and used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply, or into any reservoir, lake, pond, stream, ditch, water course or other open waters, the water of which flows directly or ultimately into said Great Pond, shall be taken or used for cemetery purposes until a plan and description of the lands which it is proposed to use of such purposes, sufficient for their identification, shall be presented to the State Department of Public Health, and until such taking or use shall be approved in writing by said State Department of Public Health.

9. No manufacturing refuse or waste product or polluting liquid, or other substance of a nature poisonous or injurious either to human beings or animals, or other putrescible matter whatsoever, shall be discharged dir-

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ectly into, or at any place from which it may flow or be washed or carried into, Great Pond, so called, said pond being in the towns of Randolph and Braintree and used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply, or into any reservoir, lake, pond, stream, ditch, water course or other open waters, the water of which flows directly or ultimately into said Great Pond.

10. No system of sewers or other works for the collection, conveyance, disposal or purification or domestic or manufacturing sewage or drainage, or any other putrescible matter whatsoever, shall, except in accordance with plans first approved in writing by the State Department of Public Health, be constructed or maintained at any place within the watershed of Great Pond, so called, said pond being in the towns of Randolph and Braintree and used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply. No private or separate sewer shall be constructed or maintained, having an outlet upon or in the ground within two hundred and fifty feet of high-water mark of said Great Pond, or within two hundred and fifty feet of high-water mark of any reservoir, lake, pond, stream, ditch, water course or other open waters, the water of which flows directly or ultimately into said Great Pond.

11. No public or private hospital, or other place intended for the reception or treatment of persons afflicted with a contagious or infectious disease, shall, until the location and construction thereof have been approved in writing by the State Department of Public Health, be located or constructed at any place within the watershed of Great Pond, so called, said pond being in the towns of Randolph and Braintree and used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply. No public or private hospital, or other place intended for the

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reception or treatment of person afflicted with a contagious or infectious disease, shall be maintained at any place within such watershed, unless all the provisions required by the State Department of Public Health for the purification or disposal of sewage, drainage or other polluting or organic matter, which may be discharged therefrom, have been complied with, and unless all orders issued from time to time by said State Department of Public Health in relation to the purification and disposal of sewage, drainage and other polluting or organic matter, which may be discharged therefrom, are fully complied with.

12. No tannery, currying shop, or other establishment where the skin, wool, hair or fur of any animal is treated, shall until the location and construction thereof have been approved in writing by the State Department of Public Health, be located or constructed at any place within the watershed of Great Pond, so called, said pond being in the towns of Randolph and Braintree and used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply. No tannery, currying shop, or other establishment or place where the skin, wool, hair or fur of any animal is treated, shall be maintained at any place within such watershed, unless all the provisions required by the State Department of Public Health for the purification or disposal of sewage, drainage or other polluting or organic matter, which may be discharged therefrom, have been complied with, and unless all orders issued from time to time by said State Department of Public Health in relation to the purification and disposal of sewage, drainage and other polluting or organic matter, which may be discharged therefrom, are fully complied with.

13. No slaughter house or other building for carrying on the business of slaughtering cattle, sheep or other

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animals, and no melting or rendering establishment, shall, until the location and construction thereof have been approved in writing by the State Department of Public Health, be located or constructed at any place within the watershed of Great Pond, so called, said pond being in the towns of Randolph and Braintree and used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply. No slaughter house or other building for carrying on the business of slaughtering cattle, sheep or other animals, and no melting or rendering establishment, shall be maintained at any place within such watershed, unless all the provisions required by the State Department of Public Health for the purification or disposal of sewage, drainage or other polluting or organic matter, which may be discharged therefrom, have been complied with, and unless all orders issued from time to time by said State Department of Public Health in relation to the purification and disposal of sewage, drainage or other polluting or organic matter, which may be discharged therefrom, are fully complied with.

14. No person shall bathe in, and no person shall, unless permitted by a special regulation or by a written permit of the Board of Water Commissioners of the town of Randolph and the Board of Water Commissioners of the town of Holbrook, fish in, or send, drive or put any animal into, that portion of Great Pond, so called, situated within the limits of the town of Randolph and used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply, or bathe or fish in, or send, drive or put any animal into, any reservoir, lake, pond, stream, ditch, water course or other open waters, the water of which flows directly or ultimately into that said portion of said Great Pond. No person other than a member, officer, agent or employee of either of said boards of water com-

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missioners, or public officer whose duty may so require, shall, unless so permitted by regulation or permit of said boards of water commissioners, enter or go, in any boat, skiff, raft or other contrivance, on or upon the water of said portion of said Great Pond, or on or upon the water of any reservoir, lake, pond, stream, ditch, water course or other open waters, the water of which flows directly or ultimately into said portion of said Great Pond, nor shall enter or go upon or drive any animal upon, the ice of any said waters.

15. No person shall enter upon that portion of Great Pond, so called, situated within the limits of the town of Randolph and used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply, for the purpose of cutting or taking ice, or cut or take ice from said portion of said Great pond, without a written permit, signed by the Board of Water Commissioners of the town of Randolph and the Water Commissioners of the town of Holbrook, stating the time and place for which such permission is given.

The granting and withholding of permits required by Rules 14 and 15 is hereby delegated by the State Department of Public Health to the Board of Water Commissioners of the town of Holbrook and the Board of Water Commissioners of the town of Holbrook.

16. All reports which may be made to any board of health, or to any health officer of any town, of cases of contagious or infectious disease occurring within the watershed of Great Pond, so called, said pond being in the towns of Randolph and Braintree and used by the towns of Randolph and Holbrook as a source of water supply, shall be open to the inspection at all reasonable times of the Board of Water Commissioners of the town of Randolph and the Board of Water Commissioners of

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the town of Holbrook, or either of them, and of their officers and agents.

By order of the State Department of Public Health.

(Signed)

GEORGE H. BIGELOW,

Commissioner of Public Health.
Randolph, July 17, 1926.

We the undersigned Certify that the foregoing Rules and Regulations, adopted by the State Department of Public Health were published in the Randolph Sentinel-News, July 16, 1926.

(Signed)

RICHARD F. FORREST,

HENRY J. MEANEY.

Randolph, July 17, 1926.

Norfolk ss

Then personally appeared Richard F. Forrest and Henry J. Meaney, who on oath declared the above statement made by them to be True

Before me, John B. McNeill,

Justice of the Peace.

My commission expires September 27, 1926.

The above Rules and Regulations, together with the original Publishment were Filed this 17th day of July, 1926.

(Signed)

JOHN B. McNEILL,

Town Clerk of Randolph.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

The following regulations until further notice, shall be considered a part of the contract with every person who uses water:

1. All applications for use of water must be made at the office of the Water Commissioners, and state fully the purposes for which it is intended to be used. Water will not be introduced to premises except on the written application of the owner thereof, or by a duly authorized agent. The property will in all cases be held responsible for the water rates.

2. All persons taking water must keep their water pipes and fixtures in good repair and protected from the frost at their own expense. They will be held liable for all damages resulting from their failure to do so. They shall prevent all unnecessary waste, and water shall not be left running to prevent freezing. The Water Commissioners or their agent may, from time to time, ascertain the quantity of water used, the manner of its use, and whether there is any unnecessary waste. They and their agents shall have free access to the premises supplied, to examine the apparatus, and if any fixtures are found not to be in good order, they shall direct them repaired, and if not repaired within two days the water shall be shut off and not let on again until such repairs are made, and the sum of two dollars paid for shutting off and turning on the water.

3. The occupant of any premises, when unnecessary waste of water occurs, shall be liable to a fine of two dollars for the first offence, and four dollars for the second offence during the same year, and shall be notified thereof in writing; and if such waste is not prevented and the

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aforesaid paid within two days from the time when the said notice is given, the water shall be shut off the premises, and shall not be again let on for the same occupant until the waste be stopped and the fine paid, together with an additional sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water and in case of a third or subsequent offence the water shall be shut off, and shall not again be let on except by a vote of the water Commissioners and the payment of such fine, not exceeding ten dollars, as the Water Commissioners may impose.

4. Any person supplied with water shall not allow another to take water from their fixtures without the written permission of the Water Commissioners. If any tenant having no fixtures, has any use of such fixtures, full rates will be charged for such use by each tenant.

5. All parties using water in stables, for horses or other animals, will be charged scheduled rates for the same, whether it be carried by hand or through hose.

6. All persons using water for building purposes are required to obtain a permit from the Water Commissioners before taking water from any faucet or fixture connected with the water works, and all water takers are warned not to let any party take water from their premises until they show a permit from the Water Commissioners. Any person furnishing water in violation of this section will be subject to a fine not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and if the same when levied is not paid within three days from the time when the notice thereof is given, the water will be shut off from the premises and will not be let on again until such fine is paid.

7. All fixtures and water closets and urinals must be of a kind and quality approved by the Water Commissioners, also a Vacuum Valve must be installed on all

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Pressure Range Boilers connected with the system.

8. No person shall in any case be allowed to open any fire hydrants except by a written permit from the Water Commissioners; but the Engineers of the Fire Department shall in all cases have control of hydrants at fires and for practice.

9. The Commissioners reserve the right to restrict the use of hose or fountain, to shut off the water in all cases when it becomes necessary to make extensions or repairs, or for violations of any of the regulations, or whenever they deem it expedient.

10. The regular rates for the use of water shall be payable in advance on the first days of January and July of each year, except where water is supplied to manufacturers by special agreement. In all cases of non-payment of the water rates within ten days after same is due, as well as for any violations of these rules and regulations, the supply will be shut off, and payment of the amount due, and payment of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water.

11. The Water Commissioners reserve the right to change the water rates at any time, except in cases of dwelling houses and established special rates.

12. For business requiring large quantities of water, and all supplies not enumerated in the tariff of rates, special rates will be made.

13. Parties using water for manufacturing or domestic purposes can erect hydrants on their grounds or standpipes in their building to be used only as a protection against fire without additional charge for water.

14. All applicants for the introduction of service pipes to premises are required to make written application therefor at the office of the Water Commissioners. And in no case will the main be tapped more than once

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for the same premises, unless the additional expense is borne by the owner.

Charged as follows:

The following water rates are established until further notice:

No connection made with the main for any purpose for less than	\$6.00
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Dwelling Houses

Occupied by one family, for the first faucet	6.00
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Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2.00
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Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet for all, each family	5.00
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One faucet for each family	6.00
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Occupied by one family, for the first faucet	6.00
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Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2.00
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Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet for all, each family	5.00
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One faucet for each family	6.00
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Occupied by one family	6.00
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For first bathtub	5.00
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If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4.00
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Each additional bathtub	2.00
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For first pan or self-acting water closet	5.00
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If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4.00
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Each additional pan or self-acting water closet	2.00
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In no case shall the charge for the use of water by a private family, exclusive of hose and stable, be more than	20.00
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Where two faucets are used, one for hot and one for cold water, emptying into the same basin,

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only one charge shall be made for both.

Laundry tub	3.00
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Boarding Houses and Hotels

First faucet	\$10.00
Each additional faucet	3.00
First bathtub	10.00
Each additional bathtub	3.00
First pan or self-acting water closet	10.00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet	3.00

Private Stables

First horse	\$5.00
Each additional horse	3.00
Each cow or ox	1.00

Livery, Express and Boarding Stables

For the first four horses	\$12.00
From five to twelve horses, each	2.00

The above prices include water for washing carriages.

Offices, Stores, Markets, Barber Shops and Restaurants. When used for ordinary purposes, same as for dwelling houses.

Building purposes. Each cask of lime or cement	.05
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Hose

For sprinkling streets, washing windows and similar uses, $\frac{1}{4}$ inch nozzle to be used only on premises and street opposite, not exceeding two hours per day for six months in the year	\$5.00
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For any use not herein enumerated, special rates will be made.

Meter Rates Payable at Time of Reading.

For not over 133 cubic feet average per day, per 100 cubic feet	\$0.23
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For over 133 cubic feet and not exceeding 266
cubic feet average per day, per 100 cubic feet .19

For over 266 cubic feet average per day .15

Providtd that in no case where a meter is used
shall the annual charge be less than \$7.00.

Meters may be supplied by the Water Commis-
sioners, for which annual rental will be charged
as follows:

Size $\frac{5}{8}$ inch \$1.00 per year

Size $\frac{3}{4}$ inch \$1.00 per year

All need repairs, damages by frost and heat excepted,
will be made at the expense of the town.

RICHARD F. FORREST,

JOHN B. McNEILL,

HENRY J. MEANEY,

Water Commissioners.

Report of TOWN TREASURER

1926

John B. McNeill, Treasurer, and Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer Pro Tem, in account with the Town of Randolph.
Dr.

1926

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1925		\$7,855.96
Received for notes in anticipation of Revenue		148,000.00
Received for notes, High School Equipment (1925)		5,000.00
Received for notes, Road Roller, 1926		3,800.00
Received for notes, Water Extension, 1926		3,000.00
Received Taxes, 1922	\$8.35	
Received Taxes, 1923	586.50	
Received Taxes, 1924	9,561.98	
Received Taxes, 1925	36,087.53	
Received Taxes, 1926	90,714.97	
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		136,959.33
Received from State Treasurer:		
Temporary Aid	\$913.66	
Vocational Education	513.69	
Tuition of Children	966.38	

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State Paupers	19.50	
Division Sanitoria	122.25	
Income Tax 1923	94.50	
Income Tax 1924	119.70	
Income Tax 1925	335.00	
Income Tax 1926	18,191.69	
Additional Income Tax 1926	5,117.72	
Street Railway Tax	663.55	
Corp. Tax, P. S.	2,801.66	
Corp. Tax, Business	1,629.84	
National Bank Tax	345.18	
Trust Co. Tax	703.31	
Burial Indigent Soldiers	60.00	
State Aid	1,092.00	
Soldiers' Exemption	176.58	
Canton Street	1,400.00	
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		35,266.21
Received from Water Department:		
Bal. on hand Dec. 31, 1925	\$2,251.94	
Received Water Rates	18,507.52	
Received Interest Water Acct.	39.98	
Received Water Abatements	264.09	
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		21,063.53
Received from Interest:		
On Taxes of 1922	\$1.94	
On Taxes of 1923	101.20	
On Taxes of 1924	961.60	
On Taxes of 1925	1,080.84	
On Taxes of 1926	110.61	
On Deposits	204.65	
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		2,460.84
Received from Almshouse:		
For Board	\$433.00	
For Produce	206.49	

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For use of team	62.50	
For sale of Calf	5.00	
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		706.99
Received from County Treasurer:		
Land damage, Old St.	\$45.00	
Land damage, Chestnut St.	372.50	
Land damage, Warren St.	167.60	
Land damage, Canton St.	275.00	
Building Canton St.	1,400.00	
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		2,260.10
Received from Holbrook		57.50
Received from Chelsea		486.00
Received from Woburn		90.00
Received from Boston		726.72
Aid refunded "Poor Out" Acct.		152.00
Aid refunded "Board of Health" Acct.		10.00
Received Interest Coddington Fund		86.45
Refunded "Gypsy Moth" Acct.		43.75
Miscellaneous—Removing tree	\$55.50	
Refunded by School Committee	78.13	
Refunded by Sealer of W. & M.	48.52	
Refunded on acct. damage to High-		
way	150.00	
Refunded fire losses	400.00	
Refunded for Pumping out cellar	17.40	
Refunded fines from District		
Court	581.67	
Refunded fines from Dedham	123.50	
Junk Dealers' Licenses	50.00	
Bus License	50.00	
Refunded acct. Salary	20.00	
Licenses Various Kinds	99.50	

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Refunded for tel., postage, etc.	5.50	
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		\$369,705.10
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1926		
Paid Orders of Selectmen		\$224,364.38
Paid Notes Ant. Revenue		126,000.00
Paid High School Bonds		5,000.00
Paid Note Water Ext.		1,200.00
Paid Note Highway Loan 1924		1,500.00
Paid Note Highway Loan 1925		800.00
Paid Note North Randolph School		1,000.00
Paid Note Fire Equipment		1,300.00
Paid Note Highway Loan 1923		1,300.00
Paid Note Stetson High School		1,500.00
Paid Note Highway Loan 1920		1,000.00
Paid Note Refunding Debt		1,000.00
Credit by Abatements:		
Taxes of 1923		263.65
Water Abatements		264.09
Balance Dec. 31, 1926		3,212.98
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		\$369,705.10

STATEMENT SHOWING PROVISIONS FOR PAYING NOTES AND BONDS

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

	High School Bonds	Water Main Extension	Highway Loan, 1924	Highway Loan, 1925	North Randolph School	Fire Equipment	Highway Loan, 1923	High School	Highway Loan, 1920	Refunding	High School Equipment	Road Roller	Water Main Extension, 1926	Total
1927	\$5,000	\$1,200	\$1,500	\$800	\$1,000	\$1,300	\$1,300	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$18,600
1928	5,000	1,200	1,500	700		1,300	1,300		1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	16,000
1929	5,000	1,200	1,000						1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	12,200
1930	5,000								1,000	1,000	1,000	800		8,800
1931	5,000								1,000	1,000	1,000			7,000
1932	5,000								1,000	1,000				6,000
1933	5,000								1,000	1,000				6,000
1934	5,000								1,000	1,000				6,000
1935	5,000								1,000	1,000				6,000
1936	5,000								1,000	1,000				6,000
1937	4,000								1,000	1,000				5,000
1938	4,000													4,000
1939	4,000													4,000
1940	4,000													4,000
	\$66,000	\$3,600	\$4,000	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$2,600	\$2,600	\$1,500	\$4,000	\$11,000	\$5,000	\$3,800	\$3,000	\$109,600
							Notes in anticipation of Revenue							62,000
							Total							\$171,600

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Randolph, Mass., Feb. 10, 1927.

The undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, Mass., respectfully report that we have examined the accounts of the Town Treasurer and find same correctly kept with proper vouchers and entries for all payments and receipts. We have balanced cash and reconciled bank balance.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN H. RUDDERHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
Auditors.

Norfolk ss.

Randolph, Feb. 10, 1927.

Subscribed and sworn to before me.

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

JOHN B. McNEILL, Treasurer

in account with

RANDOLPH WATER LOAN SINKING FUND

DR.

Received for interest on four N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Bonds	\$80.00
Received for interest on deposit in Ran- dolph Trust Co.	72.74
Received for interest on deposit in Ran- dolph Savings Bank	4.23
Received for five Town of Randolph Water	

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Bonds	5,000.00
Withdrawn from Randolph Trust Co.	5,000.00

\$10,156.97

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Paid 10 Town of Randolph Water Bonds	\$10,000.00
Deposited in Randolph Trust Co.	152.74
Deposited in Randolph Savings Bank	4.23

\$10,156.97

STATE OF THE RANDOLPH WATER LOAN SINK- ING FUND, DEC. 31, 1926

Four New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Bonds	\$4,000.00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	97.90
Deposit in Randolph Trust Co.	72.46
Uncut Bond Coupons Jan., 1926	100.00
Uncut Bond Coupons July, 1926	180.00

\$4,450.36

STATE OF THE TOWN OF RANDOLPH SPECIAL FUND

Amount on hand Jan. 1, 1926	\$3,252.48
Interest on deposit, Randolph Trust Co.	147.98

Amount on deposit, Dec. 31, 1926, in Ran- dolph Trust Co.	\$3,400.46
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STATE OF THE SOLDIERS' MONUMENT FUND

Amount on hand Jan. 1, 1926	\$217.51
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Interest accrued on deposit	9.88
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Amount on deposit Dec. 31, 1926, in Randolph Savings Bank	\$227.39
CODDINGTON FUND	
Amount on hand Jan. 1, 1926	\$1,900.00
Interest accrued on deposit	86.45
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	\$1,986.45
Interest withdrawn	86.45
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Amount on hand Jan. 1, 1927	\$1,900.00

Randolph Mass., Feb. 10, 1927.

We the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the Sinking Fund and found same to agree as per statement above made.

We have examined the Coddington Fund amounting to nineteen hundred (\$1900) dollars on deposit in the Randolph Savings Bank; also the Special Fund amounting to thirty-four hundred and 46/100 (\$3400.46) dollars on deposit in the Savings Department of the Randolph Trust Company, and the Soldiers' Monument Fund amounting to two hundred twenty-seven and 39/100 (\$227.39) dollars on deposit in the Randolph Savings Bank and find the same to correspond with the accounts of the Town Treasurer.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN H. RUDDERHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
Auditors.

Norfolk ss., Feb. 10, 1927

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1926

Cash on hand		\$3,212.98
Due from taxes:		
1922	\$323.88	
1923	1,471.40	
1924	4,520.37	
1925	14,649.97	
1926	71,065.03	
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Water rates outstanding		2,847.42
Water loan sinking fund		4,450.36
Due from Norfolk County:		
Dog licenses, 1926	\$1,185.94	
Canton Street	1,100.00	
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Due from Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Temporary aid	\$1,058.50	
State aid	942.00	
Continuation school	1,034.26	
Military aid	170.00	
Canton Street	1,100.00	
Div. sanatoria	260.71	
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		\$109,392.82
Notes in anticipation of revenue		\$62,000.00
Overlay 1922	\$330.27	
Overlay 1923	1,776.13	
Overlay 1924	1,291.11	
Overlay 1925	2,005.42	
Overlay 1926	2,976.97	
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Completing Canton Street		2,765.00	
Gate at pumping station		400.00	
Assessors' maps		1,000.00	
Unpaid bills		20,050.74	
Salary of Town officers		2,314.89	
Surplus revenue		12,482.29	
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			\$109,392.82
Bonded debt of the Town			\$109,600.00
Stetson High School bonds	\$66,000.00		
Water main extension	3,600.00		
Highway loan 1920	4,000.00		
Highway loan 1923	2,600.00		
Highway loan 1924	4,000.00		
Highway loan 1925	1,500.00		
North Randolph School	1,000.00		
Fire equipment	2,600.00		
High School	1,500.00		
Refunding Town debt	11,000.00		
Road roller	3,800.00		
Water extension 1926	3,000.00		
High School equipment	5,000.00		
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	\$109,600.00		\$109,600.00

Jury List

Abrams, Samuel, North St.	Shoeworker
Allen, Chas. E., No. Main St.	Carpenter
Baker, Arthur C., Roel St.	Clerk
Baker, Ernest R., Roel St.	Shoeworker
Barry, William T., West St.	Shoeworker
Beers, Edgar F., Union St.	Salesman
Boardman, Willard, No. Main St.	Shoeworker
Bustard, Carl, Cross St.	Clerk
Callahan, Michael, Emiline St.	Carpenter
Clark, John E.	Shoeworker
Condon, Frank M., Union St.	Shoeworker
Cordingly, Percy	Wood Dealer
Crockett, Percy, North St.	Contractor
Crothers, Leon H. Jr., Roel St.	Clerk
Cullity, Daniel M., No. Main St.	Clerk
Cushman, Lewis W., No. Main St.	Retired
Derocher, Edmund, Howard St.	Shoeworker
Diauto, Michael J., Warren St.	Bookkeeper
Driscoll, Frederick, Bartlett Rd.	Plumber
Driscoll, Frederick, Bartlet Rd.	Plumber
Duffy, James P., Orchard St.	Real Estate
Fahey, Edward F., Silver St.	Insurance
Fardy, James, North St.	Retired
Foley, James E., Cottage St.	Retired
Flynn, Patrick J., So. Main St.	Shoeworker
Goeres, Thomas R., No. Main St.	Shoeworker
Gove, Clarence U., No. Main St.	Laborer
Harris, Joseph B., Fairmount St.	Salesman
Heney, Charles L., South St.	Salesman

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Hill, Charles D., No. Main St.	Real Estate Dealer
Hurley, James H., No. Main St.	Real Estate Dealer
Jones, Fred B., Centre St.	Musician
Kiernan, Thomas F., North St.	Shoeworker
Leavitt, William H., Main St.	Accountant
Linnehan, John E., Depot St.	Salesman
Lynch, James, North St.	Shoeworker
Lyons, C. Fred, Wales Ave.	Retired
Lyons, Daniel P., Cross St.	Salesman
Mahoney, John J., Warren St.	Bookkeeper
Marcille, John H., Centre St.	Shoeworker
McMahon, Edward H., South St.	Retired
McMahon, Joseph J., South St.	Retired
Merrill, Carl B., No. Main St.	Salesman
Morgan, Henry V., Warren St.	Accountant
Mullins, Timothy R., School St.	Retired
O'Brien, Thomas S., South St.	Shoeworker
O'Leary, Timothy M., Plain St.	Shoeworker
Powderly, Charles T., No. Main St.	Shoeworker
Reynolds, O. E., No. Main St.	Merchant
Sawyer, George F., Liberty St.	Shoeworker
Stetson, Thomas L., North St.	Retired
Sullivan, George A., Maple St.	Shoeworker
Sullivan, M. F., South St.	Shoeworker
Teed, Frank F., Oak St.	Carpenter
Walsh, Albert E., No. Main St.	Carpenter
Wilde, Albert C., Liberty St.	Salesman
Yates, Robert A., No. Main St.	Builder

Assessors' Report—1926

TO THE CITIZENS OF RANDOLPH:

The Board of Assessors for the year 1926 organized with Henry V. Morgan, Chairman and James H. Hurley and James E. Foley Associate Assessors.

Our report for the year 1926, submitted herewith, contains a discussion of various matters of interest and importance, which we believe should receive your attention and careful consideration.

TAX RATE—\$32.00

Our tax rate of \$32.00 per thousand included an increase of \$5.20 per thousand, which resulted from a tremendous increase in appropriations. The total appropriations, voted to be raised through the tax levy of 1926 was \$207,021.93, and was the highest in the history of the town.

Our Board actually raised by taxation \$37,321.62 more in 1926 than in the previous year. This amount was equivalent to an increase in the tax rate of \$8.27 per thousand, but we were forced to raise the rate only \$5.20 per thousand, because of:

First: The income derived from the valuation applied to new buildings.

Second: The additional valuation resulting from the

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revaluation of certain properties, here-in-after referred to and explained.

Third: A savings of about \$1.00 per thousand, resulting from the changing of the method of financing our Water Department, made effective at the Annual Town Meeting of 1926, whereby a budget was provided by the citizens of the town for the operation of the Water Department, and the receipts of said department were used by the Assessors in determining the tax levy. Whereas the receipts of said Water Department exceeded the amount of the budget provided for the operation of the Department, to the extent of about \$4,500.00, the amount of such excess receipts was credited to the benefit of taxpayers in the determination of the tax levy and resulted as previously stated in a saving of about \$1.00 per thousand.

To indicate the extent to which the annual cost of conducting our town is increasing, we submit the following data for a period of five years:

Year	Total Appropriations voted to be raised through the tax levy.
1922	\$127,630.21
1923	148,199.35
1924	147,028.55
1925	168,816.09
1926	207,021.93

It will be noted that the increase in appropriations over a period of five years—1922 to 1926—amounts to approximately \$80,000.00, an increase of 63%. If this entire increase in the cost of conducting our town had to be absorbed in our tax rate, the rate for 1926 would have been \$54.44 per thousand. The reasons why the

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tax rate was \$32.00 for 1926 instead of \$54.44 is because the increased cost of conducting the town was absorbed by increased valuation, the approximate division of which is as follows:—

Period 1922 to 1926 inclusive:

Valuation of new buildings —for the most part dwelling houses	\$750,000.00
Valuation added to existing properties by reason of equalization of valuations;—general increase in value of property due to higher cost of reproduction as a result of increased building costs;—re-valuation of land from acreage to building lot basis as a result of developments:—and increase in personal estate due to increase in number of automobiles owned and taxed	750,000.00
Valuation of properties untaxed heretofore added to tax list, particularly land and certain classes of personal estate	250,000.00
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	\$1,750,000.00

The above data is submitted to guide the taxpayers of our town, and in order to impress upon them the necessity of practicing economy in connection with appropriations for the coming year and future years. For it can not be disputed that were it not for conditions as set forth above with regard to increased valuation, together with activity on the part of Assessors, by way of the interest manifested by them in the town's financial condition and methods employed, which among other things

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resulted in the transfer of surplus cash from the treasury to reductions in the tax levy, the change in method of financing the Water Department, etc.—not only the tax rate but the actual individual tax bill of every property owner of Randolph would have been considerably higher.

PETITION OF THE LADIES LIBRARY ASSOCIATION FOR EXEMPTION OF TAXES

The question of exemption of the Ladies Library Association, as a charitable and literary association again came before our Board for consideration.

While we do not feel that specific mention of any individual or organization seeking abatement of taxes should be given undue publicity, we do feel that discussion is not only proper but necessary when claim is based on the ground that the petitioner is an organization existing primarily for the public good, whose dominant and paramount purpose of existence is the performance of public charitable works and public diffusion of knowledge.

The theory of abatement of taxes on property used for charitable and literary purposes, is, that in return for general benefits received by its citizens, the city or town granting abatements actually contributes to the support of such an organization to the amount of the exemption granted. In other words should the town grant an abatement of \$150.00 to any such organization, the citizens are actually forced to pay this amount out of their own pockets. The entire community would be contributing to the maintenance of the exempted body.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Up to the time that the present Board of Assessors refused to grant further exemptions, the Ladies Library Association, had benefited to the extent of over \$1,000.00 by exemptions heretofore made.

The Commissioner of Taxation has advised with us that the Ladies Library Association is not such a charitable and literary association as to be entitled to exemption.

A formal demand for exemption has been made again this year by the Association through its Boston attorneys. After careful consideration of the evidence of its charitable and literary activities submitted to us, by the Ladies Library Association, through its attorneys, we still feel that the extent thereof is so limited, that they are only incidental to the real dominant and paramount purpose of its existence, to wit—the social advancement and entertainment of its members.

Were we to find otherwise, every other social and fraternal organization owning property in Randolph would be likewise entitled to exemption.

Our full Board concur in this opinion.

EXPLANATION OF INCREASE IN VALUATION

It will be noted, by reference to our table of valuations, included in this report, that the increase in valuation in 1926 amounted to \$466,550.00, approximately \$175,000.00 of this amount representing the valuation placed on new dwelling houses and other new buildings.

The balance was derived principally from two sources:

First, from land under development, the revaluation being based on increased sales prices, and from changing

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the valuation applied to certain large parcels of land assessed previously on basis of acreage, to a building lot basis in connection with new developments such as Braintreeville Manor on the lower end of North Street.

Secondly, by the revaluation of property in our business section on Main Street. In the effort of our Board to keep assessed valuations, used for the apportionment of taxes, consistent with the actual market cash value of property, we considered it necessary to revalue this section of our Town.

For the last ten years the tendency of values, as represented by sales prices of property in our business section on Main Street has been upward.

The monthly rental of retail stores on Main Street has increased in practically every case. As an illustration, the monthly rent of several stores which only a few years ago was \$25.00 has been increased to \$65.00 and \$75.00 per month.

The demand for space in our business section exceeds the supply. There is not one vacant store available for renting between Central Square and the junction of Warren and Main Streets. There is not one piece of real estate in this section on the market for sale, although both local and metropolitan builders and developers have been making offers for various properties, many times greater than the assessed value of the same. This shortage of space for business purposes, together with the demand for such space has resulted in increased rental rates, and necessarily results in increased valuation of the properties.

As a further evidence of the fact that the conditions

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above enumerated have caused an increase in the valuation of said properties, our Board refers to a recent purchase made by a local bank, the directors of which are for the most part local men, presumably familiar with local values. According to our records the lot purchased covered 4500 feet of land in our business section. The price paid was \$5,500.00, which is more than \$1.22 per square foot.

DIVISION OF THE TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS BY DEPARTMENTS INDICATING THE PERCENTAGE OF EACH DEPARTMENT'S APPROPRIATIONS TO THE TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS:

	1925	1926
Education	46%	41%
Streets—repairs, snow removal, etc.	10%	14%
Indebtedness—notes, interest, discount	9%	13%
State and County taxes	9%	8%
Poor and welfare	7%	6%
Fire department	4%	4%
Administrative	4%	4%
Street lighting	4%	4%
Miscellaneous—unclassified	3%	1%
Insurance	2%	2%
Police department	1%	2%
Tree and moth department	1%	1%
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Total	100%	100%

The above data indicates that forty-one cents of every dollar raised by taxation in 1926 were expended for education, fourteen cents of every dollar for the highway department, etc.

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It will be noted that two accounts show large increases in 1926. First, the highway department, due to an increase in the number and amount of special street repair appropriations, increased labor rates, increase of snow removal appropriations from \$1,000.00 in 1925 to \$7,000.00 in 1926, and a portion of the cost of a new steam roller.

The other account showing a large increase, viz: Indebtedness—Notes, Bonds, Interest and Discount, indicates the extent to which the outstanding indebtedness of the Town is growing. While at the time of preparing this statement the report of the Town Treasurer is not available, we believe that it will show that the outstanding indebtedness of the Town as of December 31, 1926, is the highest in the history of the Town. THIS CONDITION MEANS HIGHER TAXES UNTIL SUCH TIME AS THE AMOUNT OF OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS IS REDUCED.

Until this is accomplished, the taxpayers should be careful not to increase the outstanding debt of the Town by future appropriations providing for the raising of money by bond and note issues.

As of January 1, 1926, the Town had outstanding TEN note and bond issues, and at the Annual Town Meeting of 1926 the voters authorized three additional issues, viz: for a new steam roller, a water extension on Highland Avenue, and for new school equipment, making a total of THIRTEEN note and bond issues outstanding January 1, 1927. What does this mean? How does it affect the Town? It means that annually in the future the taxpayers must assume the burden of paying a large amount of interest on the outstanding debt and also pay off each year, a portion of the principal in accordance

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with the provisions of the various bond and note issues. It affects the Town by reason of increased and higher taxes. Note the following comparison with the year 1922, only 5 years ago.

	Note and Bond Issues	Raised in Tax Levy
1926	13	\$23,350.00
1922	7	\$14,100.00

This comparison indicates that our Town has, in the last few years, done what various other communities in our district have done, that is, authorized and obtained a lot of improvements and spread the cost of them over future years. Our Board agrees that this policy is sound up to a certain point, for needed improvements such as the new High School, but we do not subscribe to and hereby sound a warning to taxpayers against, obtaining too many and in some cases unnecessary improvements in this manner. We believe that thirteen note and bond issues in a town of our size and wealth is too many. In 1927 we estimate a further increase in the appropriation for the retirement of bonds, notes and for the payment of interest on the outstanding debt, due to the additional note issues of 1926, and we at this time feel that in the vicinity of \$28,000.00 will have to be raised for the purpose by taxation, representing about \$5.50 in the tax levy and resulting in an additional increase in the tax rate of about \$1.00 per thousand.

We believe that our Town should profit by the experience of neighboring towns and cities. A good illustration is found in a city close by, which during recent years expended huge sums for various improvements such as new schools, permanent highways, fire

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apparatus, new building for fire department headquarters, an expensive parkway for motor vehicles and various other improvements. Some of these improvements were necessary and consistent with the growth of the particular city referred to. Others could have been deferred or in fact not accomplished at all, for the rate of taxation was thereby increased to such a point that it became a tremendous burden to business interests especially, and in general to all the taxpayers.

In Randolph's tax rate of 1927 more than \$5.50 per thousand (which includes an increase over the previous year of about \$1.00) must be included to cover the cost of indebtedness incurred in previous years.

This condition of affairs injures and reduces our borrowing capacity. And for this reason some much needed improvement, some emergency of the future, may suffer or be deferred as a result of our borrowing capacity being used up almost to the limit.

We have brought this matter to the attention of the citizens of our town through this report and also verbally at town meeting so that the importance of the situation may be understood, and so that the taxpayers may be guided in the matter of future appropriations.

ASSESSED VALUATION

1926

Personal Estate	\$819,450.00
Real Estate—Land	1,153,750.00
Real Estate—Buildings	2,976,300.00
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Total	\$4,949,500.00

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1925

Personal Estate	\$809,800.00
Real Estate—Land	1,088,050.00
Real Estate—Buildings	2,585,100.00
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Total	\$4,482,950.00

INCREASE IN VALUATION YEAR 1926

Personal Estate	\$9,650.00
Real Estate—Land	65,700.00
Real Estate—Buildings	391,200.00
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Total	\$466,550.00

APPROPRIATIONS MADE AT THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING OF 1926, PROVIDED FOR THROUGH CURRENT TAX LEVY, CERTIFIED TO BY TOWN CLERK

Salaries of Town Officials:

Moderator	\$125.00
Selectmen	650.00
Treasurer	900.00
Town Clerk	300.00
Assessors	1,300.00
Auditors	150.00
Registrars of Voters	150.00
Tax Collector (Estimated)	1,800.00
Inspector of Animals	100.00
Inspector of Milk	100.00

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Inspector of Slaughtering	150.00	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	175.00	
Tree Warden	250.00	
Highway Surveyor	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$7,650.00
Department Expenses:		
Almshouse:		
Poor in Almshouse	\$5,000.00	
Poor out of Almshouse	1,833.43	
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Forest Fire Department	\$800.00	
Tree Department	350.00	
Board of Health	2,500.00	
Soldiers' Relief, Randolph and Holbrook	200.00	
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Notes, Interest and Discount:		
Reduction of Town Debt Notes	\$15,600.00	
Interest and Discount	7,750.00	
	<hr/>	23,350.00
Taxes Estimated:		
State Tax	\$8,040.00	
County Tax	6,349.51	
State Highway Tax	742.00	
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General Expenses:		
Miscellaneous Expenses	\$1,500.00	
Snow Removal	7,000.00	
Election Expenses	1,000.00	
Insurance	2,100.00	
Lockup Expenses	200.00	

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Printing 1925 Town Report	709.96	
Births, Marriages, Deaths	325.00	
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Water Department:

Joint Account	\$3,101.00	
Maintenance Account	4,896.00	
Construction Account	3,909.00	
Interest Account	160.00	
Chlorinator	250.00	
Painting Standpipe	1,600.00	
New auto truck	500.00	
New gate at Station	400.00	
	<hr/>	\$14,816.00

Police Department	2,800.00
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Fire Department:

General Expenses	\$800.00	
Salaries of Men	450.00	
Hour Service	700.00	
Driver of truck	1,800.00	
Extra driver one day per week	260.00	
Engineers' Salaries	150.00	
Unpaid Bills, 1925-1926	215.00	
Painting and Repairing Interior of House No. 1	200.00	
Rebuilding new and care of Fire Alar mSystem	450.00	
500 feet of hose	525.00	
Snow removal expense	225.00	
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Schools:

Stetson High School	\$16,750.00	
Teaching, Grammar Schools	32,935.00	
Fuel	4,000.00	
Books and Supplies	4,500.00	
Care of Rooms	3,800.00	
Transportation of Pupils	2,900.00	
Superintendent of Schools	1,225.00	
School Physician	100.00	
School Nurse	1,400.00	
Continuation and Trade School	1,800.00	
General Expenses	4,000.00	
School Committee	300.00	
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Less estimated revenue from:

Dog Tax	\$1,300.00
State Tuition	700.00
Coddington Fund	80.00
Vocational Education	900.00
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	\$2,980.00

Street Lighting	6,103.00
Repairs on Highways	8,600.00
Expenses of Assessors' Department	300.00
Insurance on Town Treasurer's	
Bond '26-'27	100.00
Insurance on Tax Collector's	
Bond '26-'27	100.00
Medical Attendance on Poor	300.00
Visiting Nurse Association	1,000.00
Gypsy and brown tail moths	1,000.00

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Repairs on Turner Free Library	
Building	150.00
Care of Clock	20.00
Decoration of Soldiers' Graves	225.00
Survey of Town and making of maps	500.00
Expense of taking 1925 census	300.00
Rebuilding Stetson High School	\$12,852.32
To be raised by tax levy this year	1,352.32
Purchase of traffic beacon, corner of North Main and Warren Streets	265.00
Services of William J. Good— Rosetti suit (\$557.75)	
Repairs to cistern and roadway	764.54
Fire Signal boxes	250.00
Installation of 6 lights on High Street	99.00
Installation of 10 lights on North Main Street	165.00
Installation of 2 lights on Fair- mount Street	33.00
Extension of water main on Orchard Street	825.00
Extension of water main on Center Street	2,400.00
Extension of water main on No. Main Street, corner of No. Main and Waldo Streets	700.00
Installation of water on Center Street between Union and South Streets	1,718.25
Extension of water main on Chestnut Street	1,700.00

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Connection of two dead ends on Grove Street	1,000.00
Purchase of 12 ton road roller	\$5,000.00
Raised by tax levy this year	1,200.00
Repairs to Canton Street	1,000.00
Repairs to Canton Street	1,500.00
Rebuilding Lafayette Street	1,000.00
Repairs to and drainage of How- ard Street	2,000.00
Repairs to Mill Street	2,000.00
Repairs to Grove Street, Cross Street and Wales Avenue	1,000.00
	\$207,021.93

CREDITS FROM VARIOUS SOURCES INCLUDED IN TAX LEVY—1926

Income Tax—1923 Additional	\$94.50
Income Tax—1924 Additional	110.70
Income Tax—1925 Additional	355.00
Income Tax—1926	18,191.69
Corporation Business Tax—1925 Additional	137.84
Corporation Business Tax—1926	1,500.00
Public Service Corporation Tax—1926	2,500.00
National Bank Tax—1926	300.00
Dog Tax—1926	1,300.00
Eastern Massachusetts St. R. R. Co. Tax—1926	600.00
Interest on Unpaid Taxes	1,750.00
Interest on Bank Balance	300.00
Interest—Coddington Fund—1926	85.00
Board of Health	100.00
Poor out of Almshouse	100.00

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Tuition of Children	750.00
Vocational Education	513.69
Division of Sanatoria	122.25
Revenue from Moth Dept.	150.00
Fines from Court—1926	1,000.00
From Stetson School Fund	500.00
Poll Tax	3,400.00
Almshouse	1,500.00
Miscellaneous	500.00

\$35,849.67

Water Department 18,500.00

Total Credits—1926 \$54,349.67

DETERMINATION OF TAX RATE—1926

Total appropriations	\$207,021.93
Plus—obligations not provided for by appropriations	400.00
Plus—amount of County Tax in excess of estimate	355.57

Total cost of operating town—1926	\$207,777.50
Less credits	54,349.67

Net cost of operating town year 1926	\$153,427.83
Plus overlay to cover abatements—1925	1,000.00
Plus overlay to cover abatements—1926	2,976.97

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Total amount to be provided for through tax levy	\$157,404.80
Total assessed valuation	\$4,918,900.00
Tax rate per \$1,000.00	\$32.00

TAX LEVIED AND COMMITTED TO TAX COLLECTOR—1926

Per warrant—October 1926—Tax on real and personal estate	\$157,404.80
Poll Tax	3,358.00
Per warrant—December 1926 for addi- tional assessments	1,017.20
Total	<hr/> \$161,780.00

VALUATION OF EXEMPTED PROPERTY

	Buildings	Land	Total
1st Baptist Church	\$30,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$34,000.00
1st Congregational Church	35,000.00	5,000.00	40,000.00
St. Mary's Catholic Church	40,000.00	5,000.00	45,000.00
Unitarian Church	20,000.00	5,000.00	25,000.00
Episcopal Church	7,000.00	2,500.00	9,500.00
Methodist Church	2,000.00	500.00	2,500.00
Seth Mann 2nd, Home	12,000.00	5,000.00	17,000.00
Boston School for the Deaf	340,000.00	10,000.00	350,000.00
Total			<hr/> \$523,000.00

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**VALUATION OF PROPERTY OWNED BY THE
TOWN OF RANDOLPH—1926**

Town Hall—Land	\$12,500.00	
Building	37,500.00	
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Schools—Buildings and Land:

Prescott Primary School	10,000.00	
Prescott Grammar School	25,000.00	
Chestnut Street Primary School	2,500.00	
North Randolph Primary School	10,000.00	
Belcher Grammar School	15,000.00	
Tower Hill Primary School	2,500.00	
Stetson High School with new addition	150,000.00	
Fixtures, Books and Supplies	50,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$265,000.00

Public Library:

Building and Land	\$40,000.00	
Fixtures, books, etc.	20,000.00	
	<hr/>	60,000.00

Fire Department:

Engine House No. 1	\$4,000.00
Engine House No. 2	2,000.00

The above values include
buildings only as land under
No. 1 is included with
Town Hall and land under
No. 2 is rented.

Pumping Engine	3,000.00
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Combination Fire Truck	2,000.00	
Steam Fire Engine	750.00	
Ford Truck with Chemicals	500.00	
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Police Department		
Motorcycle	\$300.00	300.00
Water Department—Entire		
System		250,000.00
Vacant Land:		
Clark Lot in rear of Stetson		
Hall on Union Street	\$1,000.00	
1 Lot North Street	300.00	
E. Fannie Belcher Lot on Park		
Street	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	2,300.00
Highway Department:		
1 one ton tractor	\$500.00	
1 steam roller	3,000.00	
Miscellaneous equipment	500.00	
	<hr/>	4,000.00
Almshouse Property		12,000.00
Funds:		
Turner High School Medal		
Fund	\$1,000.00	
Stetson High School Fund	20,000.00	
Turner Library Fund	10,000.00	
R. W. Turner Library Fund	20,000.00	
Coddington Fund	1,900.00	
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Total		\$696,250.00

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**INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THE TABLE OF
AGGREGATES PREPARED AND SUBMITTED
TO STATE TAX COMMISSIONER**

Number of residents assessed for property	1,781
Number of non-residents assessed for property	713
Total number of persons assessed for property	2,494
Number of residents assessed for poll tax only	592
Total number of persons assessed	3,086
Number of male polls assessed	1,679
Number of horses assessed	57
Number of cows assessed	220
Number of neat cattle other than cows assessed	3
Number of swine assessed	190
Number of dwelling houses assessed	1,534
Number of fowl assessed	2,590
Number of automobiles	1,032

We will conclude our report by requesting the citizens of our town to manifest their interest in and desire for lower taxes, in a practical way by attending the Annual Town Meeting and see that economy is practiced in the raising of money by appropriations.

Yours truly,

HENRY V. MORGAN, Chairman,

JAMES H. HURLEY,

JAMES E. FOLEY,

Board of Assessors.

1927 Town Meeting Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph, in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs to assemble at

STETSON HALL IN SAID TOWN, ON

MONDAY, the seventh day of March, 1927

At 5:45 o'clock in the Forenoon

Then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To choose all such Town officers as are required by law to be chosen by ballot, namely: A Moderator for one year; a Town Clerk for one year; a Town Treasurer for one year; three Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor for one year; one Member of School Committee for three years; one Trustee of Stetson School Fund for three years; a Collector of Taxes for one year; one Assessor for three years; one Water Commissioner for three years; three Auditors for one year; one Tree Warden for one year; one Highway Surveyor for one year; seven Constables for one year.

Article 2. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the

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financial year beginning January 1, 1927, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article 3. To see if the Town will appoint the Selectmen to be the agents and attorneys of the Town to prosecute, defend and compromise any and all suits in which the Town may be in any manner interested as a party or otherwise, except so far as the same relate in any manner to the water supply, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Article 4. To see if the Town will authorize and appoint the Water Commissioners to be the agents and attorneys of the Town, to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the Town may be interested as a party or otherwise so far as the same in any manner relate to the preserving, taking and use of the water of Great Pond, or to the construction of the water works, either jointly or separately, as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Article 5. To see if the Town will rescind its vote under articles 36 and 37 of the 1926 Annual Town Meeting Warrant authorizing the Treasurer to issue notes for \$11,000 to pay for High School equipment and vote to raise \$11,000 by current taxation. (Recommended by State Examiner.)

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to refund any or all of the revenue notes issued in anticipation of revenue of the year 1927, in accordance with the provisions of Section 17 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws;

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any debt so incurred to be paid from the revenue of 1927.
(Recommended by State Examiner.)

Chapter 44, Section 17. "
.....; and notes issued
under this section and sections four, five and six for
a shorter period than one year may be refunded by the
issue of other notes maturing within the required per-
iod; provided that the period from the date of issue
of the original loan and the date of maturity of the
refunding loan shall be not more than one year; and
provided, further, that no notes shall be refunded under
this section except under authority of such vote as is
required for the original borrowing."

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and
appropriate money to defray the general town expenses
for the current year, under the following headings: (Rec-
ommended by State Examiner.)

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Moderator,	Salary
Selectmen,	Salaries
	Expenses
Auditors and Accountant,	Salaries
	Expenses
Treasurer,	Salary
	Expenses (including Treas- urer's bond)
Tax Collector,	Salary
	Expenses (including Tax Collector's bond)
Assessors,	Salaries
	Expenses

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Law Department,	Salary
	Expenses
Town Clerk,	Salary
	Expenses
	Vital Statistics
Election and Registration,	Salaries (including Registrars of Voters')
	Expenses
Town Office,	Expenses

PROTECTION OF PROPERTY

Police Department,	Salaries
	Expenses
	Special expenses including traffic signs and beacons
Fire Department,	Salaries
	Expenses
	New equipment
	Fire alarm system
Forest Fires,	Salaries
	Expenses
Sealer of Weights and Measures,	Salary
	Expenses
Moth Extermination,	Salary
	Expenses
Tree Warden Department,	Salary
	Expenses

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health Department,	Salaries and expenses
Inspector of Animals,	
Inspector of Milk,	
Inspector of Slaughtering,	
Employment of health nurse,	

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HIGHWAYS

Highway Surveyor's salary,
General maintenance and repairs,
New construction,
Sidewalks, etc.,
Snow removal,
Street Lights,
Street Signs,

CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Overseers of the Poor, salaries and expenses
Almshouse, salaries and expenses
Outside Relief (including Medical Attendance on Poor,
Poor out of Almshouse, Poor of Other Towns, Mothers'
Aid)
State Aid,
Military Aid,
Soldiers' Relief,

SCHOOLS

Salaries and expenses (including Conveyance of Pupils,
employment of school nurse, etc.)
Special Appropriations

TURNER LIBRARY

Repairs,

UNCLASSIFIED

Memorial Day,
Care of Clock in First Congregational Church,
Printing and Distributing Town Reports,
Claims— (land damages, etc.),
Insurance, Fire
Workmen's Compensation
Other items

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PUBLIC ENTERPRISES

Water Department,	Joint Account
	Maintenance
	New Construction
	Main Extensions
	Service Construction
	Holbrook-Braintree water rates
	Other items

MATURING DEBT AND INTEREST

Maturing Debt,
Interest: general
reserve

RESERVE ACCOUNT

In accordance with Section 6, Chapter 40, General Laws.

Article 8. To see if the Town will create a Reserve Fund for extraordinary or unforeseen emergencies as per Section 6, Chapter 40, General Laws, and raise and appropriate money therefor. (Recommended by State Examiner.)

Section 6, Chapter 40. "To provide for extraordinary or unforeseen expenditures, a town may at an annual town meeting appropriate a sum not exceeding five per cent of the tax levy of the preceding year, to be known as the reserve fund. No direct drafts against this fund shall be made, but transfers from the fund may from time to time be voted by the finance or appropriation committee of the town, in towns having such a committee, and in other towns by the selectmen; and the town accountant in towns having

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such an official, and in other towns the auditor or board of auditors, shall make such transfers accordingly."

Article 9. To see if the Town will adopt a by-law providing for the appointment of a Finance Committee to control the Reserve Fund, as per Section 16, Chapter 39, General Laws, and appoint such Committee thereunder. (Recommended by State Examiner.)

Section 16, Chapter 39, G. L., as amended by Chapter 388, Acts 1923, is as follows: "Every town whose valuation for the purpose of apportioning the state tax exceeds one million dollars shall, and any other town may, by by-law provide for the appointment and duties of appropriation, advisory or finance committees, who shall consider any or all municipal questions for the purpose of making reports or recommendations to the town; and such by-laws may provide that committees so appointed may continue in office for terms not exceeding three years from the date of employment."

Article 10. To see if the Town will accept Section 55, Chapter 41, General Laws, and will authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Town Accountant thereunder, and will raise and appropriate money for his salary. (Recommended by State Examiner.)

Section 55, Chapter 41. "Any town may authorize the selectmen to appoint a town accountant, who shall perform the duties and possess the powers of town auditors as defined in sections fifty to fifty-three, inclusive. In towns so authorizing the appointment of town accountant the office of town auditor may if the town so vote, be abolished. In towns which have accepted chapter thirty-one or corresponding provisions

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of earlier laws, the appointment of the town accountant shall be subject to the civil service rules. The town accountant shall be sworn to the faithful performance of his duties, shall hold no other town office involving the receipt or disbursement of money, shall receive such salary as the town shall vote, and shall hold office for three years and until his successor is qualified; provided, that the town clerk, if he holds no other office involving the receipt or disbursement of money, may be appointed town accountant."

Amended as follows: By Section 8 of Chapter 486 Acts 1921, "Section fifty-five of Chapter forty-one of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out the words "shall receive such salary as the town shall vote," in the tenth and eleventh lines.

Article 11. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$8,520.64 for 1926 overdrawn accounts, as follows: (Recommended by State Examiner.)

Treasurer's Bond	\$61.50
Tax Collector's Bond	23.00
Assessors' Expense	29.50
Survey, Maps of Town	6.50
Police	39.97
Lock-up Expenses	7.97
Fire	103.48
Tree Warden	149.22
Gypsy Moth Extermination	14.15
Sealer of Weights and Measures	14.30
Board of Health	302.73
Inspector of Slaughtering	25.00
Highways, General	11.62
Highways, Grove and Cross Sts.	13.30
Snow Removal	908.05

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Poor of Other Towns	911.00
State Paupers	873.50
State Aid	942.00
Military Aid	140.00

Water Department:

Holbrook-Braintree "water rates"	997.06
Maintenance	1,150.40
No. Main Street	77.56
Grove Street	183.51
Interest and Discount	1,401.32
County Tax "Interest"	134.00

\$8,520.64

Overpayments to be refunded:

Auditors' salaries	\$30.00
Assessor's salary	98.50

Article 12. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,388.64 to cover unpaid bills of 1926 in the following Departments: (Recommended by State Examiner.)

Fire Department	\$6.46
Almshouse	29.30
Health Department	122.20
Schools (Vocational)	1,726.89
Water Department	503.79

\$2,388.64

Article 13. To see what action the Town will take in regard to \$400 raised in excess on Article 47 (water main extension on Orchard St.) in the 1926 Town Meeting Warrant. (Recommended by State Examiner.)

Article 14. To hear and act on the report of the Town Officers.

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Article 15. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint a Special Police Officer or Officers to enforce the laws.

Article 16. To see what action the Town will take relative to abatement of taxes and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 17. To see if the Town will authorize the Tax Collector to use the same means which a Town Treasurer may use when acting as Tax Collector.

Article 18. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the pay of town laborers and others hired by the day or hour.

Article 19. To hear and act on the report of any Committee and choose any committee the Town may think proper.

MISCELLANEOUS

Article 20. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the planting of public shade trees, as petitioned for by the Tree Warden, Sarah C. Belcher, Florence S. Roddan and others.

Article 21. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money to continue the work of surveying the town and the making of maps, as petitioned for by Henry V. Morgan and James H. Hurley.

Article 22. To see what action the Town will take relative to heating, lighting and providing proper sanitary conditions at the Tower Hill School, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000 for the same, as petitioned for by Frank N. French, Harold W. Macauley, Chester L. Paine and others.

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Article 23. To see if the Town will authorize the purchase of an automobile for the use of the Police Department and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by E. J. Brady, D. F. Wilbur, Russell Tweed and others.

Article 24. To see what action the Town will take in regard to raising and appropriating money for the employment of a district nurse, as provided for by Chapter 40, Section 5, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 371, Section 1, Acts of 1921.

Chapter 40, Section 5, G. L., "A town may at any town meeting appropriate money for the following purposes: . . . (21) For the employment of district or other nurses; but not more than two thousand dollars shall be appropriated for such purpose in any year. Such appropriation may be expended by the selectmen or by the board of health when so authorized by the selectmen."

Chapter 371, Section 1, Acts of 1921. "Section five of Chapter forty of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out sub-section twenty-one and inserting in place thereof the following:

(21) For the employment of district or other nurses."

Article 25. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate \$300.00 for repairs to the clock in the spire of the First Congregational Church.

Article 26. To see what action the Town will take relative to the purchase of a Fordson Tractor, with snow plow and caterpillar equipment, as petitioned for by William J. Carroll and others.

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Article 27. To see what action the Town will take under the provisions of the General Laws of the Commonwealth relative to a division of the town into convenient voting precincts, as petitioned for by Frank M. Downes, Linwood C. Brown, Ellen A. Farrell and others.

Article 28. To see what action the Town will take relative to instructing the Water Commissioners to revise the water rates, heretofore fixed by them, so as to effect a savings to water-takers as petitioned for by Henry V. Morgan and others.

Article 29. To see what action the Town will take relative to diverting such town water courses as are now represented as being a menace to the water supply used by the Town.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water main along Chestnut Street to the residence of John Stevenson and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by John Stevenson, William H. Quigley, Charles H. Truelson and others.

Article 31. To see what action the Town will take relative to changing the contract for street lighting from the so-called "Moon-light Night Schedule" under which the streets are lighted only on moonless nights and then only for part of the night—to an "All-night basis, every night in the year," as petitioned for by Henry V. Morgan, James E. Foley, Walter L. Hickey and others.

ELECTRIC LIGHT EXTENSIONS

Article 32. To see if the Town will provide two electric lights on South Street between Centre Street and the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. track (the lights to be placed

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in an advantageous position for the abutters on said part of South St.) also provide a hydrant on the water main on South St. between Centre St. and said R. R. track, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by L. B. Sanborn, Ernest Young, James H. Hurley and others.

Article 33. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of sixty-six dollars for four (4) electric lights on Old Street between Canton and North Main Streets, as petitioned for by Albert H. Williams, L. B. Prime, Alf Hansen and others.

ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

Article 34. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000 for the completion of the construction of South Street from the residence of Joseph J. McMahon to the Holbrook line, under the direction of the Highway Surveyor, as petitioned for by George Harris, Roger T. Perkins, Joseph J. McMahon and others.

Article 35. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500 to complete the rebuilding of Centre St. as petitioned for by Leon E. Clifford, L. B. Sanborn, Clarence Rowe and others.

Article 36. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate \$1,000 to repair Centre St., north of Union St., to Mill St., as petitioned for by George H. Mayo, John Q. Pierce, Maurice B. Elliott and others.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for repairs to Grove St. as petitioned for by Millie E. Randall, William Ludlam, John Lunt and others.

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Article 38. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000 for continuing the repairs to Mill St. as petitioned for by Michael F. Brady, George Lohr, Walter Ballantyne, and more than 50 others.

Article 39. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500 to rebuild the street and sidewalk of Mt. Pleasant Square and drain the same, as petitioned for by Arthur Howard Holbrook, Talmage Morrow, Thomas Whitty and others.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to repair Highland Avenue from junction with Warren Street, 1,000 feet in southerly direction, as petitioned for by Joseph W. O'Mahoney, Fred Herrick, John P. Hanley and others.

Article 41. To see what action the Town will take relative to rebuilding Lafayette Street and raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,800 for the same, as petitioned for by Chester L. Paine, Harold W. Macauley, Frank N. French and others.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to finish Canton Street from where they left off to Canton Line and raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000 with like amounts each from State and County, as petitioned for by C. Wm. Gabel, Charles Beattie, William Sargent and others.

Article 43. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to permanently construct Pond Street on the lines laid out by the County Engineer and approved by the Norfolk County Commissioners, as petitioned for by F. J. Schulz, Frank M. Downes, Frederick Trofatter and others.

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Article 44. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand dollars for repairs on Chestnut Street or what they will do about it, as petitioned for by William H. Quigley, Peter Larsen, Charles H. Truelson and others.

Article 45. To see what action the Town will take in regard to rebuilding Union Street from Crawford Square to the Randolph-Holbrook Town Line in conjunction with the County and State and raise and appropriate money for the same.

THE POLLS WILL BE OPEN FROM 5:45 O'CLOCK A. M. TO 2:00 O'CLOCK P. M., BUT MAY BE KEPT OPEN LONGER IF SO ORDERED BY THE VOTERS THEN PRESENT.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said town, seven days at least before the day and hour for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk on or before the day and hour appointed for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, this tenth day of February, A. D. 1927.

RICHARD F. FORREST,

ERSKINE H. COX,

JAMES H. HURLEY,

Selectmen of Randolph.

A true copy Attest:

PATRICK T. McDONNELL,

Constable.

Stetson School Fund

Randolph, Mass., Feb. 1, 1927

We the undersigned, auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the investment of the Stetson School Fund and found the same as follows:

9 American Tel. & Tel. Bonds, 4%, 1929	\$9,000.00
2 United States Liberty Bonds, 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ %	2,000.00
1 Real Estate Mortgage on property situated in Braintree, Mass., 1st mortgage	5,000.00
2 Shares Lawrence Gas, par value \$100.00	200.00
8 Shares, Webster & Atlas Bank Stock, par value \$100.00	800.00
10 Matured Shares Randolph Co-op. Bank Stock	2,000.00
Deposit in Randolph Trust Co.	1,670.63
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	544.88
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	\$21,215.51

Also a one thousand dollar deposit in Randolph Savings Bank, to the credit of Turner Medal Fund.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN H. RUDDERHAM,
Auditors.

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1926 INCOME ACCOUNT

Jan. 1, Balance		\$1,257.61
Lawrence Gas & Electric Co., Int.	\$20.00	
Webster & Atlas Bank, Int.	80.00	
Interest on Real Estate Mortgage	300.00	
Interest N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	180.00	
Interest Boston & Maine Bonds	40.00	
Interest Liberty Bonds	85.00	
Hall Rent	1,605.25	
G. A. R. Hall Rent	10.00	
Sale Boston & Maine Matured Bonds	2,040.00	
Randolph Trust Co., Interest	27.29	
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		\$5,645.15

1926 EXPENSE ACCOUNT

R. E. O'Brien	\$323.55
C. F. Lyons	11.38
B. F. Hayden	37.38
R. & H. Lt. & Pr. Co.	176.41
F. W. Hayden	5.09
Kenny Bros. & Wolkins	24.00
Randolph Hardware Co.	1.00
Trustees and Secretary	20.00
James Taylor	30.50
E. C. Young & Co.	2.00
Brockton Gas Lt. Co.	22.61
Frank Diauto	855.36
Benj. Mann	337.96
Edwin Soule	20.00
E. J. Brady	7.00

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Timothy Kelleher	396.25	
Jas. Milligan	16.00	
John Boyle	16.25	
Beacon Waste Supply Co.	6.67	
Old Colony Piano Co.	8.00	
Commissioner Public Safety	5.00	
Randolph Floor Surfacing Co.	175.00	
C. H. Batchelder	265.00	
Randolph Trust Co.	3.00	
Randolph Co-op. Bank	1,984.90	
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		\$4,750.31
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Balance*		\$894.84

Randolph, Mass., Feb. 1, 1927

The undersigned have this day examined the accounts of the Secretary of the Stetson School Fund and have found the same to be correct, and proper vouchers for all orders drawn.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN H. RUDDERHAM,
Auditors.

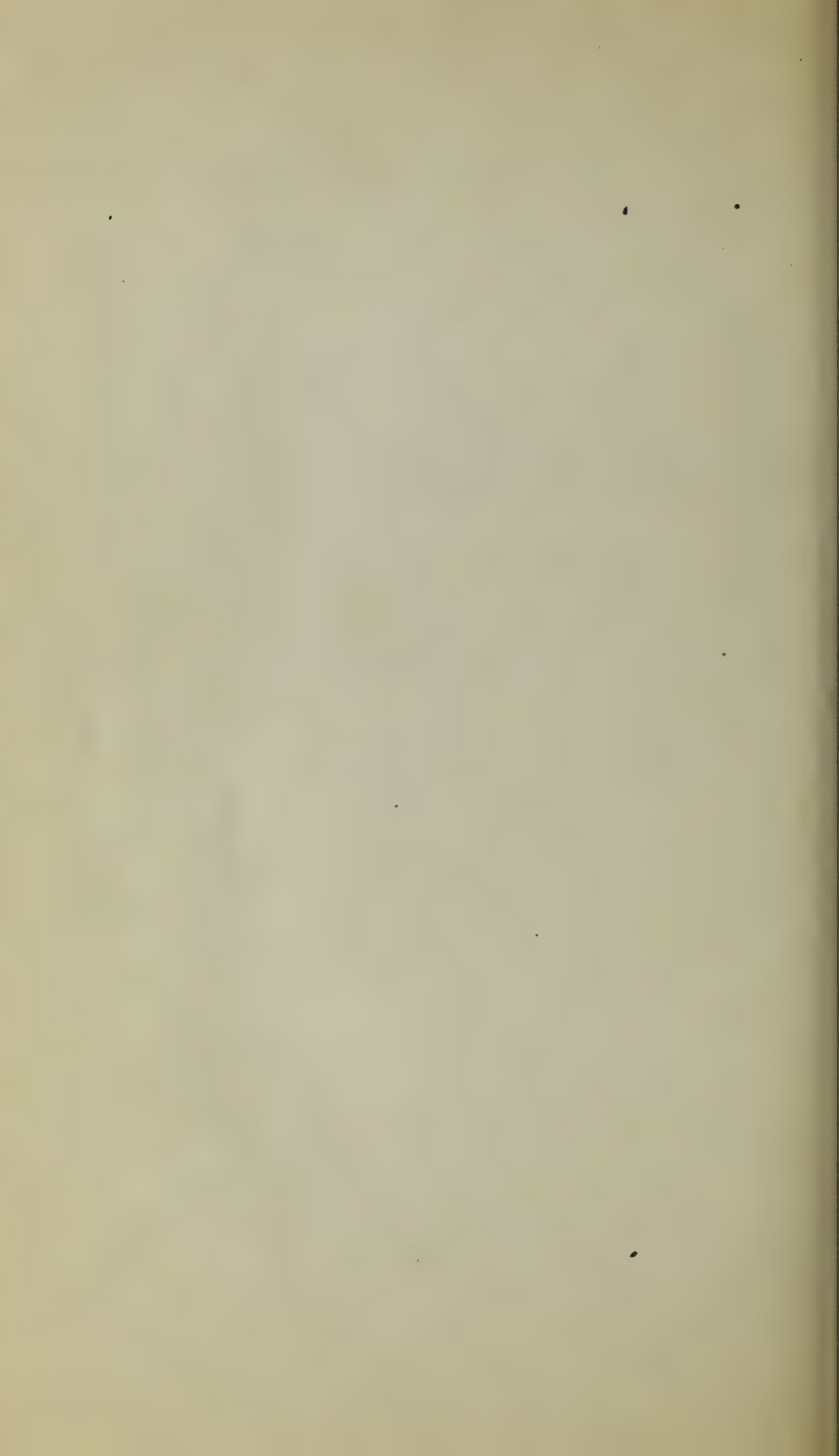
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Town of Randolph



For the Year Ending December 31,
1927

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of the

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor, Assessors, School
Committee, Police Department, Engineers of the
Fire Department, Highway Surveyor, Board
of Health, Town Clerk, Tax Collector
and Town Treasurer

of the

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

together with the reports of

The Trustees of the Stetson School Fund

The Trustees of the Turner Free Library

The Water Commissioners

and

The Town Accountant

for the

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1927

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TOWN OFFICERS, 1927

Elected

Moderator (elected annually)—James E. Foley.

Town Clerk and Treasurer (elected annually)—John B. McNeill.

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor (elected annually)
—Richard F. Forrest, Walter F. Stevens, Harold W. Macauley.

Assessors (elected for 3 years)—James E. Foley, term expires 1928; Henry V. Morgan, term expires 1929; Waldo E. Mann, term expires 1930.

School Committee (elected for 3 years)—Charles R. Kiley, term expires 1928; Joseph Belcher, term expires 1929; Jesse S. Beal, term expires 1930.

Trustees of Stetson School Fund (elected for 3 years)—Charles R. Kiley, term expires 1928; Joseph Belcher, term expires 1929; Jesse S. Beal, term expires 1930.

Water Commissioners (elected for 3 years)—John B. McNeill, term expires 1928; Richard F. Forrest, term expires 1929; Fred D. Driscoll, term expires 1930.

Tax Collector (elected annually)—Walter H. Lyons (resigned); Roger T. Perkins appointed to fill vacancy.

Highway Surveyor (elected annually)—James Lynch.

Tree Warden (elected annually)—John T. Moore.

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Constables (elected annually)—John J. Condon, Louis J. Courtney, Joseph J. Dench, Jr., John A. Forrest, William Mahady, Patrick T. McDonnell, Martin E. Young.

Board of Health (by Section 1, Chapter 41, General Laws, the Selectmen act in this capacity).

Auditors (elected annually)—Raymond L. Mason, James V. Donovan, John H. Rudderham. (John H. Rudderham moved from town; Michael F. Cunningham appointed to fill vacancy.)

Appointed by Moderator

Appropriation Committee (appointed annually)—Daniel G. Donovan, William J. Good, Allan B. Gould, James G. T. Webber. Walter F. Stephens resigned, Frank W. Belcher appointed to fill vacancy.

Appointed by the Selectmen

Registrars of Voters (appointed for 3 years)—Joseph J. Dench, term expires 1930; Herman H. Smith, term expires 1928; Carlton B. Lyons, term expires 1929; John B. McNeill, Town Clerk ex officio.

Police Officer—Patrick T. McDonnell.

Engineers of the Fire Department—John J. Condon, Martin E. Young, Henry A. Dolan.

Forest Warden (appointed annually)—Henry A. Dolan.

Master of the Almshouse and Keeper of the Pound (appointed annually)—M. M. Sullivan. (On the death of Mr. Sullivan, Mrs. Sullivan was appointed to fill the vacancy.)

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Keeper of the Lock-up (appointed annually)—Timothy Kelleher.

Special Police (appointed annually)—Timothy Kelleher, E. J. Brady, William C. Condon, Albert H. Holbrook, Stanley Atherton, George Frawley, John A. Ludington, John A. Forrest, William F. Whitecross, William Mahady, Edward J. Dolan, Patrick J. Flynn, Henry J. Mann, Joseph J. Dench, Percy Thomson, Daniel P. Lyons, Jeremiah Mack of Holbrook, Wilfred C. Franke, Joseph J. Dench, Jr., Frank M. Condon, William C. Franke. E. Lawrence Payne, Special Constable.

Fence Viewers (appointed annually)—Frack C. Wales, Charles Truelson, William Mahady.

Public Weighers (appointed annually)—M. E. Leahy, Ellen T. Reilly, H. Burton Mann, John White, Patrick J. Hoyer, Michael Diauto, Dominic Diauto, Clara Diauto.

Surveyors of Wood and Bark (appointed annually)—Robert E. O'Brien, Charles D. Hill, N. Frank Randall.

Field Drivers (appointed annually)—John J. Wales, William H. Carroll, Lincoln Stetson, Frank H. Walsh.

Other Officers (appointed annually)—Inspector of Animals, Ernest F. Grout; Inspector of Milk, William Mahady; Inspector of Slaughtering, Fred O. Evans; Burial Agent for Board of Health, John B. McNeill; Sealer of Weights and Measures, William H. Hurley; Moth Superintendent, John T. Moore; Dog Officer, Frank M. Condon.

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**Representative to General Court from 9th Norfolk
Representative District**

Bennett V. McLaughlin, of Holbrook

**Representative to Congress from 14th Congressional
District**

Louis A. Frothingham, of North Easton

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Report of the Town Clerk

1927

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING—1927

Randolph, March 7, 1927

Pursuant to a warrant issued by the Selectmen and dated February 10, 1927, duly posted by Patrick T. McDonnell, Constable, the Voters of Randolph assembled at Stetson Hall this seventh day of March, 1927.

Meeting was called to order by the Moderator, James E. Foley.

Warrant and Return were read by the Town Clerk.

The preliminaries of law having been complied with, the polls were declared open for the reception of ballots promptly at 5.45 A.M., and action taken as follows:

Article 1. To choose all such Town Officers as are required by law to be chosen by ballot, namely: a Moderator for one year; a Town Clerk for one year; a Town Treasurer for one year; three Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor for one year; one member of School Committee for three years; one Trustee of Stetson School Fund for three years; a Collector of Taxes for one year; one Assessor for three years; one Water Commissioner for three years; three Auditors for one year; one Tree Warden for one year; one Highway Surveyor for one year; seven Constables for one year.

VOTED that we proceed to ballot for all such Town Officers as are required by law to be chosen by ballot at

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the Annual Town Meeting, namely: a Moderator for one year; a Town Clerk for one year; a Town Treasurer for one year; three Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor for one year; one member of School Committee for three years; one Trustee of Stetson School Fund for three years; a Collector of Taxes for one year; one Assessor for three years; one Water Commissioner for three years; three Auditors for one year; one Tree Warden for one year; one Highway Surveyor for one year; seven Constables for one year.

That the polls be kept open until two o'clock P.M. That Articles 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, of the warrant be referred to the Finance or Appropriation Committee, composed of William J. Good, Walter F. Stephens, Daniel G. Donovan, Florence S. Roddan, James G. Heney, Alfred C. Webber, Allan B. Gould, said committee to report at an adjournment of this meeting, Monday, March 28, 1927, at 7.30 o'clock P.M.

The following persons acted as Election Officers, and were duly sworn by the Town Clerk: Checkers, Herman W. French, Mrs. Una C. Belcher, Miss Helen T. Sullivan, Mrs. Julia Dolan; Gate Officers, John J. O'Connell, Frank M. Downes; Ballot Clerk, Daniel J. Long; Checker, James G. Hoyer; Ballot Box, John B. Duff; Tabulators, Mary J. Leahy, Mrs. Olga Howard; Tellers, Mrs. Hannah Foster, Mrs. Annie Long, Mrs. Annie Conlon, Mrs. Gertrude A. Meaney, Mrs. Alice B. Burchell, Mrs. Alice G. Kelley, Joseph J. McMahon, Mrs. Ethel S. Stetson, Mrs. Bertha Soule, Daniel P. Lyons, James F. Kennedy, Mrs. Adelaide

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Langley, Miss Fannie E. Knight, Joseph Belcher, William J. Hogan, Mrs. Teresa Purcell, Mrs. Helen P. Sanborn, Arthur W. Alden, Robert A. Yates, Mrs. Blanche L. Hurley, Mrs. Jessie C. Dunbar, William A. Noyes, Edmund K. Belcher, Miss Louise Campagna, Huhg A. McMahon, Mrs. Marion Dench, Mrs. Fannie Dean, James Shea.

At 2 o'clock P.M. it was Voted that the polls close.

Article 2. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1927, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

VOTED unanimously that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1927, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article 3. To see if the Town will appoint the Selectmen to be the agents and attorneys of the Town, to prosecute, defend and compromise any and all suits in which the Town may be in any manner interested as a party or otherwise, except as far as the same relate in any manner to the water supply, and to employ counsel if necessary.

VOTED that the Selectmen be so appointed.

Article 4. To see if the Town will authorize and appoint the Water Commissioners to be the agents and

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attorneys of the Town, to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the Town may be interested as a party or otherwise, so far as the same in any manner relates to the preserving, taking and use of the water of Great Pond, or to the construction of the water works, either jointly or separately, as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885, and to employ counsel if necessary.

VOTED that the Water Commissioners be so authorized and appointed.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to refund any or all of the revenue notes issued in anticipation of revenue of the year 1927, in accordance with the provisions of Section 17 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, any debt so incurred to be paid from the revenue of 1927. (Recommended by State Examiner.)

VOTED unanimously that the Treasurer be and hereby is authorized, with the approval of the Selectmen, to refund any or all of the revenue notes in anticipation of revenue of the year 1927, in accordance with the provisions of Section 17 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, any debt so incurred to be paid from the revenue of 1927.

The ballots were removed from the ballot box at 9.25 A.M., at 1.05 P.M., and at the close of the polls.

Names checked on list	2227
Ballots counted	2227
Ballot box registered (incorrectly)	2234

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

The Vote for Town Officers was as follows:

Moderator (1 Year)

James E. Foley	Sixteen hundred and eighty-one	1681
James F. Kennedy	Twenty-two	22
W. B. Atherton	One	1
Daniel Donovan	One	1
Walter F. Stephens	One	1
Blanks	Five hundred and twenty-one	521

Town Clerk (1 Year)

John B. McNeill	Nineteen hundred and forty-seven	1947
Scattering	One	1
Blanks	Two hundred and seventy-nine	279

Town Treasurer (1 Year)

John B. McNeill	Eighteen hundred and eighty-nine	1889
Blanks	Three hundred and thirty-eight	338

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor (1 Year)

Richard F. Forrest	Twelve hundred and eighty-six	1286
Allan B. Gould	Two hundred and seventy-five	275
James H. Hurley	Nine hundred and sixteen	916
Harold W. Macauley	Eleven hundred and eighty	1180
Henry V. Morgan	Nine hundred and twenty-four	924
Walter F. Stephens	Eleven hundred and seventy-six	1176
Blanks	Nine hundred and twenty-four	924

Assessor (3 Years)

James H. Hurley	One thousand and five	1005
Waldo E. Mann	One thousand and ninety-five	1095
Blanks	One hundred and twenty-seven	127

School Committee (3 Years)

Jesse S. Beal	Twelve hundred and seventy-two	1272
Rose Eileen Courtney	Eight hundred and forty-three	843
Blanks	One hundred and twelve	112

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Trustee Stetson School Fund (3 Years)

Jesse S. Beal	Twelve hundred and sixty-nine	1269
Rose Eileen Courtney	Eight hundred and twenty-four	824
Blanks	One hundred and thirty-four	134

Tax Collector (1 Year)

Walter H. Lyons	Eighteen hundred and seventy-three	1873
Blanks	Three hundred and fifty-four	354

Water Commissioner (3 Years)

Fred D. Driscoll	One thousand and fifty-eight	1058
F. Leo Hand	Nine hundred and forty-nine	949
Blanks	Two hundred and twenty	220

Highway Surveyor (1 Year)

James Lynch	Fourteen hundred and forty-five	1445
C. Esten Soule	Six hundred and fifty	650
Blanks	One hundred and thirty-two	132

Tree Warden (1 Year)

John T. Moore	Seventeen hundred and eleven	1711
Scattering	One	1
Blanks	Five hundred and fifteen	515

Auditors (1 Year)

Michael F. Cunningham	Nine hundred and thirty-seven	937
James V. Donovan	Fifteen hundred and sixty-five	1565
Raymond L. Mason	Nine hundred and forty-two	942
John H. Rudderham	Nine hundred and sixty-seven	967
S. William Swain	Eight hundred and fourteen	814

Constables (1 Year)

George M. Brewster	Seven hundred and twelve	712
John J. Condon	Nine hundred and thirty-four	934
Louis J. Courtney	Seven hundred and seventy-eight	778
Joseph J. Dench, Jr.	Nine hundred and twenty	920
John A. Forrest	Seven hundred and seventy-nine	779
George S. Frawley	Six hundred and fifty-seven	657

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Edward J. Lonergan	Five hundred and sixty-six	566
William Mahady	Seven hundred and thirty-eight	738
H. Burton Mann	Seven hundred and eleven	711
William C. Mann	Seven hundred and twenty-seven	727
Patrick T. McDonnell	Seventeen hundred and forty-two	1742
Percy Thompson	Six hundred and three	603
Martin E. Young	Nine hundred and sixty-four	964
Blanks	Forty-seven hundred and fifty-eight	4758

Declaration of the result was announced at 6.30 o'clock P.M.

Ballots used and unused, check lists and tally sheets, were sealed in open meeting.

VOTED to adjourn to Monday, March 28, 1927, at 7.30 o'clock P.M.

Meeting adjourned at 7 o'clock P.M.

A True Record:

Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,

Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING ADJOURNED—1927

Randolph, March 28, 1927

The Annual Town Meeting adjourned from March 7, 1927, to this date, was called to order this 28th day of March, 1927, by James E. Foley, Moderator.

The Finance Committee presented a printed report on the various articles submitted to them. (See Assessors' and Town Accountant's Reports, for appropriations.)

Under Article 5 it was VOTED

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That the votes under Articles 36 and 37 at the 1926 Annual Town Meeting be rescinded and that the sum of \$11,000 to be raised in the tax levy of 1927.

Under Article 7 it was VOTED

That the securities in the possession of the Water Commissioners, representing the unexpended balance of the Sinking Fund be converted into cash, and that the sum so obtained be applied in payment of certain appropriations.

Under Article 8 it was VOTED

That the Town create a Reserve Fund as per Section 6, Chapter 40, General Laws.

Under Article 9 it was VOTED

That the Town adopt the following by-law: A Finance Committee, consisting of nine members, to control the Reserve Fund, shall be appointed by the Moderator, as follows:

In the year 1927, three members to serve for three years, three members to serve for two years, and three members to serve for one year; and thereafter three members shall be appointed each year to serve for three years. All vacancies shall be filled by the Moderator.

The foregoing by-law was approved by the Attorney General, September 28, 1927, excepting the words "to control the Reserve Fund," and the words "all vacancies to be filled by the Moderator."

Under Article 10 it was VOTED

That the Town accept Section 55, Chapter 41, General Laws, and that the Selectmen be authorized to appoint a

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Town Accountant thereunder; and that the sum of \$250 for salary and \$200 for expenses of the Town Accountant be raised and appropriated.

The meeting here adjourned until Monday, April 4, 1927, at 7.30 o'clock P.M.

Randolph, April 4, 1927

The Annual Town Meeting adjourned to this day was called to order at 7.30 o'clock P.M., by James E. Foley, Moderator.

The Moderator announced that there was not a legal quorum present and no business could be transacted. A recess was then taken. At 8 o'clock P. M. the meeting was again called to order, and it was VOTED

That the check list be used to ascertain if the number of voters present constituted a quorum.

After registering each person present, it was found that there was not a quorum present and it was

VOTED to adjourn this meeting to Monday, April 11, 1927, at 8 o'clock P.M.

Randolph, April 11, 1927

The Annual Town Meeting adjourned to this date was called to order by the Moderator at 8.10 o'clock P.M.

Article 14. To hear and act on the report of the Town Officers.

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VOTED to indefinitely postpone.

Article 15. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint a special police officer or officers to enforce the laws.

VOTED that the Selectmen be so instructed.

Article 17. To see if the Town will authorize the Tax Collector to use the same means which a Town Treasurer may use when acting as Tax Collector.

VOTED that the Tax Collector be so authorized.

Article 18. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the pay of the Town laborers and others hired by the day or hour.

VOTED that ordinary laborers employed by the Town receive sixty cents an hour for such labor, and that the compensation for the use of horses employed for the Town be forty cents an hour, except when used on snow plow or road scraper, when such compensation shall be at the rate of fifty cents an hour, and that none but citizens of the town be employed in any department.

VOTED that firemen and policemen not on yearly salary receive sixty cents an hour.

Article 19. To hear and act on the report of any committee and choose any committee the Town may think proper.

James H. Hurley reported for the Electric Lighting Committee.

VOTED to accept the report and retain the committee.

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William F. Cunningham reported for the Memorial Committee.

VOTED to accept the report and retain the committee.

VOTED also that this fund be continued and the interest accumulations be added to it, until a real community project arises.

A printed report was read by Henry V. Morgan, for the Water Committee.

VOTED to accept the report and retain the committee.

VOTED under Article 19 that the Board of Assessors be appointed a committee of three to have the assessed valuation of real and personal property of the Town of Randolph for the years 1925-1926-1927 published in our next Annual Town Report.

Under Article 22 it was VOTED
To place heating and proper sanitation in the Tower Hill School, under the direction of a committee of three, appointed by the Moderator. The committee appointed: James G. Heney, Harold W. Macauley and Joseph Belcher.

Mr. Heney resigned from the committee and the Moderator appointed Frank N. French to fill vacancy.

Under Article 27 it was VOTED

That the Selectmen be instructed to lay the Town out in convenient voting precincts.

Article 28. To see what action the Town will take under the provisions of the General Laws of the Commonwealth relative to instructing the Water Commissioners

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to revise the water rates heretofore fixed by them, so as to effect a savings to water-takers, as petitioned for by Henry V. Morgan and others.

VOTED that action under this Article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 29. To see what action the Town will take relative to diverting such town water courses as are now represented as being a menace to the water supply used by the Town.

VOTED that a committee of five be appointed, three members of said committee to be the Water Commissioners, one member of the Board of Assessors, and the fifth to be appointed at the will of the Moderator. The Moderator announced that this committee would be composed of the Water Commissioners, Henry V. Morgan of the Board of Assessors, and Edward H. McMahon. (Mr. McMahon later resigned from this committee.)

Article 45. To see what action the Town will take in regard to rebuilding Union Street, from Crawford Square to the Randolph-Holbrook Town Line, in conjunction with the County and State, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

The vote on this Article not being a two-thirds vote, was declared by the Moderator as not carried.

It was then Voted that the remaining articles on the warrant be indefinitely postponed, and that this meeting be now dissolved.

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Meeting dissolved at 11.15 o'clock P.M.

A True Record:

Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL

Town Clerk

Randolph, October 4, 1927

Mr. John B. McNeill, Town Clerk:

Under the by-law passed at the 1927 Annual Town Meeting, and approved by the Attorney General, I make the following appointments:

Three-Year Term

Walter F. Stephens

Henry V. Morgan

Joseph Belcher

Two- Year Term

John B. Brennan

William J. Good

Martin E. Young

One-Year Term

Daniel G. Donovan

Horace A. Mann

Charles J. Cunningham

JAMES E. FOLEY,

Moderator

(Mr. Brennan resigned from the above committee.)

JOHN B. McNEILL,

Town Clerk

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SPECIAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT 1927

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Norfolk ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph, in the County of Norfolk. GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections and in Town affairs, to meet at Stetson Hall, in said Randolph, on Monday the twenty-eighth day of March next, at 7.15 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following Articles:

1. To see what action the Town will take in relation to extending the water main from the dead end on Fowler Street to the dead end on West Street, a distance of 600 feet, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by Fred J. Driscoll, et ali.

2. To see what action the Town will take in relation to extending the water main in a northerly direction on Mill Street, a distance of 550 feet, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by Allan B. Gould, et ali.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at seven (7) different places in said Town, seven days, at least, before the time of holding said meeting.

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HEREOF FAIL NOT, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of meeting, as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this eighteenth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

Signed:

RICHARD F. FORREST,
WALTER F. STEPHENS,
HAROLD W. MACAULEY,

Selectmen of Randolph

A True Copy:

Attest:

Constable

Randolph, March 22, 1927

Norfolk ss.

Pursuant to the within warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, herein described, to meet at the time and place and for the purpose mentioned, by posting up attested copies of the same at 8 public places within said Town, 7 days before the date hereof, as within directed.

Signed: PATRICK T. McDONNELL,
Constable of Randolph

Randolph, March 28, 1927

Pursuant to the within warrant, the voters of Randolph assembled at Stetson Hall, this 28th day of March, 1927.

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The warrant and return were read by the Town Clerk, after which recess was taken until after the Annual Town Meeting, to be held this evening, was adjourned.

At 10 o'clock P.M., the meeting was again called to order by the Moderator, James E. Foley,, and the following business transacted:

Article 1. It was VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,800 to extend the water main on the dead end on Fowler Street to the dead end on West Street, a distance of six hundred (600) feet.

Motion to appropriate money under Article 2 was defeated.

On motion, the meeting was dissolved at 10.15 o'clock P.M.

A True Record:

Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Randolph, November 14, 1928

Pursuant to a warrant issued by the Selectmen, the voters of Randolph assembled at Stetson Hall, this fourteenth day of November, 1927.

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk at eight o'clock P.M.

The warrant and return were read and, owing to the absence of the Moderator, James F. Kennedy was unani-

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mously elected Moderator pro tem. On being sworn by the Town Clerk, Mr. Kennedy immediately assumed charge of the meeting, and the following business was transacted:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from sums appropriated for school purposes at the Annual Meeting to any other school purposes which may be recommended by the School Committee, the appropriation to definitely state the account from which the amount is to be taken and the account to which the same is to be added, or take any action relative thereto.

VOTED that surpluses which exist in school appropriations be transferred to other appropriations for school purposes as follows: \$750 from the appropriation for teaching in the High School to the appropriation for transportation; \$51.42 from appropriation for teaching High School to appropriation for Superintendent's salary; \$300 from appropriation for teaching High School, and \$300 from appropriation for teaching grade schools, total \$600, to the appropriation for general expenses; \$349 from appropriation for fuel to the appropriation for care of rooms, and \$80 from the appropriation for School Nurse, and \$20.50 from the appropriation for equipment, to the appropriation for trade and continuation schools.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to transfer \$2,448.97 from the High School construction account, \$265 from the Law Expense account, \$200 from the Outside Relief account, and \$50 from the Town Office account, to the following accounts: Interest and Discount, Tax Collector's expenses, Fire Department hour service, Health

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Department, Almshouse, State Aid, Soldiers' Relief and Town Accountant's salary; or to take any action relative thereto.

VOTED that the following amounts be transferred:
Surplus from

High School Construction Fund	\$2,488.97	
Law Expense Account Fund	265.00	
Town Office Expense Account	50.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,763.97

To Interest and Discount	\$726.97	
Tax Collector's expense	100.00	
Police expense	200.00	
Fire Department hour service	186.00	
Health Department expense	351.00	
Almshouse	500.00	
State Aid	50.00	
Soldiers' Relief	400.00	
Town Accountant's salary	250.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,763.97

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 31, Section 48, of the General Laws, relative to its police force, and of acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof.

VOTED that the Town accept so much of the provisions of Section 48, of Chapter 31, of the General Laws, relative to its police force.

Article 4. To see what action the Town will take relative to dividing the town into convenient voting precincts, and the report of the Selectmen thereon.

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Under Article 4 the following report of the Selectmen was read by the Town Clerk:

In accordance with the vote passed at the Annual Town Meeting of 1927, relative to dividing the town into convenient voting precincts, the Selectmen hereby file the following report:

The Selectmen divide the town into two voting precincts, namely Precinct One (1) and Precinct Two (2).

Precinct One (1) extends northerly from the southerly boundary of the town and embraces all of the town within its westerly and easterly limits, as far north as the middle line of Chestnut Street on the west side of Main Street, and as far north as the middle line of Oak Street on the easterly side of Main Street to North Street.

Precinct Two (2) includes the territory between the easterly and westerly limits of the town north of the middle line of Chestnut Street, on the westerly side of Main Street, and north of the middle line of Oak Street easterly of Main Street, as far east as a point at the easterly boundary of the homestead of W. Leon Mann, remainder of Oak Street, and all of North Street to be in Precinct One.

The number of voters registered in the proposed Precinct No. 1 at the last Town Election was 2,483.

The number of voters registered in the Proposed Precinct No. 2 at the last Town Election was 350.

VOTED that the report of the Selectmen relative to dividing the town into convenient precincts be accepted and adopted.

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Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to amend Article 21, of the Town by-laws, by establishing a definite number of voters necessary for a quorum to appropriate or raise money by any method at Annual and Special Town Meetings, and determine or fix the number of said voters, and to amend said Article 21 in any other manner that may be decided upon by the voters.

VOTED to amend Article 21 of the by-laws of the town by striking out the whole of said Article 21, with all its amendments, and substituting the following:

Article 21. Two hundred registered voters shall constitute a quorum to transact any business at any Town Meeting, either annual or special, except such parts of meeting as are devoted exclusively to the election of Officers.

At 8.30 o'clock it was Voted to dissolve the meeting.

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk

Boston, Mass., Dec. 2, 1927

The foregoing by-law is hereby approved.

ARTHUR K. READING,
Attorney General

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A True Record:

Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk

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BIRTHS REGISTERED IN RANDOLPH IN 1927

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
Jan.	7 Stanley Alexander Remkus.....	M	Steve Ida—Gransas
	11 Robert Driscoll Teece.....	M	Jocelyn, Doris—Driscoll
	13 Ebba Melba Nellie Ahlfont.....	F	Erick A., Amelia C.—Swanson
15	Richard Donald Isaac.....	M	Hary C., Helen D.—Anderson
18	James Francis Kelley.....	M	John Francis, Anna—Schofield
21	Marjorie Agnes Saunders.....	F	Herbert F., Rose A.—Boutin
23	Edna May Truelson.....	F	Charles L., Loretta—Fleming
25	Arlene Patricia Gaynor.....	F	Leo P., Rose E.—Kane
30	Dorothy Hazel Poole.....	F	Herbert A., Helen C.—Pilling
31	Robert Bruce Cameron.....	M	John T., Edna—Cooper
Feb.	1 Helen Barbara Cone.....	F	Harry E., Ethel—Grant
	2 Anna Ruth Drysdale.....	F	Roy A., Annie E.—Jessey
	3 Louise Margaret O'Neill.....	F	Jeremiah, Mary E.—O'Gara
8	Rose Mary Heney.....	F	George H., Mary—Bary
16	Paul Vincent Sullivan.....	M	Leo F., Mary P.—Kane
23	Mary Jane Coghlan.....	F	Maurice P., Mary E.—Murphy
Mar.	6 Phylis Barbara Crockett.....	F	Earl C., Hazel M.—Jones
	6 Bernard McDonnell.....	M	Patrick T., Anastasia—Kane
	12 Donald Edwin Hollis.....	M	George M., Edna—Rhodes
12	Ronald Edward Hollis.....	M	George M., Edna—Rhodes
14	Carolyn Edna Corey.....	F	Leo A., Madeline M.—Keenan
18		F	
18	Helen Lillian Munch.....	M	Edward A., Katty E.—Bohen
22	Frank Proctor.....	F	Frank Warren, Ellen—Leighton
24	Walter Edward Keith, Jr.....	M	Walter E., Margaret H.—Cotterell
24	Alesandro Edward Sarni.....	M	Rocco Sarni, Angie—Jovenni
25	Frank Smith Babcock.....	M	Albert Milton, Eola—Howland
26		M	
27	Stillborn.....	M	

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BIRTHS REGISTERED IN RANDOLPH IN 1927

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
April	28 James Brown McLea	M	Peter, Caroline A.—MacCartney
	29 Florence T. Granger	F	George, Eva—Kelly
	3 Edward David Daxberger	M	Joseph, Anna M.—Carroll
	4 Richard Hannisian	M	Harry, Marie E.—Carroll
	11 Joan Frances Cunningham	F	Donald P., Elizabeth—DeNeil
	12 William Edgar Towns	M	Russell, Mildred—Mann
	28 John Francis Doherty	M	John E., Sarah—
	Stillborn	F	
	2 Carolyn Ruth Anderson	F	George L., Pearl Adline—Anderson
	7 Alta M. Hysler	F	Fletcher B., Marion E.—Doyle
May	10 Dorothy Margaret Burns	F	Norman H., Helen—McEntee
	12 Elizabeth Allen	F	Joseph Otis, Mary—McGowan
	22 Joan Kiley	F	George H., Agnes—Kelley
	3 Frank Emil Frederickson	M	Emil W., Phyllis A.—Macy
	4 William Roland Curron	M	William, Mary—Fennell
	5 Charles Henry Bates	M	Thomas G., Emily—Macomber
	5 Velma Louis Scott	F	Elmer F., Nancy—Colburn
	6 Mary Catherine Vaughn	F	Elmer B., Lillian—Conley
	10 Felix Carroll Gunther	M	Felix M., Margaret M.—Carroll
	12 Karl William Truelson	M	Karle W., Doris J.—Merrile
June	15 Phyllis Loraine Teed	F	Frank F., Annie E.—Mann
	17 Clare Earnistine Schulz	F	Frederick W., Clarrisse—McGill
	17 Barbara Kendall	F	Arthur P., Gertrude—Gaffey
	17 Helen Frances Marshall	F	Frederick W., Rose—Gately
	26 Richard Joseph Kiley	M	Charles R., Ethel—Vanderstreet
	27 Clarence William Pease	M	Clarence W., Catherine—Hanlon
	10 Mildred Alvera Doyle	F	John J., Louis R.—Sass
	13 Harold Hartford Boothby	M	John R., Ida—Hartford
	14 John Paul Sullivan	M	Florence J., Margaret A.—Kane

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Date		Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
	15	Thelma Shurrell Boultilier	F	Aubrey C., Ella S.—Harlow
	17		M	
	21	Sylvia Norrine Leighton	F	Sidney J., Mary—Corcoran
	24	Jean Frances Cullen	F	John F., Mary E.—Fagan
	30	Earl Emery Mann	M	Benjamin J., Catherine—Brady
Aug.	1	Stillborn	F	
	1	Richard White	M	George E., Mary H.—White
	1	Muriel Isabell Lakeman	F	Jason, Juanita P.—Ingalls
	4	Margaret McDonald	F	Joseph E., Alice M.—Pendleton
	4	Martha Frances Hood	F	Raymond H., Mable—Puzone
	6	Edward Stevenson	M	John, Rose A.—Kiline
	12	Alice Louise Lyman	F	Edward C., Evelyn E.—Lang
	16	Mary Irene Snyder	F	Albert J., Irene L.—Gaynor
	17	Dorothy Madeline Field	F	William A., Dorothy—Sawyer
	19	Charles Brewster	M	Joseph F., Mary A.—La Phelle
	25	Parnodia Cokinos	F	Constantine, Mary—Carambell
	27		F	
Sept.	3	Ernestine Claire Jacobson	F	Jacob, ————Finch
	9	Louise Fitzpatrick	F	Albert F., Thelma—Arsenault
	13	———— Pappas	M	Michael, Kaleinky—Pashalec
	13	Irving Alexander MacGregor	M	Neale E., Hazel—Saltmarsh
	14	Rose Marie Sass	F	Valentine, Madeline—Sheppard
	17	Geraldine Rose Briand	F	Edward J., Ethel—Fisher
	22	Robert Gibson	M	Robert, Mary—Devine
	24	John Richard Halligan	M	William J., Katherine—Fletcher
	24	Stillborn	F	
	28	Mary Louise Fahey	F	Edward F., Ellen—Stanton
Oct.	1	Dorothy L. Mitchell	F	Albert H., Mary—McCoubrey
	3	Gerald Drinkwater, Jr.	M	Gerald, Jennie—Dingolo

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BIRTHS REGISTERED IN RANDOLPH IN 1927

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
4	Pauline Ella Faunce.....	F	Frank E., Elsie—Fischer
4	Harriett Julia Briscoe.....	F	Walter E., Harriet—Linnell
5		M	
7	Louise May Todd.....	F	Chester E., Louise—Fickett
7	Dorothy Anna Williams.....	F	Hollis F., Stella Mae—Hirtle
8	— Morgan.....	F	Howard, Catherine—Miller
19	May Ella Benjamiano.....	F	Joseph, Carmela—Cinquetrain
29	Stillborn	M	
3	— Hearn.....	F	Walter R., Harriet C.—Swift
4	John Edward McGerigle.....	M	John E., Ellen—O'Neil
7	Marie Lucile Rota.....	F	Marino, Pearl—Cassani
15	Earl Alexander Eaton.....	M	Warren E., Mary A.—McLine
22	Stillborn.....	F	
25	Robert Welsh.....	M	Robert, Bernice—Rodd
26	Louise Celia Gagnon.....	F	Zoel, Hazel—Fisher
27	— Barry.....	F	John J., Mary M.—Adams
27		F	
6	Diauto Dominic Francis.....	M	Dominic F., Mary F.—Doyle
8	Robert Whitman Proctor.....	M	Howard E., Charlotte—Whitman
8	Mable Angela Petipas.....	F	William, Mary A.—Dillon
15	William Walter Hicks, Jr.....	M	William W., Alice—Frank
20	Marjorie Ruth White.....	F	Harold, Marion—White
22	Marshaall C. Cavanough.....	M	George E., Mable—Brundige
24	— Rosa.....	M	Paul, Phyllis—Venuti
27	Helen Connizzaro.....	F	Salvatore, Jennie—Barravichio
27	Marylyn Theresa Shea.....	F	Phillip J., Alice—Reynolds
29	Barbara La Belle.....	F	Edmund M., Mary—Sheppard

Nov.

Dec.

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MARRIAGES—1927

Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
Jan.	18 William Pendleton	Randolph
	Helen Margaret Bryant	Randolph
	19 Leo B. Boudreau	East Braintree
	Bertha Agatha Gallant	Randolph
Feb.	21 Arthur C. Sullivan	Quincy
	Mary Ethel McDermott	Randolph
	21 Edmund Becker	Randolph
	Emma Lillian Poore	Brockton
	28 Valentine T. Sass	Randolph
	Madeline M. Sheppard	Randolph
April	17 Wilbur Lee Hawkins	Brockton
	Amy Viola Anderson	Randolph
	19 Harold Jackson Chick	Braintree
	Bertha Evelyn Hollis	Braintree
	26 Daniel E. McCue, Jr.	Randolph
	Mary E. Clark	Avon
	28 Karl William Truelson	Randolph
	Doris Merrill	Randolph
May	William Peter Hansen	Randolph
	Hilda Julia Tavares	Medford
	1 Harry D. Wagg	Randolph
	3 Julia Patten Foote	Randolph
	7 Howard John Charles Morgan	Randolph
June	Catherine Miller	Brockton
	8 Harold Frederick Powers	Brockton
	Margaret Helena Kelleher	Randolph

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Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
11	Alton P. Nado.....	Randolph
	Marion Delorie.....	Dorchester
12	Ralph Frederick Herrick.....	Randolph
	Mildred Ella Call.....	Brockton
12	Herman Carlson.....	Randolph
	Grace Croke (MacGregor).....	Randolph
10	John P. Ford.....	Randolph
	Marion E. Collins.....	Randolph
16	Leo Ambrose Garity.....	Quincy
	Amy Margaret Allen.....	Randolph
19	John P. Lang.....	Randolph
	Lena L. M. Fletcher (Cussinoe).....	Randolph
19	Rocco Richardi.....	Roxbury
	Rose Mary Mazzeo.....	Randolph
20	Edward F. McLaughlin.....	Boston
	Mary C. Truelson.....	Randolph
22	Edward J. Morgan.....	Randolph
	Margaret Mary Keeley.....	Boston
22	Lawrence O. Sass.....	Randolph
	Florence Ayers.....	Randolph
26	Herbert Arthur Chubbuck.....	Randolph
	Eva Elizabeth Cunningham.....	Avon
27	Edmund Francis Tierney.....	Randolph
	Elizabeth Theresa Condon.....	Randolph
July	2 John Joseph Mahoney.....	Washington, D. C.
	Anna Margaret Long.....	Randolph
	9 Alex Benjamin Jorgensen.....	Randolph
	Pearl Elizabeth Macauley.....	Randolph

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Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
11	M. Joseph Kearney.....	Dorchester
	Letitia F. Scannell.....	Randolph
11	Paul Braychak.....	Connecticut
	Mary Catherine Colovita.....	Randolph
Aug. 28	Ernest Edward Anderson.....	Randolph
	Ellen Mary Reardon.....	South Braintree
Sept. 7	Aron Bjorken.....	Randolph
	Vera Jones (Johansen).....	Randolph
7	Roderick J. Hultzen.....	Boston
	Marion J. Jope.....	Randolph
11	Walter J. Good.....	Randolph
	Alice Reta Gallagher.....	Cambridge
17	Ervin Harold Atwood.....	Randolph
	Mary Emily Neil.....	Quincy
20	Ray Guptil.....	N. B. Canada
	Shirley A. Lambert.....	Randolph
24	Joseph C. Kieth.....	Randolph
	Dorothy L. Slater.....	Avon
25	Frank Rota.....	Randolph
	Mary C. Cessani.....	West Quincy
29	Andrew R. O'Rourke.....	Randolph
	Alice V. Simmons.....	Randolph
Oct. 1	Harry Hoyles.....	Medford
	Florence B. Forbes.....	Randolph
5	Joseph Pentleton.....	Randolph
	Margaret Short.....	Randolph
8	Melville Tileston Isaac.....	Randolph
	Doris Mae Ernest.....	Avon

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<u>Date of Marriage</u>	Name	Residence
	9 Arthur Leon Doody.....	Brockton
	Rose Marie Diauto.....	Randolph
12	Charles Joseph Cunningham.....	Randolph
	Mary Agnes O'Leary.....	Randolph
19	Henry Joseph Kennedy.....	Randolph
	Helen Mildred Hyde.....	Watertown
22	Raphael Diaz Nieves.....	Boston
	Mary Katherine Gildemeister.....	Randolph
26	George Hans Peterson.....	Granby, Conn.
	Aururo Loring (Nelson).....	Randolph
28	Everett Thomas O'Brien.....	Braintree
	Katheryn E. Madigan.....	Randolph
Nov. 19	Francis St. Lawrence.....	Brockton
	Evelyn M. Carney.....	Randolph
23	James Henry DeNeill.....	Weymouth
	Grace E. Foley.....	Randolph
24	Carleton F. Wood.....	Randolph
	Gertrude Alma Church.....	Natick
26	John P. Coyne.....	Randolph
	Mary Margaret McNeill.....	Randolph
27	Francis Esposito.....	Randolph
	Angelina Delprete.....	Rockland
Dec. 31	Robert Otis Franke.....	Randolph
	Alice E. Williams.....	Randolph

DEATHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1927

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Date	Name	Y.	Age M.	D.	Cause of Death	Birthplace
Jan. 13	Samuel T. Rockwell	75	4	—	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Cambridge
16	Ethelwyn M. Cox	46	7	8	Carcinoma	London, England
16	Walter L. Young	61	7	25	Arterio Sclerosis	Scituate
17	Nellie Brunk	40	6	4	Abscess of Lung	Ireland
18	Hannah S. Bradley	67	1	1	Chronic Myocarditis	Vineyard Haven
28	Marie L. Vance	85	6	20	Cerebral Hemorrhage	East Weymouth
31	Annie E. O'Halloran	77	1	2	Chronic Myocarditis	Randolph
Feb. 11	George F. Mayo	—	5	—	Retropharyngeal Abscess	Randolph
18	Katheryn M. Kelleher	—	11	17	Lobar Pneumonia	Brockton
18	Edgar N. Bean	73	10	1	Diabetes	South Weymouth
21	Thomas Eagleston	74	9	20	Arterio Sclerosis	Cambridge
25	Harrison Webber	86	—	—	Broncho Pneumonia	Boston
25	Joseph R. Cognac	—	2	2	Pyæmia	Springfield
2	Catherine Meighan	73	9	2	Chronic Myocarditis	Randolph
3	Catherine Bowen	70	6	—	Anemia	Randolph
6	Axel Lillequiser	58	2	17	Arterio Sclerosis	Sweden
7	Samuel Hawkins	71	6	18	Apoplexy	England
14	—	—	—	2	Premature Birth	Randolph
25	—	—	—	13	Premature Birth	Randolph
27	—	—	—	—	Stillborn	Randolph
April 1	Rhoda Ryder	80	1	16	Arterio Sclerosis	Sweden
6	James Maloney	9	1	26	Accidental Drowning	Button Woods
19	William W. Hurley	75	10	21	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph
19	Annie A. Kelleher	70	3	18	Paralysis Agetam	Randolph
20	Michael Callahan	54	—	—	Carcinoma	P. E. Island
21	Michael Shaves	68	—	—	Diabetes	Holbrook
28	William C. Quigley	73	—	—	Otitis Media	Boston
30	Mary Clark	71	9	5	Myelitis	Ireland

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Date	Name	Y.	Age M.	D.	Cause of Death	Birthplace
May 2		—	—	—	Stillborn	Brockton
11	Norman Steves	1	9	21	Tuberculosis	Westboro
11	Katheryn Fardy	72	3	3	Chronic Myocarditis	Randolph
18	Arthur B. Hicks	57	5	18	Lobar Pneumonia	Bakersfield
28	Alphonso De Pasque	1	1	28	Strangulation	Randolph
28	Lee H. Porter	47	6	1	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph
June 1	Mary J. Shays	71	9	5	Chronic Vascular Nephritis	Randolph
12	Richard L. Wells	83	3	27	Carcinoma	Newfoundland
15	Marguerite Stuart	24	6	22	Phthisis Pulmonary Ritatal	South Boston
16	Thomas Kiley	80	—	—	Broncho Pneumonia	Randolph
16	Stanlius Loring	43	5	22	Multiple Injuries	Poland
26	Mary E. Bracken	58	3	5	Yellow Atrophy	Randolph
29	Margaret E. Bracken	82	6	16	Chronic Arthritis	Randolph
22	George A. Dean	88	—	—	Senile Decay	Boston
24	Loring B. Woodman	64	11	11	Acute Nephritis	Boston
1		—	—	—	Prematurity	Randolph
1		—	—	—	Stillborn	Randolph
6	Eleline Blanchard	87	9	9	Senile Decay	Pembroke
14	Winthrop B. Atherton	68	—	29	Apoplexy	Newton
21	Marion J. Wood	69	8	5	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Duxbury
20	Augusta B. Wales	82	9	8	Bronchial Pneumonia	Randolph
30	Eleanor R. Whalen	5	6	4	Hydrocephalus	Boston
30	Frank Brazdis	35	—	—	Carcinoma	Lithuania
30	Christina Hill	56	1	9	Carcinoma	Scotland
Sept. 7	Martha Denis	71	1	15	Ruptured Heart	Medford
9	Miriam C. Thayer	80	2	16	Arterio Sclerosis	Holbrook
9	Annie A. Brown	58	—	—	Carcinoma	Cambridge
10	A. Freeman Benway	8	10	10	Accident Following Motor Accident	Hudson

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Date	Name	Y.	M.	Age	D.	Cause of Death	Birthplace
15	Rose A. Flannery	49	—	—	25	Chronic Glomerulo Stillborn	Randolph
24	Elizabeth Ambrose French	68	—	—	2	Oedemia	Brockton
27	Mary Farley	103	6	—	—	Valvular Heart	Randolph
30	William P. McCue	34	11	25	—	Acute Cardiac Dilatation	Queenstown
Oct. 4	Rose A. McMahon	71	10	15	—	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph
5	Charlotte Aylott	70	9	10	—	Arterio Sclerosis	England
11	Bernard McGowan	72	9	19	—	Appendicitis	Ireland
13	Joseph Welby	21	10	1	—	Acute Cholecystitis	Boston
14	Hattie Hutchinson	50	3	5	—	Multiple Head Injuries following accident	Randolph
15	David L. Shea	11	8	13	—	Terminal Pneumonia	Woburn
20	Michael Sullivan	64	—	—	—	Stillborn	Ireland
28	Daniel Leahy	72	6	—	—	General Paralysis	Randolph
29	Lydia M. Garfield	83	11	12	—	Stillborn	Randolph
31	Dennis Kelleher	76	7	12	—	Arterio Sclerosis	Bridgewater
Nov. 3	Alice V. Heney	54	4	1	—	Pneumonia	Randolph
4	Herman Shaw	51	—	—	—	Lobar Pneumonia	Randolph
12	Annie A. Knight	86	4	—	—	Stillborn	Randolph
19	James J. Tierney	30	5	—	—	Hypertension	Randolph
22	Letitia Kiley	74	4	22	—	Arterio Sclerosis	Portsmouth
25	Edward L. Hurley	51	—	—	—	Chronic Myocarditis	Randolph
Dec. 1	Dorothy L. Mitchell	75	1	6	—	Arterio Sclerosis	Canton
2	Melina C. Thayer	61	4	23	—	Broncho Pneumonia	Randolph
8	Mary Mann	85	—	—	—	Mitral Regurgitation	Nova Scotia
9	Mary A. Brennan	—	—	—	—	Chronic Myocarditis	Scotland
13						Oedema of Brain	New Brunswick

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Date	Name	Age		D.	Cause of Death	Birthplace
		Y.	M.			
14	Nicholas Linnehan	82	—	—	Arterio Sclerosis.....	Ireland
15	Josephine De Premio.....	41	3	22	Carcinoma.....	Nova Scotia
17	Patrick Brady	81	6	12	Acute Cystitis.....	Ireland
24	Madison Lenfist.....	95	2	4	Arterio Sclerosis.....	Washington, Me.
24	Louis Creutz	73	6	6	Cardio Renal Disease.....	Germany
26	Francis Lackey	84	—	—	Arterio Sclerosis.....	Fiskdale
27	Annie G. Flaherty.....	49	2	15	Chronic Valvular Heart.....	Randolph

INTERMENTS IN RANDOLPH IN 1927

of persons dying elsewhere

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Date	Name	Y.	M.	D.	Age	Place of Death
Jan. 1	Jennie Kent	68	7	—	—	Boston
1	Caroline Spear	68	—	—	—	Boston
5	Jennie Bourdreau	63	—	—	—	Brockton
13	Kristine J. Heller	65	9	14	—	Somerville
16	Walter J. Young	61	7	25	—	Tewksbury
17	Nellie Brunck	40	6	4	—	Taunton
20	Helen A. Sullivan	48	5	16	—	Braintree
21	Harriet M. Crow	83	7	8	—	Brockton
22	Julia Bartlett	62	5	—	—	Brockton
25	Royal T. Dano	60	—	—	—	Boston
30	James E. Dowd	68	3	12	—	Boston
2 Feb.	Mary E. Smith	63	1	13	—	Holbrook
11	George F. Mayo	—	5	—	—	Brockton
12	Timothy McAuliffe	66	—	—	—	Cambridge
14	Catherine Murphy	87	—	—	—	Holbrook
25	Joseph R. Cognac	2	2	—	—	Brockton
25	Bridget Mack	77	—	—	—	Holbrook
26	Cyrus M. Eddy	82	7	5	—	Braintree
27	Harold J. McDonald	27	—	—	—	Brockton
Mar. 10	Aileen M. Dalton	30	7	4	—	Braintree
14	Herbert M. Briggs	76	—	—	—	Brockton
19	Michael De Young	68	—	11	—	Boston
22	Francis L. Levangie	—	8	18	—	Braintree
27	Peter McTague	79	—	—	—	Braintree
April 4	Alice R. Chubbock	42	—	—	—	Holbrook
6	James C. Maloney	9	1	26	—	Lynn
						Braintree

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Date	Name	Age		Place of Death
		Y.	M. D.	
9	Roy Richards	—	5	Brockton
15	Lawrence J. White	74	7 4	Newton
21	Michael Shays	68	—	Brockton
29	George J. Haight	20	7 27	Holbrook
30	Henry W. Bradford	72	3 6	Wolfboro, N. H.
30	Josephine M. Howard	70	3	Brookline
May 9	Michael Richardi	—	1 1½	Braintree
9	Alfred Larrabee	32	6 21	Boston
14	Cederholm	—	3	Brockton
19	Alphonzo De Pasque	1	1 28	Brockton
19	Geraldine Cogan	—	1 5	Boston
June 1	Catherine L. Andrews	59	— 25	Hanson
2	Smith	—	—	Brockton
10	Genevieve Eldridge	4	—	Boston
13	Christopher Tower	82	4 16	Weymouth
16	Thomas Kiley	80	—	Brockton
21	John L. Fitzpatrick	65	3 1	Holbrook
26	Thomas Whalen	36	9 15	Boston
26	Cornellious Clancy	50	9 5	Boston
July 3	Arthur F. Aldrich	72	—	Brooklyn, N. Y.
7	Jeremiah Sullivan	57	—	Brockton
14	Thomas F. Mullen	50	5 7	Natick
27	Antonio Serra	69	3 27	Taunton
Aug. 5	Philip James Gillis	20	—	Shanghai, China
7	John Wallace	74	—	Boston
11	George D. Baker	31	1	Taunton

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Date		Name	Age		Place of Death	
			Y.	M. D.		
13		George Mewey	59	5	—	Boston
26		Susan S. Kimball	80	7	1	Somerville
30		Eleanor R. Whalen	5	6	4	Boston
Sept.	3	Walter Foye	67	8	25	Braintree
	5	Mary Ellen Sheehan	60	3	20	Brockton
	5	Mary J. Gallagle	87	—	20	Holbrook
	10	Annie A. Brown	56	—	—	Boston
	19	Cassidy	—	—	1/2 hr	Brockton
25		John Joseph Brown	74	6	3	Boston
Oct.	4	William P. McCue	34	11	25	Rutland
	14	Joseph Welby	21	10	1	Brockton
	15	Hattie Hutchinson	50	3	5	Brockton
	19	Alberta L. Emery	19	6	8	Avon
	28	Michael Sullivan	64	—	—	Foxboro
	29	Stillborn	—	—	—	Brockton
	1	Anna M. Donahue	71	—	—	Boston
Nov.	7	Theresa O'Rourke	25	5	5	Braintree
	11	Elvena L. Holbrook	70	3	11	Weymouth
	13	Alonzo Delano	82	5	22	Haverhill
	22	Herman Shaw	51	—	—	Brockton
	23	Joseph D. Thistle	60	2	6	Braintree
	28	John T. Purcell	79	3	4	Brockton
	6	Antonio Messina	42	—	—	Braintree
Dec.	7	Isabella McCarthy	72	11	12	Quincy
	12	Theresa A. De Young	62	11	11	Quincy
	16	Joseph James Heney	60	—	—	Rockland

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of persons dying elsewhere

Date	Name	Age			Place of Death
		Y.	M.	D.	
18	Edward T. Turner.....	64	7	22 Weston
20	Fred Frazer.....	70	11	5 Braintree
24	Louis Creutz.....	73	6	6 Boston
26	Robert Weatherby.....	87	—	— Cambridge
27	Annie G. Flaherty.....	49	2	15 Needham

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES

Apoplexy, Paralysis, Otitis, Media, Myelitis, Strangulation, Chronic Vascular Nephritis, Phthisis Pulmonaires, Ritateral, Atrophy of Liver, Chronic Arthritis, Senile Decay, Acute Nephritis, Hydrocephlus, Chronic Glomerulo, Accident, Valvular Heart Disease, Acute Cardiac Dilatation, Appendicitis, Acute Cholecystitis, Arterio Sclerosis, Stillborn, Chronic Myocarditis, Premature Birth, Pneumonia Broncho, Lobar Pneumonia, Pneumonia Terminal, Bronchial Pneumonia, Tuberculosis, Cerebral Hemorrhage, Diabetes, Oedema, Carcinoma, Abscess of Lung, Retropharyngeal Abscess, Pyaemia, Anemia, Hypertension, Mitral Regurgitation, Acute Cystitis, Cardio Renal Disease.

One each	23
Apoplexy	2
Paralysis	2
Senile Decay	2
Accident	4
Valvular Heart Disease	3
Arterio Sclerosis	15
Stillborn	5
Chronic Myocarditis	6
Premature Birth	6
Broncho Pneumonia	4
Lobar Pneumonia	3
Tuberculosis	3
Cerebral Hemorrhage	3
Diabetes	2
Oedema	2
Carcinoma	7
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TABLE OF VITAL STATISTICS YEAR 1927

	Intentions of Marriage	Marriages	Births	Deaths
January	3	2	10	7
February	2	3	6	6
March	0	0	15	7
April	6	4	5	8
May	8	3	5	6
June	8	13	14	7
July	4	4	8	2
August	3	2	12	9
September	10	8	10	8
October	5	9	10	11
November	6	5	9	9
December	3	1	10	12
	<hr/> 58	<hr/> 54	<hr/> 114	<hr/> 92

Whole number of Births recorded:

Males	49
Females	65
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Parents both native born	79
Parents 1 native born, 1 foreign born	18
Parents both foreign born	12
	<hr/> 114

Whole number of Marriage Intentions	58
Whole number of Marriages	54

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STATEMENT OF LICENSES ISSUED AND FEES
RETAINED BY THE TOWN CLERK

Dog Licenses to December 31, 1927:

345 Males @ \$2.00 each	\$690.00
92 Females @ \$5.00 each	460.00
24 Females (spayed) @ \$2.00 each	48.00
2 Breeders' Licenses @ \$25.00 each	50.00
Error in 1925 returns	3.00

\$1,251.00

Cash to County Treasurer \$1,158.40

Fees retained 92.60

\$1,251.00

Hunting, Fishing and Trapping Licenses:

122 Resident Citizens' Sporting Licenses @ \$2.25 each	\$274.50
4 Resident Trapping Licenses @ \$2.25 each	9.00
7 Minors' Trapping Licenses @ \$.75 each	5.25
3 Duplicate Licenses @ \$.50 each	1.50

\$290.25

Cash paid Massachusetts Division
of Fisheries and Game

\$257.00

Fees retained

33.25

\$290.25

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. McNEILL,

Town Clerk

NINETY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT

Report of the Fire Department

Randolph, January 3, 1928

To the Board of Selectmen,

Gentlemen:

The following is a report of the Board of Engineers for the year 1927.

Department organized as follows:

Board of Engineers—

John J. Condon, Chief

Martin E. Young

Harry A. Dolan, Clerk

Company of fifteen men—

Ralph Cartwright, Captain

Arthur T. Dolan, Clerk

Harold L. Bailey, Permanent Driver

Ralph Cartwright, Assistant Driver

Stanley Atherton, Assistant Driver

During the year there were sixty-seven alarms: forty-three bell alarms and twenty-four still alarms, as follows:

January 7. Alarm from Box 56, 12 noon, grass fire.

January 10. Alarm from Box 29, 9 a.m., for fire in Post Office Building. Fire caused by carelessness of person dropping cigarette into rubbish in basement. Damage \$6,000. Insured.

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January 12. Box 34, 10.45 a.m., fire in Essex coach owned by John J. Collins, North St., caused by short circuit. Damage \$500. Insured.

January 20. Box 34, false alarm, 10.10 p.m., North St.

January 20. Box 26, at 5.30 p.m., chimney fire, residence of Charles Anderson. No damage.

January 20. Box 63, at 5.30 p.m., chimney fire, residence of John Casen, Chestnut St. Damage \$200. Cause, spontaneous combustion. Insured.

January 26. Still alarm for slight chimney fire in Lyceum Building. No damage.

January 29. Box 31, 11 a.m., for slight chimney fire, residence of Mrs. John Rooney, Ward St. No damage.

February 8. Still alarm at 10.30 a.m., for fire in the tar burner at the Town Farm. No damage.

February 8. Still alarm for slight fire in Reo truck on South Main St. No damage. Time 9.30 p.m.

March 16. Box 23, 8.10 p.m., for fire in Ford touring car in yard of the Jenney Gasoline Station, caused by short circuit. Car owned by John Herrick. Damage \$150. Insured.

March 19. Box 54, 12.40 p.m., for grass fire on Warren St. No damage.

March 23. Still alarm at 12.30 p.m., for fire caused by bursting of heating plant, Billingham's Garage. Damage \$200. Insured.

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March 25. Still alarm at 8 p.m., for chimney fire at residence of Amelio Serrelo, Chestnut St. Damage \$25. Insured.

March 25. Box 121, at 4.10 p.m., for fire in woods off South St., threatening residences, caused by rubbish fire.

March 30. Box 35, at 8.40 p.m. False.

March 31. Still alarm at 1.10 p.m., for slight chimney fire at residence of C. B. Strickland, West St. No damage.

April 1. Box 41, at 11.15 a.m., for wood fire on Canton St. No damage.

April 2. Box 24, at 1.45 p.m., for grass fire on Hyland Ave. No damage.

April 6. Box 46, for fire in residence of Daniel Willis, Chestnut St. Cause, spontaneous combustion. Damage to house and contents, \$1,200. Insured.

April 8. Box 46, at 4.05 p.m., for wood fire on land owned by County Commissioners, Canton St. No damage.

April 11. Box 31, 7.30 p.m., for wood fire off Plain St. No damage.

April 13. Box 47, 9 a.m., for fire that totally destroyed the house, barn and garage owned by Patrick Foley, and occupied by Richard Carmody, together with automobile of Mrs. Carmody. Cause, short circuit in auto. Damage \$5,000. Lack of water supply principal cause of this substantial damage.

April 17. Box 46, 8 p.m., fire in residence of John R. Nedbor, Chestnut St., total loss. Cause, incendiary. Damage \$600.

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April 27. Box 47, at 1.10 p.m., for fire in Ford touring car owned by Alfred East, of Milton. Caused by dropping lighted cigarette into cushions. Damage \$50. Insured.

May 6. Box 61, at 5 p.m., for chimney fire at residence of William Towers, Lafayette St. No damage.

May 9. Still alarm at 6.10 p.m., for chimney fire, residence of Charles Powers, North Main St. No damage.

May 11. Still alarm at 11.10 a.m., for fire in generator near Royal Shoe Co. plant. No damage.

May 12. Still alarm at 10 p.m., for fire in gasoline pump at Atherton's Garage, South Main St., caused by short circuit in wires. No damage.

May 25. Still alarm at 10.05 a.m., for call to the railroad bridge, Main St. No fire.

May 29. Still alarm at 4.45 p.m., for fire in freight cars on tracks of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., off North St. Three cars burned. Cause, incendiary. Damage \$2,000.

May 29. Box 46, at 5.15 p.m., for wood fire on Canton St. Incendiary. Damage \$50.

May 29. Still alarm for fire in dump on Mill St., at 6.10 p.m.

June 4. Box 121, 12.45 a.m., corner South and Center Sts. False.

June 10. Still alarm at 10.10 p.m., for chimney fire, residence of John Comitch, Vine St. No damage.

June 19. Still alarm at 2 p.m., for fire in chimney of residence of Leo Hurley, Mill St. No damage.

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July 4. Still alarm for fire in Ford truck owned by Allen Gould, Mill St. Incendiary. Damage \$25. No insurance.

July 4. Box 26, at 1.40 a.m., false.

July 4. Box 28, at 1.50 a.m., false.

July 4. Box 121, at 2 a.m., false.

July 4. Box 34, at 2.10 a.m., false.

July 4. Box 31, at 2.10 a.m., false.

July 4. Box 35, at 3.30 a.m., for fire in freight cars owned by the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., on tracks off North St. Incendiary. Damage \$3,000.

July 4. Box 35, at 3.45 a.m., for fire in freight cars as above.

July 4. Box 24, at 11.30 p.m., for fire in barn owned by Elder Shaw, of Boston, and located on Sister Nati Rd. Incendiary. Damage \$500.

July 5. Box 74, at 8.45 p.m., for brush fire near pumping station. No damage.

July 7. Still alarm. Call to residence of John Good, Mill St. Cellar filled with smoke, but no fire. No damage.

July 11. Box 35, at 12.05, for fire in haystack on land of late Florence Knight, hay owned by John Taylor. Incendiary. Damage \$50.

July 18. Box 46, at 3 p.m., for slight fire in residence of Alfred Adkinson, Old St. House struck by lightning. Damage \$10.

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July 30. Still alarm at 12.10 p.m., for slight fire in wood box at residence of John A. Henager, Ferncroft Ave., caused by children playing with matches. No damage.

August 17. Box 52, at 9.05 a.m., for slight fire in chicken house on estate of Daniel Denahy, Warren St., caused by children playing with matches. No damage.

August 24. Box 46, 9.20 p.m., false.

September 5. Still alarm, 3.10 p.m., for chimney fire at residence of Bertha Snow, South Main St. No damage.

September 5. Still alarm for slight fire in Reo truck owned by Guiseppie Santoro, Brockton. No damage.

October 1. Still alarm for fire in dump in rear of Lyceum Building that threatened barn on property of F. W. Hayden & Co., at 12.15 p.m. No damage.

October 2. Box 29, 3.15 p.m., for fire in closet at residence of James H. Smith, School St. Cause, spontaneous combustion. Damage \$20.

October 3. Box 26, at 3.30 p.m., for fire in Flint touring car owned by Jennie Prescott, of Holbrook. Caused by spark setting gas fumes ablaze. Damage \$800. Insured.

October 3. Box 56, 6.40 p.m., for fire in garage of Peter Hylan, West St. Garage and Ford truck destroyed. Caused by lighting matches near gas tank. Damage \$750.

November 18. Still alarm at 10.10 a.m., for slight fire in stove funnel, smoking up room. No damage. Residence of James Slattery, Short St.

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December 13. Box 47, 12.10 a.m., for fire in residence of Peter Tobin, Julian Rd. Cause, incendiary. Damage \$1,800. No insurance.

December 15. Box 47, 4.40 a.m., for fire in residence and barn of Edward Tobin, Pine Rd. Property a total loss. Incendiary. Damage \$3,000. No insurance.

December 15. Still alarm for fire in ruins of barn of Peter Tobin, Julian Rd., caused by ember from earlier fire. 8.30 a.m. Damage \$200.

December 16. Box 42, at 11.10 p.m., false.

December 25. Still alarm for grass fire on land off Union St., setting fire to two Ford automobiles owned by R. S. Elliott, and caused by dropping of lighted cigarette in grass by passer-by. Damage \$50.

December 26. Box 26, for fire in Hudson sedan owned by Harold McAuliffe, Warren St., caused by short circuit in wiring. Damage slight. Insured.

Recommendations of Engineers

1. That insurance money paid to the Town Treasurer for damage to pumping engine at fire at plant of the American Fireworks, May 30, 1926, be re-appropriated, for the painting of the pump, and repairs to equipment.

2. We recommend the following amounts for the ensuing year:

General expenses	\$1,090.00
Salaries	450.00
Hour service	750.00
Salary, driver of truck	1,800.00

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Salaries, engineers	150.00
For 1,000 feet of hose	1,000.00
For rebuilding of fire alarm system on North St., and maintenance of sys- tem	350.00
Snow removal	150.00
Salaries, spare drivers	329.00
For new coats and boots	125.00

The equipment is in good condition with the exception of the paint on the pumper.

We are short of hose, not having enough to reload either truck should we have occasion to use what is in them.

We should have some new coats and boots. Most of our coats were burned, or had holes burned in them at the Fireworks Explosion on May 30, 1926, and have not been replaced because of lack of finances.

We have done without many things needed for the efficiency of the department, in order to keep within our appropriation, which was much smaller than the preceding year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. CONDON, Chief,

MARTIN E. YOUNG,

HARRY A. DOLAN, Clerk,

Board of Engineers

NINETY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT

Report of the Trustees of the Turner Free Library

Trustees 1927

Winthrop B. Atherton*	President
Herbert F. French	Vice-President
Frank W. Belcher	Treasurer
William H. Leavitt	Secretary

Richard F. Forrest Harold W. MacAuley
Walter F. Stephens
(Selectmen of Randolph Ex-Officiis)

Mrs. Alice M. T. Beach	Harold F. Howard
Seth T. Crawford	Mrs. Helen W. Pratt
Asa P. French	Frank N. French**
Frank C. Granger	Herman W. French**
Arthur W. Hodges***	Marchall W. Leavitt**

*Deceased. (Seth T. Crawford elected president to fill vacancy)

**Elected to fill vacancy

***Resigned

PUBLIC LIBRARY

To the Citizens of Randolph:

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 3 of the By-laws of the Turner Free Library this, the fifty-second annual

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report, is submitted, showing the condition of the trust, consisting of the building, library and funds, together with the reports of the Librarian and Treasurer, and so much of the reports submitted by the various committees to the Trustees as seems of general interest.

The Library Committee reports that the books, charts and furnishings are in good condition. All books belonging to the library were accounted for by the Librarian.

The Building Committee reports that the building is in fair condition except for the roof which, although extensive repairs have been made to it during the year, is still urgently in need of new copper flashings in the valleys, and an appropriation of \$450 is requested.

The Trustees wish to acknowledge with grateful thanks the receipt of \$356.59 from Mr. Erskine H. Cox, to constitute the nucleus of a fund to be called the "Ethelwyn M. C. Cox Fund," in memory of his wife. Said fund is to be held in trust by the Board of Trustees and the income used by them to provide reading, and for other matter of public interest. Mr. Cox also sent his check for \$16.05 to assure the immediate operation of the fund, and five magazines have been subscribed to and are placed regularly in the Reading Room of the Library.

The Library now contains more than 30,000 books, and the leading magazines are in the Reading Room. The Trustees urge an increasing use of the facilities, believing that such use will redound to the interest and profit of all who avail themselves of the material at hand. They feel that the Library and all who use it are most fortunate in having Miss Sarah C. Belcher as Librarian and Miss Eunice L. Belcher as assistant.

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The report of the Librarian, showing in detail the doings, management and results of the various departments of the Library, the report of the Treasurer, showing the investment of the funds and the receipts and expenditures of the Library, and the report of the Finance Committee, are hereunto subjoined.

Respectfully submitted,

SETH T. CRAWFORD,

President, Board of Trustees

Randolph, January 1, 1928

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

I have the honor to submit the annual report of the Turner Free Library for the year ending December 31, 1927.

The Library has been open to the public 314 days, 21,774 books have been loaned, and 365 unbound magazines. 292 books have been added to the Library during the year, making a 30,057 accessioned volumes.

239 books were added by purchase, and 53 received as gifts from various sources.

We have issued 259 borrowers' cards during the year. The total number of borrowers on our books at present is 2,163.

The sum of \$147.06 has been received for fines, which has been turned over the the Treasurer.

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The number of pupils and others using the reference room is much larger than last year.

The children have the use of the Reading Room during the afternoons where they enjoy the children's magazines.

We would again urge the adults of the town to visit the Reading Room and enjoy the papers and magazines we have.

The time for opening in the afternoon was changed from 3 to 2 o'clock, to accommodate the pupils of the

High School. Very few, however, have taken advantage of the change.

The Librarian wishes to express her thanks to her assistant and to the Trustees for their interest and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH C. BELCHER,

Librarian

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

In compliance with the requirements of the By-laws, I herewith submit the annual report of the Treasurer of the Turner Free Library.

Income Receipts

Income Turner Fund	\$ 537.38
Income R. W. Turner Fund	1,033.97

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Rent, Randolph Savings Bank	165.00	
Rent, Randolph Hardware Co.	300.00	
Interest, Boston Elevated Ry. Bonds	225.00	
Randolph Savings Bank, fuel	111.64	
Fines and collections	147.06	
Sale of old gas tank	5.00	
Sale of used vault doors	50.00	
Randolph Trust Co., savings acct. int.	23.96	
Randolph Trust Co., checking acct. int.	5.98	
	<hr/>	\$2,604.99
Balance income cash on hand Jan. 8, 1927, on deposit in Randolph Trust Company		1,094.27
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		\$3,699.26

Disbursements Account Income

Paid for books	\$356.87	
Periodicals	90.10	
Rebinding books	157.50	
Salary, Librarian	600.00	
Salary, Assistant Librarian	300.00	
Extra help	10.80	
Salary, Janitor	300.00	
Electric light and lamps	104.41	
Rent, Safe Deposit Box	10.00	
Repairs to fixtures	111.68	
Fuel	274.00	
Printing	17.50	
Supplies	6.45	
Sundries	42.06	
	<hr/>	\$2,381.37

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Balance income cash on hand Jan. 12, 1928, on deposit in Randolph Trust Company	1,317.89
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	\$3,699.26

The following bills for repairs have been submitted to John B. McNeill, Town Treasurer, for payment under the Town appropriation of \$450:

May 25, 1927—Robert E. Comins Co., repairs to roof	\$300.00	
June 1, 1927—R. E. O'Brien, re- pairs on heater and toilet room	39.10	
September 6, 1927—P. W. Norris, repairs on chimney	15.00	
December 2, 1927—Geo. A. Roel, repairs on electric wiring	12.00	
December 14, 1927—John T. Boyle, repairs on walls of store	37.00	
December 21, 1927—Brockton Glass Co., 2 lights of plate glass in store	30.00	
	<hr/>	\$433.10

The Turner Fund is Invested in:

	Par	Book
1 N. Y. Central & Hudson River R. R. Co. Bond, 4%-1934	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
1 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bond, 4%-1956	1,000.00	1,000.00
2 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bonds, 5%-1956	2,000.00	2,000.00
3 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bonds, 5%-1956	300.00	300.00
1 Third Liberty Loan Bond, 4¼%-1928	1,000.00	1,000.00

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1 Third Liberty Loan Bond, 4¼ %-1928	50.00	50.00
3 Union Pacific R. R. Bonds, 4%-1947	1,500.00	1,500.00
1 Western Tel. & Tel. Co. Bond, 5%-1932	1,000.00	1,000.00
10 Shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y. Stock, 5%	1,000.00	902.16
33 Shares Union Pacific R. R. Co. Stock, 4%	3,300.00	3,300.00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank		122.84
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		\$12,175.00

The Royal W. Turner Fund is Invested in:

	Par	Book
5 American Tel. & Tel. Co. Bonds, 4%-1929	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00
2 Brooklyn Manhattan Transit Co. Bonds, 6%-1968	2,000.00	1,872.50
2 Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific R. R. Co. Bonds, 4%-1934	2,000.00	1,799.27
5 New York Tel. Co. Bonds, 4½ %-1939	5,000.00	5,000.00
2 Rio Grand Western R. R. Co. Bonds, 4%- 1949	2,000.00	1,596.01
20 Shares California Packing Corp. Stock, 4%	no par	1,247.32
10 Shares Illinois Central R. R. Co. Stock, 7%	1,000.00	1,162.74
10 Shares N. Y. Central R. R. Co. Stock, 7%	1,000.00	1,205.66
10 Shares Southern Railway Co. Stock, 7%	1,000.00	1,067.41
1 Share N. Y. Central R. R. Co. Stock, 7%	100.00	100.00
2 Shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y. Stock, 5%	no par	150.00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank		426.84
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		\$20,627.75

The Remaining Funds are Invested in:

	Par	Book
5 Boston Elevated Railway Bonds, 4½ %- 1937	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00

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Royal W. Turner Fund

Principal Fund Receipts

Withdrawn from Randolph Savings		
Bank	\$250.00	
Received for rights	2.75	
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Principal Fund Payments

2 Shares 5% Common Stock Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y.	\$150.00	
1 Share 7% Capital Stock N. Y. Central R. R. Co.	100.00	
Deposited in Randolph Sav. Bank	2.75	
	<hr/>	\$252.75

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK W. BELCHER,

Treasurer

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

Your Committee on Finance submits the following report:

The committee has audited the accounts of the Treasurer for the year 1927, and found them correct. All moneys received have been duly accounted for, and no moneys have been paid out except upon vouchers properly approved.

The committee has examined, also, the securities rep-

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representing the investments of the funds of the Library, and has found them to be intact and as represented.

The following changes in the investment of the funds have been made during the year:

April 1, 1927, purchased two (2) shares of 5% Common Stock, Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y., at \$75 per share, cost, \$150, no par value, interest payable on \$200.

August 1, 1927, purchased one (1) share 7% Capital Stock New York Central R. R. Co., at \$100, par value \$100.

The above shares were paid for from the deposit in the Randolph Savings Bank, and are a part of the Royal W. Turner Fund.

Respectfully submitted,

ASA P. FRENCH,
Chairman

Randolph, January 25, 1928

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REPORT OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
1927

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The annual report of the School Committee of the Town of Randolph for the year 1927 is herewith submitted, and it is our desire at this time to appeal to the citizens for their support in the future in even a more generous degree than we have received it in the past.

The School Committee recommends that the following sums be appropriated for school expenses during 1928:

Stetson High School teaching	\$16,750.00	
Teaching Grammar Schools	35,000.00	
General school purposes	28,050.00	
Changes at Prescott School Building ordered by State Building Department	500.00	
School Committee's Salary	300.00	
		<hr/> \$80,600.00

The figures obtained at a recent school census showed that the present accommodations will be inadequate in a very short time, as the number of children is increasing very rapidly and must be taken care of.

At the beginning of the school year, in September, it was found necessary to remove two of the seventh grades from the Stetson High School Building, placing one at the

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Prescott School and one at the Belcher School. The portable building at the Belcher School is again being used, which leaves us without any available space.

In making up the recommendations for the year 1928 the committee wishes to call the attention of the citizens to the fact that the expenditures of the year will be listed under four items only, instead of fifteen.

Item No. 1 will call for Teachers' Salaries.

Item No. 2 for General School Purposes.

Item No. 3 changes at Prescott School ordered by State.

Item No. 4 School Committee's Salary.

Under our present bookkeeping system the School Committee does not have the power to transfer from one appropriation to another without a Special Town Meeting, which is often impossible to conduct, and for this reason the State has recommended that the several items be appropriated under the new form, thereby giving the committee the power to transfer in the case of necessity.

During the year a few changes were made in the teaching staff, and at the present time we feel that the town is fortunate in having a very fine corps of teachers working hard and faithful under the direction of our Superintendent.

The School Committee takes this opportunity to express its gratitude to the citizens of Randolph for their co-operation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSE S. BEAL, Chairman,

JOSEPH BELCHER,

CHARLES R. KILEY,

School Committee

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SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Salaries

Appropriation		\$300.00
Jesse S. Beal	\$100.00	
Charles R. Kiley	100.00	
Joseph Belcher	100.00	
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Expense

Appropriation		\$100.00
Olga C. Howard, clerical work	\$36.15	
Jesse S. Beal, auto expense	15.00	
Joseph Belcher, tel. tolls and travel exp	30.55	
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Balance		\$18.30

SUPERINTENDENT

Salary

Appropriation	\$1,300.00
Transferred from High School Salaries	51.42
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	\$1,351.42
A. O. Christiansen	1,351.02
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Balance	\$.40

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Salary

Appropriation	\$100.00
Dr. George V. Higgins	100.00

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HIGH SCHOOL

Salaries

Appropriation	\$16,750.00
Transferred from Stetson Fund	700.00
Transferred from Transportation	40.42

\$17,490.42

Frederick E. Chapin, Principal	\$2,380.00
Hubert Powderly	1,800.00
Marshall Leavitt	1,800.00
Jane C. Good	1,500.00
Winifred Brennan	1,500.00
Evelyn Goodwin	900.00
M. E. Hayes	960.00
Margaret E. Banigan	1,440.00
Margarita C. Glancy	1,500.00
Catherine Black	812.00
Ellen Pierson	600.00
Madeline Coughlin	580.00
Mary Goldmeister	600.00
Dorothy Gribbin	12.00
Sophie Baltzer	5.00

\$16,389.00

Transferred to General Expense	300.00
Transferred to Transportation	750.00
Transferred to Supt.'s Salary	51.42

\$17,490.42

GRADE SCHOOLS

Salaries

Appropriation	\$34,000.00
Sarah Powderly	\$1,300.67

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Hannah F. Hoyer	1,250.48
Anna K. Good	1,175.57
H. F. Kelleher	579.18
Martha Parshley	1,021.42
Teresa Carlin	1,010.37
Marie Cormey	1,196.53
Elizabeth Tierney	991.15
Margaret F. Donovan	1,071.61
Grace Murphy	965.83
Mary R. O'Brien	1,250.48
Rachel McMahon	1,250.48
Ellen McLaughlin	1,250.48
Fannie Campbell	1,250.48
Mary Mullen	1,193.44
Kittie R. Molloy	1,250.48
Elizabeth Griffin	996.54
Mrs. Walter Burbank	1,171.60
Grace Gilgan	1,099.19
Clara A. Tolman	1,250.48
Dorothy Carney	571.56
Pauline Goss	1,171.60
Florence Caples	1,250.48
Ellen McGerrigle	494.01
Elizabeth Lyons	1,250.48
Alice Belcher	1,235.30
Nettie M. Day	622.90
Katherine J. Riley	965.96
Dorothy Gribbin	248.00
Ethel S. Chatfield	919.96
Bernice Francis	463.20
Esther P. Grant	505.28
Eileen Dowd	198.40

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Rose Hand	840.00	
Sophie Baltzer	34.00	
Elizabeth McMahon	186.00	
E. Faircloth	116.00	
Catherine B. Dolan	8.00	
Mary Sweeney	24.00	
Grace Forrest	4.00	
William Drohan	5.00	
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	\$33,640.59	
Transferred to General Expense	300.00	
	<hr/>	\$33,940.59
Balance		<hr/>
		\$ 59.41

SCHOOL NURSE

Appropriation		\$1,400.00
Annie Desmond Kiley	\$840.00	
Jessica V. Mitchell	480.00	
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	\$1,320.00	
Trans. to Trade and Continuation	80.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,400.00

CARE OF ROOMS

Appropriation		\$4,000.00
Transferred from Fuel		349.00
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		\$4,349.00
John R. Luddington	\$1,802.50	

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William W. Stott	51.91	
Joseph Norris	1,001.32	
Willie H. Hayden	599.60	
Martin P. Nugent	286.75	
Joseph March	390.21	
Mrs. George H. Eddy	207.15	
	<hr/>	4,339.44
Balance		<hr/> \$ 9.66

FUEL

Appropriation		\$3,000.00
Randolph Coal Company	\$1,768.14	
C. Esten Soule	119.00	
Frank Diauto	757.78	
William Carroll	6.00	
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	\$2,650.92	
Transferred to Care of Rooms	349.00	
	<hr/>	2,999.92
Balance		<hr/> \$.08

TRANSPORTATION

Appropriation		\$2,900.00
Transferred from High School Salaries		709.58
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		3,608.70

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Stephen J. Hart	\$1,108.70	
Eastern Mass. St. Ry. Co.	2,500.00	
	<hr/>	3,680.70
Balance		<hr/> \$.88

TRADE AND CONTINUATION SCHOOL

Appropriation		\$3,000.00
Transferred from School Equipment		20.50
Transferred from School Nurse		80.00
		<hr/> \$3,100.50
City of Boston	\$2,542.57	
City of Quincy	260.00	
City of Brockton	2.64	
City of Braintree	125.40	
	<hr/>	2,930.61
Balance		<hr/> \$ 169.89

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Appropriation		\$4,500.00
Allen & Bacon	\$ 4.61	
American Book Company	203.58	
Atlas Portable Building Company	10.00	
Edward Babb & Company	1,788.04	
Burditt & Williams Company	5.61	
Diamond Publishing Company	90.20	

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Dinoyer-Gippert Company	16.88	
Dustbane Mfg. Company	6.11	
Dowling School Supply Company	480.45	
Flax Mfg. Company	32.50	
Ginn & Company	457.48	
Gregg Publishing Company	51.90	
J. H. Hammett & Company	9.64	
Mrs. George Harris	3.00	
Walter Hickey	32.75	
Iroquois Publishing Company	16.08	
L. H. Knott Apparatus Company	188.87	
MacMillan Company (The)	43.81	
Mass. State Prison	36.76	
Milton Bradley Company	426.81	
Office Appliance Company	34.62	
Oliver Ditson Company	18.38	
Pneumatic Rubber Stamp Company	3.20	
H. A. Poole	16.50	
H. E. Powers & Company	2.75	
Reformatory for Women	10.73	
Arthur P. Schmidt	7.43	
H. H. Smith	.90	
Surgeons & Physicians Supply Co.	40.00	
Underwood Typewriter Company	273.55	
Ward's	4.65	
F. W. Woolworth Company	1.00	
Warren Pharmacy	7.98	
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		4,326.77
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Balance		\$ 173.23

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SCHOOL EQUIPMENT

Appropriation		\$2,000.00
J. E. Holland & Company	\$1,930.00	
Town of Avon	21.53	
R. A. Fife Corporation	27.97	
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	\$1,979.50	
Trans. to Trade and Continuation	20.50	
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		\$2,000.00

GENERAL EXPENSE

Appropriation		\$2,500.00
Transferred from Salaries		600.00
By overpayment refund		18.91
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		\$3,118.91
Avon, Town of	\$61.94	
American Railway Express Co.	.44	
Baird & Maguire	20.00	
B. & P. Transportation Co.	3.55	
L. G. Brown	37.00	
Brockton Gas Light Co.	45.92	
Beacon Waste Supply Co.	13.00	
Cartwright & Hurley	6.00	
P. P. Caproni	7.20	
Chandler & Barber	5.33	
A. O. Christiansen, expense	172.67	
W. H. Claflin & Co.	11.20	
Fred E. Chapin, cash paid out	13.21	
A. E. Conrad, watchman	6.60	

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Earl Crockett	24.00
F. J. Curran	33.65
C. D. Dolge & Co.	6.25
James Dowd	56.50
Joseph Belcher	13.50
M. F. Ellis & Co.	112.50
George Frawley	29.70
Charles E. Graves	1.50
Olga C. Howard	28.20
Stephen J. Hart, Attendance Officer	439.56
H. Willie Hayden	20.50
F. W. Hayden & Co.	43.48
Mrs. George Harris	1.80
Hazen Brown Chemical Co.	23.52
Walter L. Hickey	79.39
Timothy Kelliher	10.00
Joseph T. Leahy	10.00
Charles A. Lyman	6.00
John R. Luddington, extra work	105.96
John Lunt	30.80
E. F. Mahady & Co.	35.52
Edward F. Murphy, school census	149.40
John B. McNeill	15.00
William J. McLeer	5.10
George March	5.00
Massachusetts, Commonwealth of	30.00
Talmadge Morrow	5.00
P. W. Norris	37.09
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	131.84
Martin P. Nugent	28.60
Robert E. O'Brien	127.24
R. & H. Power & Light Co.	501.29

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Randolph Hardware Co.	84.63	
J. E. Reynolds	5.25	
George Sullivan	11.50	
The SanCrois Co.	6.75	
Tropical Paint Co.	112.22	
F. Teed & Co.	226.05	
Underwood Typewriter Co.	1.80	
William F. Whitecross	60.13	
Eddy C. Young Co.	19.42	
School Supervision, sundry persons	266.00	
		<hr/> 3,345.71
Overdraft		<hr/> \$ 226.80

TRADE AND CONTINUATION SCHOOLS

Special Appropriation	\$1,726.89
Paid City of Boston (1926) bill	1,726.89

The following 1926 bills were adjusted and paid from surplus and re-appropriation, by State Auditors:

City of Boston	\$1,220.58
City of Quincy	20.00
Eastern Mass. Street Ry. Co.	750.00
Brockton Transportation Company	2.00
Randolph & Holbrook Power & Light Co.	66.88
American Book Company	124.47
Edward Babb & Company	495.46
Dowling School Supply Company	56.23

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Ginn & Company	141.03
Gregg Publishing Company	41.14
Milton Bradley Company	433.35
Monument Mills	93.70
Powers Brothers	158.51
Frank Diauto	535.26

REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,

Superintendent of Schools:

During the school year of 1927 the children in our public schools were free, to a great extent, from any contagious disease.

A few mild cases of measles and scarlet fever developed, but no epidemic followed either disease.

At the beginning of the spring term State Medical Officers examined and X-rayed many children who were reported underweight, in order to rule out Pulmonary Tuberculosis. Only one or two active cases were found, but many children were listed as suspicious cases and advice regarding proper food and fresh air was given to the parents in each of these cases. During the summer vacation a number of children were given preventorium treatment at the Norfolk County Hospital, under the direction of the Superintendent, Dr. Nathan Pillsbury. Due to his excellent care and guidance the children improved, and a very marked gain in weight was noted, averaging about one pound per week per child.

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Several cases of Impetigo Contagiosa were found, and these children were not permitted to return to school until the condition was relieved.

Many minor accidents came to my attention during the year, most of these being due to children falling in the school playgrounds.

Many children were operated on for tonsils and adenoids, their parents having been advised, before the close of the school year, regarding the great necessity of such operations. In every one of these cases a very marked physical improvement was noted during the year.

A Dental Clinic would be a very excellent thing for the children in our schools, and it is our hope that such an addition may be made, in order to keep the health of the school child in the very best condition possible.

Installation of electric lights at the North Randolph School is needed. On dark days the light in both classrooms is extremely poor, and the eyes of the children are, in many cases, in danger of being weakened.

Sanitary conditions in two of our school buildings are still very bad. Something should be done in the near future to relieve this condition. When these buildings were erected no thought was given to indoor sanitary rooms, with the result that nauseating odors arise from the basement when doors are opened. This is a very unhealthy atmosphere for children to live in. It should be remedied.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the School Committee, teachers and School Nurse for their hearty

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co-operation in connection with the medical care of the children in our schools.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE V. HIGGINS, M.D.,
School Physician

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,

Superintendent of Schools:

In this report the work of the present year in the school has been summarized, and otherwise commented on by the several heads of departments. The Principal has had it in mind for a number of years past to allow teachers to discuss the problems of their departments in such a manner as may, in their opinion, set forth the aims, the actual work done, and the needs of the various departments. Those teachers who have been with us only a very short time have not contributed to this round-table talk.

Mathematics

F. E. Chapin, Teacher

The first year pupils in the College Course study Algebra. The work of the year is sufficient to complete quadratics as treated in the elementary course. In the English Course and in the Commercial Course the pupils may elect Commercial Arithmetic. The aim of the course is to review the essential operations of arithmetic and to relate the subject to actual conditions in the life of the

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community. Many pupils in our first year classes are in great need of review of the basic operations and principles of Arithmetic.

The subject plane geometry occupies the college division during the second year; the five books of that subject are completed, and there is usually time for a brief review and discussion of examination questions such as are found in college entrance papers.

Solid Geometry is taken up during the senior year; during this year and also during the least part of the junior year the work consists of a review of Algebra and Geometry by means of standard examinations. Both Algebra and Geometry may be related to the life of the individual in many ways, although the connection is not so apparent at first thought as in Arithmetic. Not so many pupils have taken college examinations in recent years, because the school has the Specimen Certification privilege of the N. E. College Entrance Examination Board. One of our graduates at the end of her senior year took the examinations of the College Entrance Examination Board, and was marked 100 in Geometry and 93 in Algebra. The work in mathematics is very definite, and our teachers in that subject have, as a rule, been able to obtain good results.

Latin

Madeline E. Coughlin, Teacher

The beginners' Latin class, as a whole, is doing very well. The pupils are attentive and interested and seem to grasp the subject very well. They are making fine progress, and no doubt will meet the first year requirements.

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The second year class is not very well advanced. Their knowledge of the fundamentals of Latin seem to be limited and they find Caesar rather difficult. I am giving them short assignments and am taking the work up very thoroughly.

The third and fourth year class are taking Cicero instead of Virgil, although they took Cicero last year. I am acting on the advice of their former teacher. They are doing fairly well.

History

H. J. Powderly, Teacher

In a class in Problems of Democracy, problems that have confronted us, are confronting us, and will confront us, are investigated. Such problems are immigration, tariff, farm problems, labor and crime.

The aim is to have the pupil investigate these problems intelligently and to acquire a sane background for the future interpretation of these problems. The pupil, of course, is not expected to solve successfully a problem which baffles our Congressmen, but he should be able to set a foundation which can be added to as he grows older and meet these issues in his duties as a citizen.

The farm problem is used here to show how any one problem may have civic education as one of its objectives, and at the same time develop skills and attitudes.

... **Subject**—The Farm Problem.

Class—A senior section in Problems of Democracy of twenty pupils in High School. Socialized recitation with chairman and secretary.

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Approach—The approach to this problem is through current events. The pupils on the lookout for current events will have noticed the McNary-Haugenbill in the paper, its possible revision, possible legislation on the farm problem in the next Congress and the farmer's problem which they have noticed.

Skill—Social relation, friendliness and good will. These will be inculcated by the formal discussions, quiet listening to various opinions, and by trying to develop in good faith a friendly spirit in the class on bills brought up.

Attitudes—Alertness to current events. This will have suggested the problem and the searching through newspapers and magazines for additional material.

Co-operation—The working together to aid the farmer.

Tolerance—Appreciation of the farmer's problem—acceptance of decisions made by the class.

Objectives:

1. To enable a student to attack a problem with open mindedness. How done—problem is examined into and discussed from all angles and viewpoints.
2. To give the student training for rendering decisions based on a knowledge of a problem. How done—by voting on various bills that are introduced into the class.
3. To give the student a background so that he will be able to give an intelligent interpretation of the farmer's problem as an adult. How done—by a study of material available.

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Activities:

1. Students consult farmers in community to get problems first-hand.
2. Committees appointed to investigate phases of problem as:
 1. Market conditions.
 2. Farm labor.
 3. Land ownership.
 4. Federal aid.
 5. Tarriiff and the farmer.
 6. Co-operative market.
 7. Agricultural school.
 8. Radio and the farmer.
3. When a bill is proposed to aid the farmer a committee investigates and makes a report.
4. Secretary's report is read every day.

Sample Bill:

1. That Congress appropriate additional funds to enable the Department of Agriculture to instruct the farmer concerning the raising of a variety of products.

Shorthand and Typewriting

Winnifred M. Brennan, Teacher

Over seventy-five per cent of the students enrolled in the Junior and Senior classes are studying shorthand and

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typewriting. At the present time we have two years of shorthand, Junior and Senior, and three years of typewriting, Sophomore, Junior and Senior.

The Junior year in the shorthand classes is spent in teaching the fundamentals of the system, simple speed and correlation work. We cover the Gregg Manual and Graded Readings during this year, and the Supplementary Exercises are used as outside work.

In the Senior year we concentrate chiefly on speed drills, business letters, their style and phraseology, correlation work and transcript. The shorthand speed at the end of the Senior year averages from 80 to 100 words per minute. During this year we cover the Dictation Exercises and Gregg Speed Studies. From January to April of the Senior year we spend on "Office Training for Stenographers," which brings into play the routine followed in the stenographer's daily work. The Office Training work has been found to be both useful and beneficial to the student.

The Junior year in the Typewriting Department is spent chiefly in copying exercises from text books, legal paper, rough drafts, articles of copartnership, etc. Time is also given to speed drills during this year. The average speed at the end of the Junior year is from 35 to 45 words per minute.

The Senior year is spent in transcribing letters dictated during the shorthand period, and two periods a week are spent on intensive speed and accuracy tests. The speed of the graduating class averages from 40 to 60 words per minute. At the present writing two girls of the class of

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1928 hold gold medals from the Underwood Typewriter Co. for a net speed of 60 words per minute.

It is gratifying to note that the graduates of the Commercial Department of Stetson High School have been very fortunate in securing positions on leaving school.

Bookkeeping, Commercial Law and Elementary Typewriting

Jane C. Good, Teacher

Commercial education is growing in importance very rapidly—indeed, in no educational field has the progress and development been more marked, especially in the last ten years.

As business does not demand anything of the schools, but rather does expect something of them, it is my aim first, to inculcate a technical proficiency; second, to teach the ethics of the office or, at least, to give the students some knowledge of business management and office methods, and also to incite originality and ingenuity.

The subjects under my supervision are Bookkeeping, Commercial Law, and first year Typewriting.

In the Sophomore or elementary Bookkeeping classes, the assignment requires the writing up of exercises and sets illustrating the use of the journal, cash book, sales book, purchase book and general ledger. Instruction and practice are also given in the preparation of simple mercantile profit and loss statements, balance sheets and ledger closing exercises. Emphasis is laid on the handling of ordinary business papers and in the managing of a checking account.

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In the advanced Bookkeeping classes the following topics are covered: partnership accounts, interest and discount accounts, the columnar cash book, special ledgers, controlling accounts, depreciation and reserves, and good will. The application of these features is thoroughly worked out in comprehensive practice sets during the Junior and Senior years.

In Commercial Law, the principles are presented through the study of the text material and illustrative cases.

Elementary typewriting: this course covers fundamentals of touch typewriting and gives a mastery of the keyboard. It includes keyboard exercises, rhythm drills, copying from miscellaneous matter, simple tabulation, letter forms, addressing envelopes, and use of carbon. Special stress is laid on the care of the typewriter.

English

Margaret Banigan, Teacher

Noticeable progress in a broad subject such as English must come as the result of concentrated effort along certain definite, well outlined plans of study. During the past year the English Department has made consistent progress in the two major divisions of the study of literature and composition. The study of literature in class has included poetry, drama, oratory and the novel. The outside reading list has been revised and a minimum list of required books established. The list includes selections made from the works of the best authors from the Elizabethan period to the present day. Reports on outside reading are made once a month.

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Steady advancement has been made in written composition in all classes. The oral composition has improved tremendously and the enunciation and habits of speech of the students are noticeable better than formerly. In connection with the training in public speaking considerable work has been done in the interpretation and memorization of poetry and of prose.

In so far as was possible, without conflicting with classes in other subjects, the college and business students have been placed in separate classes. The business classes have been trained in the style of the business letters, the sales talk, advertising phraseology and spelling. The college classes have received special instructions in the subject matter required by college entrance examinations.

The books used in the department are in good condition. A set of *Oliver Twist*, by Dickens, and a set of Shakespeare's *Macbeth* have been added during the past year.

French

Ellen Pierson, Teacher

Approximately fifty per cent of the pupils in the Senior High are studying French. Three years of French are offered, although a pupil may begin the language during the first year and continue it for the remaining three. This opportunity, however, is generally given only to those who do not elect the college course.

The general aims in the study of any foreign language are both practical and cultural: practical in that it should enable the pupil to speak, understand, read and write the

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language to a reasonable degree; cultural in that it should acquaint the pupil with the life, literature and civilization of another people and give him a sympathetic understanding of peoples and nations beyond his own.

The degree to which a language becomes practical to a pupil will differ according to each pupil's aptitude for that language.

Considering the breadth and scope of a foreign language, there ought to be definite aims and ideals established under the form of a course of study. A course of study gives the teacher a standard, the basis on which to build. Especially does this seem essential since men teachers are continually coming into the department.

With this in view, I have endeavored to make out a course of study in order to bring about a more systematic and definite results. It will not be possible to come up to that standard this year, for results are not accomplished immediately, but gradually. But if the requirements for each year are adhered to as nearly as possible a pupil, at the end of three years, should have sufficient foundation to easily acquire more in higher institutions, or be able to use what he has intelligently.

Science

Mary K. Gildmeister, Teacher

So far there has been no difficulty about getting any materials that have been asked for by the Science Department. At the first of the year I asked for a few things that we ought to have for physics and for general science demonstrations.

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At present I am trying to teach electricity in general science and we have very little material to work with. We need right now a direct current ammeter, a vibrating induction coil, a small election demonstration motor, and a storage cell, four dry cells, a telegraph key sounder and relay.

Shortly we will come to the study of the heavenly bodies and their relations to each other. It is rather hard to get pupils to understand the relative movements of the earth around the sun. L. E. Knott has a very good piece of apparatus to demonstrate this.

In Chemistry and Biology we are getting along very well with the things we have. Of course, there will be an order to renew the supply of chemicals and some glassware, at the end of the year.

In some instances it is possible to get pupils to bring some things from home for demonstration purposes, as in the study of the steam engine one of the pupils brought a toy engine which served very well.

At present there is, as you know, no apparatus for physics in the laboratory for demonstration work. The equipment needed, of course, is rather expensive, but we have a laboratory which ought to be used, and it seems a shame that it should go unused for the lack of six or eight dollars' worth of equipment.

But everything asked for has been generously provided by the committee.

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THE GRADUATION PROGRAM

Invocation Rev. Melbourne O. Baltzer

"The Cadets' Parade" Chorus

Class History Wayne B. McLeer

"The Greatness of the Present" Seth W. Swain

Debate—

Resolved: "That the Radio is More Instructive Than the
Newspaper"

Chairman, Pauline F. Knebel

Affirmative

Eleanor M. Kelley

Elizabeth P. Doyle

Negative

Marjorie L. Mann

Alice N. Dickie

"Off for Florida" Boys' Glee Club

"Loyalty" Charles Dockendorff

Scene—"The Shutting o' the Door"

Introduction, Alice Burns

Margaret.....Mabel Forrest

JanKathleen O'Neil

The FoolDorothy E. Boothby

First Thief.....Clare Sullivan

Second Thief.....Eleanor M. Boyle

Violin Solo—"At Dawning" Muriel B. Furbush

"The Man Without a Country" Gerald L. Mulvey

"The Butterfly" Girls' Chorus

Presentation of Class Gift Daniel W. Leavitt

Awards in History and Typewriting

Presentation of Diplomas A. O. Christiansen, Supt. of Schools

"America" School and Audience

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THE GRADUATING CLASS

The Class of Nineteen Hundred Twenty-Seven

Colors—Crimson and Gold

Motto—"Service and Good Will"

Class Flower—The Rose

President.....WALTER A. TEED

Vice-President.....DORTHY E. BOOTHBY

Secretary.....ELIZABETH O'BRIEN

Treasurer.....SETH W. SWAIN

Ballantyne, Marjorie Frances
Beck, Bertha Sarah
Blakely, Helen Mabel
Boothby, Dorothy Elizabeth
Boyle, Eleanor Mary
Burns, Alice Louise
Clark, Kathryn Elizabeth
Collins, Alyce Gertrude
Diauto, Clara Cynthia
Dickie, Alice Nedra
Dixon, Ruth Louise
Doble, Pauline
Doyle, Elizabeth Pope
Faunce, Elizabeth Estella
Forrest, Mabel Frances
French, Mildred
Furbush, Muriel Blake
Goody, Irene Frances
Herrick, Hazel N.
Kelly, Eleanor Marie
Knebel, Pauline Frances
Mann, Marjorie Laura
Mayo, Priscilla

McFadden, Alice Elizabeth
Merchant, Ruth Anita
Nelson, Amy Julia
Nunes, Geneva Elizabeth
O'Brien, Elizabeth
O'Neil, Kathleen
Rent, Eleanor Frances
Shepard, Josephine
Studley, Muriel Wood
Sullivan, Clare
Thomson, Violet May
White, Barbara Elizabeth
Almond, Robert
Dockendorff, Charles Irving
Doyle, William A.
Kenney, Joseph A.
Leavitt, Daniel White
McLeer, Wayne Bromade
Morrow, Eldon Talmage
Mulvey, Gerald Leo
Swain, Seth Warren
Teed, Walter Addison
Thayer, Arthur Gordon

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REPORT OF THE DRAWING SUPERVISOR

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,
Superintendent of Schools:

I herewith submit my report as Drawing Supervisor in the schools of Randolph.

Very satisfactory results are obtained in the grades and High School.

All grades, one to eight inclusive, are visited once in every two weeks, at which time an individual two-week drawing outline is submitted to the teacher. The grades are studying and executing work in color, designing, illustrations and nature study.

The classes in the High School are made up of two groups: the freehand drawing and the mechanical. In the former group, special interest is centered on poster work, design, pastel and portrait drawing, figure proportions and applied work. The mechanical drawing classes advance from the simple three-view working drawings to more complex plates, dealing with the elements and details of machine design.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to you and the teachers for your interest and co-operation in my work.

Respectfully submitted,

EILEEN V. DOWD,
Supervisor of Drawing

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REPORT OF MUSIC SUPERVISOR

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,

Superintendent of Schools:

The interest in music has been well maintained during the past year. Good progress has been made and much ground has been covered with, a thoroughness that is productive of good results.

Music taught in our schools is not limited to the teaching of song-singing; the purpose is to teach the pupils in such a manner that upon the completion of the Grammar School course, they will fully understand the principles of this subject, namely, the knowledge of keys, ability to read songs at sight, to sing in time and in tune, and to be able to carry parts accurately in two, three and four-part music.

The so-called "monotone," or the child who cannot carry a tune, or who cannot co-ordinate the ear, eye and voice correctly, must receive special attention, the same as a backward pupil in any other subject. Individual singing is of untold value in correcting this fault. It also helps to establish self-control and consciousness of ability to do individually what the class has accomplished as a whole.

The opportunity offered today in the public schools for the study of music develops the kind of knowledge and ability that motivates directly into the community.

High School. Rehearsals are held weekly, and much in-
An orchestra has been organized from the pupils of the

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terest is manifested among the members. It is hoped that with an increase in membership, a larger and better orchestra may develop.

- Throughout the schools our girls and boys enter into the lessons and sing as though they really enjoy it. Undoubtedly this response is due to the splendid school spirit and the hearty co-operation of the teachers and Superintendent.

Respectfully submitted,

ROSE G. HAND,
Supervisor of Music

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,

Superintendent of Schools:

The X-ray Clinic at the Stetson High School was the second given in the State last year. At that clinic, with the co-operation of parents, we enrolled a total of 156 pupils.

To stimulate interest and activity in health observances last year, teachers very successfully carried out various projects and programs in the form of health plays, posters, food displays, diaries and booklets.

Whatever we may claim as a step forward in our health program in Randolph, acknowledgement must be made here of the interest and co-operation of the Ladies' Library Association for the use of their rooms; also the

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Women's Catholic Club, and the Community Welfare Committee, for their contribution of \$125 for free distribution of milk among needy children. Thanks and appreciation for assistance and constant interest in our health work are likewise extended to you, teachers and pupils.

All pupils weighed and measured.

Pupils 10 per cent or more underweight	126
Pupils examined at clinic	156
Pupils X-rayed	156
Pupils sent to Braintree Highlands Camp	4
Pupils sent home with Impetigo	6
Pupils sent home with Pedercolosis	80
Home visits	200
Pupils sent to Dr. Higgins' office	75
Pupils taken for special examination to the Norfolk County Hospital	2

Respectfully submitted,

*ANNE L. KILEY, R.N.

JESSICA V. MITCHELL, R.N.,

School Nurse

*Resigned, September, 1927.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee,
Randolph, Mass.,

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my seventh annual report of the public schools of Randolph.

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With the opening of school came the necessity of removing two seventh grades from the Stetson High School building. These pupils, numbering about seventy-five in all, are accommodated in the Prescott and Belcher Schools, and are observing the regular Junior High School hours.

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

	1927	1926	1925	1924
Stetson High School	210	217	225	208
Stetson Junior High School	168	214
Prescott Grammar School	246	204	287	251
Prescott Primary School	203	205	248	243
Belcher School	249	221	280	272
North Randolph School	88	87	81	87
Tower Hill School	76	71	61	69
West Corner School	40	37	31	31
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Totals	1280	1256	1213	1161

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

High School—Grade 12			46	
Grade 11			41	
Grade 10			59	
Grade 9	—	210	71	217
Junior High—Grade 8	111		86	
Grade 7	136		118	214
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Grammar—Grade 6	120		142	
Grade 5	135		116	
Grade 4	133		135	
Grade 3	129		138	
Grade 2	141		134	
Grade 1	165	823	160	825
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Totals		1280		1256

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HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION

The need of a High School education today is rarely disputed. It isn't so much the need we question, as the value and worth of such an education. Several attempts in the past have been made by statisticians to evaluate its instruction to the individual in terms of dollars and cents; its cultural investment, its useful training for citizenship, or its broader function, namely that of self-adjustment to the real problems of living. These are indeed excellent attainments, but do we really attain them? For a reply to that question it may be given, or admitted, that we do so in part only. Such seems to be the result of our self-analysis. The fault points to no one in particular, but rather is a trait or tendency of our day to look upon a High School education as a sort of a finishing place where courses and activities are so many and so thickly coated with frosting that pupils will like them without work. The High School, indeed, is the people's school, and is in truth a finishing school, but it costs money; and because of that cost it is fair to suppose that pupils are sent there for work, and that it is not inconsistent on our part to expect work.

Problems and complexities immediately arise as we begin to enumerate the factors which go to make up a High School course of study. In such a study, however, it is right that we keep in mind first the student body, its needs and capabilities; the service to the community; the ability of that community to pay for education; and the last, as it should be, the demands of colleges and higher institutions of learning. With our limited material equipment, we point with pride to pupils who have successfully

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completed our High School courses. They are pupils who worked. There are others, again, whose four years' experience in school have netted them little of real value. For these we are sorry.

For a High School the size of ours, the task of supplying all the material needs of our pupils is out of the question. At our best we cannot hope to compete with city schools on such a basis. Perhaps it is not necessary. We can and will compete, however, in the quality of students turned out. To think, is confined to no one school or class; nor is it necessarily a sequence depending upon the number of courses offered. To teach how to study—the very foundation and attainment of all knowledge—knows no monopoly, but is more at home in a school the size of Stetson High School than in a city school of some two thousand pupils. If we teach with such objectives in mind, the value of an education needs no definition. There is more need of real study today than more courses to be studied. Parents and teachers have a joint responsibility here. The child must be taught to have a right attitude towards, and a proper respect for study. There must be co-operation of the best sort; instruction and leadership of the best kind; punctuality and respect for the school day, to the end that the child shall learn how to study, how to see clearly that it pays to study, and that it pays to think.

HIGH SCHOOL COURSES OF STUDY

The table below represents the three courses of study offered at the High School, namely, Commercial, General and College Preparatory. Under these courses the re-

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quired, elective and optional subjects are listed, with their number of recitations each week, number of weeks in the year, and the diploma credit given each subject. A total of 82 credits will meet the requirements for graduation.

In the words of the Principal, these courses are the best selections we can give with our somewhat limited opportunities. Each pupil is required to maintain four full subjects daily, or a total of 21 periods of recitation a week, including physical education. This in turn will give him a total of four units for the year, or twenty-one credits, or, sixteen units or eighty-four credits for the four years.

A rank of C, (65 to 70 per cent), will satisfy the requirements for promotion and graduation, although at least B, (80 to 90 per cent), is required for certification to normal school or college.

All pupils are required to fill out blanks, naming the course of study which they elect to pursue. These blanks, in turn, are countersigned by the parents and given to the Principal. A change in the course, or the dropping of a subject is a serious handicap to the pupil after school has been in session for weeks. Only with the consent of the Principal, parents and Superintendent, can such a change be made.

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COMMERCIAL COURSE

COMMERCIAL COURSE				Second Year			
First Year		Hrs. per Week		No. Weeks		Credits	
Subjects		Hrs. per Week		No. Weeks		Credits	
Required		Required		Required		Required	
English (1)		5		40		5	
Com. Arithmetic		3		40		5	
Gen. Science		3		40		2	
Civics		3		40		3	
Penmanship		1		40		1	
Physical Education		1+		40		1	
Elect One		Elect One		Elect One		Elect One	
French (1)		5		40		5	
World History		5		40		5	
Optional		Optional		Optional		Optional	
Drawing (Freehand)		1		40		1	
Music		1		40		1	
Third Year				Fourth Year			
Required		Required		Required		Required	
English (3)		5		40		3	
Bookkeeping (2)		5		40		3	
Stenography (1)		5		40		2	
Typewriting (2)		5		40		5	
Physical Education		1+		40		2	
Elect One		Elect One		Elect One		Elect One	
French (3) or (2)		5		40		5	
Chemistry		5+		40		5	
Physics		5+		40		5	
Optional		Optional		Optional		Optional	
Drawing (Mechanical)		1		40		1	
Music		1		40		1	
Problems of Democracy		5		20		2½	

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GENERAL COURSE				Second Year			
First Year		Subjects		Hrs. per Week		No. Weeks	
Required		Required		Credits		Credits	
English (1)	5	English (2)	5	40	5	40	5
Algebra	5	Geometry (Plane)	5	40	5	40	5
Gen. Science	3	World History	5	40	5	40	5
Civics	3	Physical Education	1+	40	1	40	1
Physical Education	1+						
Elect One		Elect One					
Latin (1)	5	Latin (2) or (1)	5	40	5	40	5
French (1)	5	French (2) or (1)	5	40	5	40	5
Optional		Optional					
Drawing (Freehand)	1	Drawing (Freehand)	1	40	1	40	1
Music	1	Music	1	40	1	40	1
		Biology	3	40	3	40	3
Third Year				Fourth Year			
Required		Required					
English (3)	5	English (4)	5	40	5	40	5
U. S. History—Civics	5	Physical Education	1+	40	1	40	1
Physical Education	1+						
Elect Two		Elect Three					
French (3) or (2)	5	Geometry (Solid)	5	40	20	20	20
Latin (3) or (2)	5	Review Mathematics or	5	40	20	20	20
Chemistry	5+	Problems of Democracy	5	40	5	40	5
Physics	5+	French (3)	5	40	5	40	5
Typewriting	5	Latin (3)	5	40	5	40	5
Stenography	5	Chemistry	5+	40	5+	40	5+
Optional		Physics	5+	40	5+	40	5+
Drawing (Mechanical)	1	Optional					
Music	1	Drawing (Mechanical)	1	40	1	40	1
		Music	1	40	1	40	1
		Typewriting—Stenog.	5	40	5	40	5

COLLEGE PREPARATORY

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PROMOTIONS

The once-a-year promotion for all pupils is one of those customs handed down from the days of pure guessing. The assumption must have been that all children were cast from the same mold and moved in rhythm and equality of attainment throughout the different grades. That was no more true in those days than it is today. As children differ in features and temperment, so do they differ in educational attainments, though little attention has been given to it.

The time is not far distant when schools must take account of stock and realize that there is a close correlation between the cost of public school education and the finished product, namely, the movement of pupils from grade to grade and the final output, graduates. There are strong indications that the system of promotion needs revision, and that it might have something to do with the soaring cost of education.

For the last three years this phase of our school problem has received careful consideration. Although observing the old method of promotion, as a whole we have found, as we expected, great differences of ability among pupils, by means of tests and special work. To deny these capable children the privilege or the right to move on is to deny them the very right which is theirs as pupils in a public institution. We sin, as it were, against the exceptional child, by holding him back for a mass promotion. No less is the sin of waste, of time and of public money.

It is strongly recommended, therefore, that a more flexible system of promotion be observed, so that the

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progress and attainment of all our pupils may be more justly and properly carried out and evaluated.

In closing my report I am mindful of your deep interest in the welfare of our schools, and of teachers, parents and pupils who have worked together for one common good.

Respectfully submitted,

A. O. CHRISTIANSEN,
Superintendent of Schools

SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1928-29

Elementary Schools, Grades 1 to 8

Open Jan. 3, 1928. Close Feb. 17, 1928. 7 weeks.

Open Feb. 27, 1928. Close April 13, 1928. 7 weeks.

Open April 23, 1928. Close June 15, 1928. 8 weeks.

Summer Vacation

Open Sept. 4, 1928. Close Dec. 21, 1928. 16 weeks.

Christmas Vacation

Open Jan. 2, 1929. Close Feb. 15, 1929. 7 weeks.

High School

Open Jan. 3, 1928. Close Feb. 17, 1928. 7 weeks.

Open Feb. 27, 1928. Close April 18, 1928. 7½ weeks.

Open April 23, 1928. Close June 22, 1928. 9 weeks.

Summer Vacation

Open Sept. 4, 1928. Close Dec. 21, 1928. 16 weeks.

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Christmas Vacation

Open Jan. 2, 1929. Close Feb. 15, 1929. 7 weeks.

Schools Will Close on the Following Days

Good Friday, April 6; May 30; October 12;

Thanksgiving Day and the following Friday, Nov. 29-30.

NO SCHOOL SIGNALS

Three blows repeated at

7.15 A. M. All schools close.

8.15 A. M. No morning session for first six grades.

12.30 P. M. No afternoon session for first six grades.

HONOR ROLL FOR PERFECT ATTENDANCE

It has been the custom for years to publish in the Town Report the names of pupils who have successfully completed one or both school terms without an absence, tardy or dismissal record against them. It is a single honor of no small importance. Punctuality and strict observance of school business are excellent traits in our pupils, and are here evaluated as they will be in the business world outside. Many a good name could have been added to this list had not sickness intervened and robbed the child of his prized goal.

Junior High School

Philip Doyle 2
John Dolan 2
Mildred Forrest 2
Mary McLaughlin 2

Earl McDonald 2
Edwin Lightfoot 2
Joseph Daly 1
Edwin Hart 1

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Edith Sullivan 2
M. Crayton 1
Lloyd French 2
John Brady 1
Eustace Driscoll 1
Robert Evans 1
Eric Hylan 1
Harry Johnson 1
Alonzo Madan 1
Alice Merchant 1

Helen Hurley 1
Harry Knight 1
Alice Murphy 1
Edith Merchant 1
Frances Thayer 1
Helen Porter 1
Henry Madelli 1
Edward Pelissier 1
Warren Powers 1

Prescott School

Ellent Cohen 2
Mary Kelliher 1
Stella Mazur 1
Virginia Kelliher 1
Marie Collins 1
Grace Guinnitty 1
Joseph Kelleher 1
Agnes Foley 1
Louise Boyle 2
Evelyn Clark 2
Earl Nevins 1
Evelyn Hoeg 1
Charles Montforte 1
Albert Schneider 1
Roy Anderson 1
Joseph Keith 1
Josephine Keith 1
Roy Drysdale 1
Ronald Ernest 1
Hazel Goody
Raymond MacNeil 1

Bertram Kendrick 1
Everett Hoeg 2
Robert O'Leary 2
Gerald O'Leary 2
Earl Anderson 1
Marian Power 2
Clara Boothby 1
Nellie Magnussen 1
Rena Hoeg 2
Florence Ferraro 1
Barbara Hammond 1
Lawrence Haskell 1
Anna Schora 1
Anna Garvey 1
Albert Babcock 1
Joseph Harris 1
Harold Hicks 1
Phoebe Ernest 1
Theresa Ferraro 1
Frances Fitzgerald 1
Emma Shea 1

Belcher School

Edward Cederholm 1
Erika Ahlfort 1
Marjorie Bowley 1
Hattie Saunders 1
Orrin White 1
June McDonald 1
Mabel Higgins 2
George White 2
Ruth Hayden 1
Hugh Powers 1
Melba Quinn 1

George Stanwood 1
Richard McAuliffe 2
Esther Kasey 2
Lillian Dockendorff 1
James Mozzeo 1
Edward Call 1
Edgar Main 1
John Manning 1
Arthur Baker 1
Stuart Higgins 1
Thelma DeForest 1

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North Randolph School

Mary Godfrey 2	Priscilla Bowley 1
George Condon 2	Ava Harrington 1
Mabel Porter 2	Hudson Bowley 1
Sarah Coyle 1	Rita Callahan 1
Louise Brewster 1	Helen Baxter 1

Tower Hill School

Mary Barrett 1	Evelyn Hawkins 2
Regina Collins 1	Marjorie Hawkins 1
John Nugent 1	Alex Kowrafas 1
Walter Brown 1	Lillian Macauley 1
Robert Lutton 1	Olive Cowell 1
Freda Anderson 2	Edward Hylen 1

West Corner School

Nellie Girnis 1	Aurore Heger 1.
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JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

June 15, 1927

Anderson, Beatrice Mary	Webber, Madelene Florence
Brennan, Jane	White, Alice Louise
Brown, Mary Elizabeth	Williams, Helen Thesera
Buckley, Mary Elizabeth	Ziefelder, Eva Dorothy
Cederholm, Hilda Charlotte	Boyle, Philip
Crayton, Mildred Stuart	Burrill, Paul
DeAngelis, Elvera Mildred	Cartwright, John Thompson
Dockendorff, Hazel June	Clark, Edward Thomas
Dolan, Janet	Colavita, John Frank
Drummond, Blanche	Connors, Edward Francis
Elliott, Grace Amanda	Conrad, Arthur Edward, Jr.
Esposito, Mary Anna	Daiute, Ralph
Foley, Katherine Marie	Daley, Joseph Warren
Forrest, Mildred Mary	Derocher, Edmund
Freeze, Faustine Phyllis	Dolan, John Stephen
Hall, Virginia Marion	Dupras, Robert Kenneth
Hayes, Dorothy Louisa	Flynn, John Celestine
Hoeg, Florence Amelia	Hart, Edwin Stephen
Hurley, Helen Frances	Hatch, Willard Chester

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Johansen, Edna Marjorie
 Landberg, Doris Geraldina
 Mann, Esther Lois
 Mann, Grace Elizabeth
 McEleney, Kathryne
 McLaughlin, Mary Elizabeth
 Merchant, Edith Laverna
 Murphy, Alice
 Porter, Mary Margarite Ann
 Purcell, Margaret Elizabeth
 Rent, Florence Maud
 Robertson, Gertrude Mary
 Sass, Eva Marguerite
 Scanlon, Irene Mary
 Shanks, Glenna Dorothy Mae
 Smith, Leona May
 Strakowsky, Veronica Louise
 Studley, Ruby Virginia
 Sullivan, Edith Clare
 Taylor, Ruth E.
 Teed, Margaret
 Teed, Mary
 Thayer, Frances Louise

Heney, George Henry, Jr.
 Jacobsen, Norman Roland
 Jacobson, Edward Carl
 Jensen, Frank
 Kasey, Jeremiah Joseph
 Kiernan, Owen Burns
 Knight, Harry Bingham
 Lightfoot, Edwin Paul
 Little, Ralph Mills
 Mann, Norman Henry
 Marcille, Vincent Roland
 Marmaud, Herbert Walter
 Norris, James
 Nugent, Martin Joseph
 Payne, Harold Russell
 Porter, John Langley
 Roode, Lawrence Robert
 Shea, Jerome Francis
 Skonberg, Theodore Allen
 Smith, Dan Milton
 Taylor, Clement Franklin
 Wallin, Carl Alfred

LIST OF TEACHERS

	Position	Educated at	Year App.
A. O. Christiansen	Superintendent	Brown, A.B.; Harvard, A.M.	1921
High School			
Frederick Chapin	Principal	Dartmouth, A.B.	1898
Hubert Podwerly	History	Holy Cross, A.B.; Columbia	1921
Kenneth M. Cark	Mathematics	University of N. H., B.S.	1927
Winnifred Brennan	Commercial	Burdett	1918
Jane C. Good	Commercial	Burdett	1925
Elizabeth Laughner	English and French	Worcester Normal, B.S.	1927
Margaret Banigan	English	Brown, A.B.	1926

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Mary Gildemeister	Science	Mass. Agr. College, B.S.	1927
Madeline E. Coughlin	Latin	University of Me., A.B.	1927
Ellen V. Pierson	French	University of Me., A.B.	1927

Junior High School

Mrs. Sarah Powderly	English	Bridgewater	1914
Hannah F. Hoye	English and Music	Quincy Training School	1888
Martha Parshley	Arithmetic and Drawing	Fitchburg	1926
Anna Good	History and Geography	Bridgewater	1924
Teresa Carlin	Grade 7	Lowell	1926
Mrs. Ethel Chatfield	Grade 7	Farmington Normal	1927

Prescott School

Mrs. Marie Cormey	Principal Grade 6	Framingham Normal	1925
Mrs. Elizabeth Tierney	Grade 6	Bridgewater Normal	1926
Margaret Donavan	Grade 5	Bridgewater Normal	1924
Grace Murphy	Grade 5	Bridgewater Normal	1926
Mary O'Brien	Grade 4	Bridgewater Normal	1921
Rachael McMahon	Grade 4	Bridgewater Normal	1916
Ellen McLaughlin	Grade 3	Bridgewater Normal	1901
Mary Mullen	Grades 3-2	Simmons	1923
Fannie Campbell	Grade 2	Notre Dame Academy	1898
Kittie Molloy	Grade 1	Boston University Ex.	1888
Elizabeth Griffin	Grade 1	Bridgewater Normal	1925

Belcher School

Mrs. Walter Burbank	Principal Grade 6	Worcester	1926
Dorothy Carney	Grade 5	Bridgewater Normal	1923
Bernice Francis	Grade 4	Hyannis	1927
Pauline Goss	Grade 3	Castine, Me.	1926
Clara Tolman	Grade 2	Bridgewater	1888
Grace Gilgan	Grade 1	Bridgewater	1917

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Mrs. Florence Caples	Principal	Bridgewater	1922
	Grades 1-2		
Mrs. Esther Grant	Grades 3-4	Lowell	1927

Tower Hill School

Mrs. Elizabeth Lyons	Principal	Quincy Training School	1920
	Grades 1-2-3		
Mrs. Alice Belcher	Grades 4-5-6	Quincy Training School	1923

West Corner School

Katherine J. Riley	Grades 1-3	Harvard Summer School	1926
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Drawing Supervisor

Eileen V. Dowd	All Grades	A.S.N.M. Harvard & B. U. Ex.	
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Music Supervisor

Rose Hand	All Grades	Emanuel, A.B.	1926
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School Nurse

Mrs. Jessica Mitchell	All Grades	R.N.	1927
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School Physician

George V. Higgins, M.D.

Resignations

High School — Marion Hayes, Catherine Black, Evelyn Goodwin, Maragita Glancy, Marshall Leavitt

Grade Schools — Helen Kelliher, Mrs. Ellen McGerigle, Nettie Day

Drawing Supervisor — Dorothy Gribbin

School Nurse — Mrs. Anne Kiley

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Report of the Board of Health

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The following cases of contagious disease were reported to this Board during the year:

Whooping Cough	25
Scarlet Fever	32
Measles	2
German Measles	1
Mumps	4
Chicken Pox	1
Diphtheria	2
Infantile Paralysis	2
Tuberculosis (Pulmonary)	2
With one death	
Tuberculosis (Other Forms)	2
With one death	
Lobar Pneumonia (With Death)	1

Property owners on Mill Street have appeared before the Board of Health on a number of occasions relative to the condition of the dump on that street

Upon investigation this Board have found conditions that are a menace to the health of the community. While this department has tried to remedy the situation by burning what could be disposed of in that way, there is still much objectionable matter being dumped there.

The Board of Health recommend that a committee be

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appointed to look into the advisability of purchasing a piece of land suitable for a Town Dump.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD F. FORREST,
WALTER F. STEPHENS,
HAROLD W. MACAULEY,

Board of Health

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REPORT OF THE Inspector of Milk

To the Board of Health,
Gentlemen:

I am giving you below my report for the year ending
December 31, 1927.

Number of Milk licences issued	62
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Number of Oleomargarin licenses issued	7
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A total of \$34.50 was received from license fees, divided
as follows:

Milk licenses	\$31.00
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Oleomargarin licenses	3.50
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The premises of all producers and dealers were inspected before the issuance of licenses, and with few exceptions were found to conform to the laws governing the production of milk. In several cases licenses were withheld until conditions were made satisfactory.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM MAHADY,

Inspector of Milk

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REPORT OF THE Inspector of Animals

During the year ending December 31, 1927, the following animals were inspected:

Cattle	240
Swine	474
Goats	1

Forty-seven stables housing these animals were inspected, improvements being recommended in eighteen.

Five rabid dog cases were also handled by this department.

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST F. GROUT,
Inspector of Animals

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REPORT OF THE Inspector of Slaughtering

To the Board of Selectmen, Randolph:

During the year ending December 31, 1927, the carcasses of the following animals were examined:

Swine	168
Goats	4
Cows	2
Calves	4

Besides these there were six or eight which could not be stamped because of spotted liver, but carcasses were all right. Three could not be stamped on account of hog cholera.

December was the heaviest month, there being sixty-seven examined.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED O. EVANS,

Inspector of Slaughtering

Report of the Tree Warden

To the Citizens of the Town of Randolph,

Greetings:

During the past year I have planted fifteen new shade trees and removed three.

Trimming was done on many of the outlying streets, but much more ought to be done. The amount of money raised for this work is not sufficient to take care of the trees as they should be. The amount raised for the Tree Warden will not take care of your Main Street alone.

A number of trees will have to be removed this year, also a lot of trimming on some of the larger trees.

I trust the Town will raise more money for this work the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. MOORE,
Tree Warden

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REPORT OF THE
Local Moth Superintendent

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,

Gentlemen:

The Gypsy Moth condition in the town shows a slight gain over last year. The work of creosoting had to be done out of the 1928 appropriation, as the amount raised last year was not enough to cover this work, as has been done in former years. I would suggest that the sum raised for private work be added to the appropriation, so that the work can be cleaned up each year.

The section extending from High Street (from the Quincy line), to the Canton line, is badly infested, and if not watched closely this year, will extend to other parts.

The engine and pump of the machine will need overhauling this spring.

I would recommend that the town raise the whole assessment, as asked for by the State Forester.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. MOORE,
Moth Superintendent

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REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT

RECEIPTS

General Revenue

TAXES

Current Year:

Poll	\$ 1,146.00	
Personal	20,547.49	
Real Estate	66,426.18	
	<hr/>	\$88,119.67

Previous Years:

Poll	\$ 1,905.00	
Personal	5,293.85	
Real Estate	52,893.83	
	<hr/>	60,092.68

Special Assessments:

Moth Tax (previous years)	\$26.00	
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LICENSES

Liquor	\$ 4.70	
Junk	50.00	
Pedlars'	21.00	
Pool, Billiards and Bowling	9.00	
Milk	31.00	
Gas and Oil	13.00	
All other	33.50	
	<hr/>	162.20

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FINES

Court Fines	\$352.50	
	<hr/>	352.50

GRANTS AND GIFTS

From County:		
Dog Licenses	\$1,185.94	
Canton Street Construction	2,018.97	
	<hr/>	3,204.91
From State:		
Tuition of State Wards	\$ 1,999.06	
Corporation, Income, St. Ry. and		
Bank Taxes	32,663.03	
Canton Street Construction	2,018.96	
	<hr/>	36,681.05

DEPARTMENTAL

Town Infirmary:		
Board	\$393.00	
Sale of Produce	251.37	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	56.63	
Forestry	2.00	
Health	148.10	
Sale of old materials	2.57	
Fire	4.80	
Schools Sale of Tickets	34.20	
Unclassified	54.65	
	<hr/>	947.32

CHARITY

From State	\$2,075.94	
Reimbursements from individuals	62.00	
	<hr/>	2,137.94

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SCHOOLS

From City of Boston—Tuition of City Children	\$205.65	
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SALE OF WATER

Meter Rates, etc.	\$18,396.35	
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*See Water Commissioners' Report for itemized account

INTEREST

Interest on Taxes	\$3,177.25	
Interest on Deposits	157.25	
Interest on Special Funds	246.03	
	<hr/>	3,580.53

REFUNDS

School Department	\$ 65.05	
Auditor's Salary (1926)	10.00	
Highway Department (snow)	2.52	
Interest	1.00	
Water Department (Service Const.)	38.40	
Water Department (Joint)	10.00	
Infirmery	31.34	
Police Salary	.86	
Stetson High School Fund	700.00	
	<hr/>	859.17

TAILINGS

Late Fred Thayer	\$11.72	
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CASH DISCREPANCY

W. H. Lyons, Collector:

Due on previous years' taxes	\$535.69	
	<hr/>	535.69

SALE OF WATER BONDS

	\$3,733.41	
	<hr/>	3,733.41

Municipal Indebtedness:

Loans in anticipation of revenue	\$140,000.00	
	<hr/>	140,000.00

Balance on hand January 1, 1927:

General	\$3,212.98	
Special	3,400.46	
	<hr/>	6,613.44

Grand Total		<hr/>	\$365,660.23
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PAYMENTS

General Government

	Expenditures	Appropriations
Moderator's Salary	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
Selectmen		\$1,450.00
Balance on hand January 1, 1927		34.70
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Salaries	\$650.00	
Clerks	63.50	
Labor	5.00	

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Dog Officer	100.00	
Stationery	10.88	
Carfares	244.90	
Telephone	3.25	
All others	75.90	
Balance on hand 1928	34.70	
To Revenue	296.57	
	<hr/>	\$1,484.70
Auditors		\$150.00
Salaries	\$150.00	
Expenses	17.25	
Overdraft		17.25
	<hr/>	\$167.25
Accountant		\$450.00
Transfer from High School Const. Fund		250.00
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Salaries	\$500.00	
Stationery and Postage	29.60	
Printing	3.75	
Telephone	4.75	
Adding Machine	100.00	
All other	43.60	
To Revenue	18.30	
	<hr/>	\$700.00
Treasurer		\$1,100.00
Salaries	\$900.00	
Stationery and Postage	94.73	
Printing and Advertising	3.00	

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Certifying Notes	33.00	
All other	33.15	
To cover 1926 overdraft	61.50	
To Revenue	9.12	
	<hr/>	\$1,100.00

Tax Collector		\$1,925.00
Balance Salaries January 1, 1927		2,057.03
Transfer from Reserve Fund		175.00
Transfer from High School Const. Fund		100.00
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Salaries	\$2,025.00	
Stationery and Postage	181.05	
Printing	69.50	
Bond	123.00	
Balance Salaries to 1928	1,832.03	
To Revenue	26.45	
	<hr/>	\$4,257.03

Assessors		\$1,950.00
Printing Poll Tax List		350.00
Vault		200.00
Maps and Plans		1,000.00
Balance January 1, 1927		993.50
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Salaries	\$1,500.00	
Vault	200.00	
Maps and Plans	1,511.61	
Printing Poll Tax List	25.66	
Clerks	69.10	
Stationery and Postage	132.65	
Printing and Advertising	86.29	

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Carfares	78.75	
Telephone	5.30	
All other	77.28	
Balance (Maps and Plans) to 1928	488.39	
To Revenue	324.97	
Overdraft 1926	36.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,493.50
Law Department		\$600.00
Transferred to Soldiers' Relief	\$ 65.00	
To Police Expenses	200.00	
Special Attorneys	158.60	
Witness Fees	4.00	
To Revenue	172.40	
	<hr/>	\$600.00
Town Clerk		\$300.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund		50.00
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Salaries	\$300.00	
Stationery and Postage	5.00	
Printing and Advertising	35.85	
All other	4.50	
To Revenue	4.65	
	<hr/>	\$350.00
Election and Registration		\$625.00
Salaries	\$150.00	
Election Officers	195.00	
Clerks	73.00	
Stationery and Postage	15.20	
Printing and Advertising	52.00	

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Meals	46.25	
All other	18.00	
To Revenue	75.55	
	<hr/>	\$625.00

Town Office		\$900.00
Balance on hand January 1, 1927		14.27
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Janitor	\$302.40	
Fuel	219.71	
Light	113.36	
Telephone	131.53	
All other	52.00	
Transferred to State Aid	50.00	
To Revenue	45.27	
	<hr/>	\$914.27

Protection of Persons and Property

Police Department		\$3,346.00
Transferred from Law Expense		200.00
Refund		.86
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Salaries	\$2,000.06	
Special Police	189.15	
Auto	485.00	
Gasoline and Oil	159.70	
Street Protection	67.50	
Equipment	16.66	
Repairs	192.80	
Fuel	64.50	
Light	6.40	

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Repair to Lock-Up	1.15	
Janitor	100.66	
Printing	10.00	
Telephone	82.87	
Gas for Accumulator	13.00	
All other	138.35	
To Revenue	19.06	
	<hr/>	\$3,546.86

Fire Department	\$4,360.00
Transferred from High School Const. Fund	186.00
Balance from 1926	117.42
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Engineers' Salaries	\$ 150.00
Fire Truck Driver	1,800.00
Spare Truck Driver	260.00
Salaries of Men	380.00
Hour Service	535.80
Labor	75.70
Auto Repairs	4.65
Gasoline and Oil	84.55
All other	19.40
Repair to Apparatus	37.70
New Hose	196.00
Repairs to Alarm Service	102.00
Wire Repairing	34.50
All other	50.93
Fuel	216.25
Lighting	86.80
Repairs to Building	56.89
All other	37.25

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Telephone	58.32	
Other General Expenses	33.55	
Balance (New Const.) to 1928	350.00	
To Revenue	93.13	
	<hr/>	\$4,663.42

Forest Fires		\$850.00
Salaries and Wages	\$465.50	
Repairs to Apparatus	98.50	

Hose	36.01	
Auto Supplies	53.15	
All other	108.72	
To Revenue	88.12	
	<hr/>	\$850.00

Sealer of Weights and Measures		\$175.00
Salaries	\$150.00	
Auto Expenses	25.00	
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Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths		\$1,000.00
Overdraft 1926		14.15
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Labor	\$750.20	
Stationery, Printing and Postage	13.50	
Insecticides	198.24	
Tools and Supplies	13.16	
All other	33.96	
To Revenue	5.09	
	<hr/>	\$1,014.15

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Tree Warden		\$700.00
Salary	\$250.00	
Labor	406.90	
Tools	10.77	
All other	3.56	
To Revenue	28.77	
	<hr/>	\$700.00

Health Department		\$4,635.00
Overdraft Inspector of Animals		50.00
Overdraft Inspector of Slaughtering		50.00
Transferred from High School Const. Fund		351.00
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Salaries	\$60.00
Printing and Advertising	13.10
All other	7.54
Board and Treatment	1,193.40
District Nurse	1,000.00
Medicine	48.00
Contagious Hospital	97.00
Tuberculosis Hospital	1,111.34
Other Hospitals	661.70
Return of Births	47.50
Return of Deaths	41.25
Recording Deaths, Births and Marriages	286.25
Burial of Animals	28.00
Clean-Up Days	172.40
All other	12.60
Inspector of Animals	100.00
Inspector of Milk	50.00

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Inspector of Slaughtering	150.00	
To Revenue	5.92	
	<hr/>	\$5,086.00
Highways		\$10,100.00
Salary	\$1,500.00	
Labor	5,218.54	
Stone, Gravel, etc.	2,641.23	
Equipment and Repairs	263.64	
Gasoline and Oil	272.46	
All other	196.04	
To Revenue	8.09	
	<hr/>	\$10,100.00
Tractor	\$2,100.00	\$2,100.00
South Street		\$1,000.00
Labor	\$629.30	
Tarvia	271.01	
Gasoline and Oil	10.32	
Stone, Sand, etc.	89.12	
All other	.25	
	<hr/>	\$1,000.00
Center Street		\$1,000.00
Labor	\$602.41	
Sand, Stone, etc.	362.36	
Gasoline and Oil	35.23	
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Grove Street		\$500.00
Labor	\$354.73	

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Tarvia	140.27	
Tools	5.00	
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Mill Street		\$2,000.00
Labor	\$1,081.39	
Sand, Stone, etc.	805.96	
Gasoline and Oil	59.20	
Tools	20.00	
Repairs to Equipment	22.25	
All other	11.20	
	<hr/>	\$2,000.00
Mt. Pleasant Square		\$1,000.00
Labor	\$529.70	
Sand, Stone, etc.	378.45	
Gasoline and Oil	18.19	
Repairs	21.66	
Tools	10.00	
Sewer Pipe	42.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,000.00
Highland Avenue		\$1,000.00
Labor	\$560.67	
Sand, Stone, etc.	389.57	
Gasoline and Oil	39.76	
Tools	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,000.00
Lafayette Street		\$1,000.00
Labor	\$529.40	
Sand, Stone and Tarvia	410.57	

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All other	50.03	
Tools	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,000.00

Chestnut Street		\$1,000.00
Labor	\$531.25	
Sand, Stone, etc.	385.30	
Repairs to Road Roller	3.55	
Tools	10.00	
Gasoline and Oil	69.74	
To Revenue	.16	
	<hr/>	\$1,000.00

Canton Street		\$1,000.00
From State		2,018.96
From County		2,018.97
Balance from 1926		565.40

Construction	\$5,406.20	
Castings, etc.	105.98	
All other	9.50	
Balance to 1928	81.65	
	<hr/>	\$5,603.33

Snow Removal		\$3,600.00
Refund		2.52

Labor	\$1,147.25	
Teams	690.10	
Rental of Tractor	522.00	
Gasoline and Oil	184.42	
Repairs to Tractor	300.35	

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Storage for Tractor	60.00	
Horse Plows	38.45	
Canvas for Tractor	16.00	
Repairs to State Plows	182.71	
State Plows, Storage	46.50	
State Plows, Gas and Oil	242.72	
To Revenue	102.94	
All other	69.08	
	<hr/>	\$3,602.52
Street Lights	\$6,185.00	\$6,185.00
Town Infirmary		\$4,000.00
Transfer from High School Const. Fund		500.00
Refund		31.34
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Superintendent's Salary	\$1,000.00	
Labor	319.86	
Groceries and Provisions	1,483.10	
Dry Goods and Clothing	19.53	
Repairs to Building	15.30	
Fuel and Light	1,006.39	
Live Stock Feed	327.31	
Seed and Fertilizer	86.40	
Repairs to Equipment	69.56	
All other	199.00	
To Revenue	4.89	
	<hr/>	\$4,531.34
Outside Relief		\$3,250.00
Balance from 1926		75.00
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TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Salaries	\$150.00	
Traveling Expenses	6.00	
Groceries and Provisions	80.63	
Coal and Wood	93.75	
Board and Care	23.00	
Medicine and Medical Attendance	294.00	
State Institutions	174.29	
Cash Aid	1,852.00	
All other	206.10	
Relief by Cities	262.84	
Relief by Towns	169.75	
To Revenue	12.64	
	<hr/>	\$3,325.00

State Aid	\$800.00
Transferred from Town Office Expense	50.00
Military Aid	200.00
Soldiers' Relief	500.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund	275.00
Transferred from High School Const. Fund	335.00
Transferred from Law Expense	65.00

State Aid	\$840.00	
Military Aid	10.00	
Fuel	46.25	
Medicines	44.22	
Cash Aid	1,065.50	
To Revenue	219.03	
	<hr/>	\$2,225.00

Schools

General Appropriations	\$75,850.00
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Stetson High School Const. (Balance)	2,448.97
North Randolph School (Balance)	109.25
From Stetson High School Fund	700.00
Refund	65.05
Overdraft	.01

North Randolph School (Balance)	\$109.25	
Transferred to Interest and Discount	726.97	
Town Accountant's Salary	250.00	
Tax Collector Expense	100.00	
Fire Department Hour Service	186.00	
Health Expenses	351.00	
Infirmary	500.00	
Soldiers' Relief	335.00	
Expenditures	76,382.32	
To Revenue	232.74	
		<u>\$79,173.28</u>

*See School Committee's Report for Itemized Account

Tower Hill School		\$2,300.00
Construction	\$ 646.08	
Balance to 1928	1,653.92	
		<u>\$2,300.00</u>

Turner Library		\$450.00
Repairs	\$433.10	
To Revenue	16.90	
		<u>\$450.00</u>

Reserve Fund		\$500.00
To Soldiers' Relief	\$275.00	
Town Clerk's Expense	50.00	

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Tax Collector's Expense	\$175.00	
	<hr/>	\$500.00
Memorial Day—G. A. R.	\$225.00	\$225.00
Care of Town Clock	\$20.00	\$20.00
Printing and Distributing Town Reports	\$776.40	\$776.40
Insurance	\$2,498.76	
To Revenue	1.24	
	<hr/>	\$2,500.00
Repairs to Town Clock	\$300.00	\$300.00

Water Department

Water Department	\$9,875.00
Balance 1926	22.46
Refund	38.40

Water Maintenance:

Commissioners' Salaries	\$375.00
Clerks	725.75
Janitor	25.00
Stationery and Postage	79.79
Printing and Stationery	58.50
Telephone	81.14
All other	331.40
Labor	2,775.80
Teams	46.63
Pipe and Fittings	211.18
Meters and Fittings	1,661.07
Freight and Express	21.72

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Hydrants	56.66	
Gasoline and Oil	177.93	
All other	246.81	
To Revenue	.62	
Service Connections:		
Labor	1,998.20	
Pipe and Fittings	978.57	
All other	83.84	
To Revenue	.25	
	<hr/>	\$9,935.86
Joint Account		\$4,200.00
Refund		10.00
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Labor	\$1,420.45	
Coal	872.39	
Screens	39.89	
Insurance	164.13	
Chlorine Gas	84.00	
Pump Parts	257.21	
Pipe and Fittings	187.79	
Oil and Grease	86.39	
Grates	13.56	
Telephone	50.05	
Freight and Express	56.39	
Fireclay	11.03	
Traveling Expenses	28.25	
Town of Holbrook	842.58	
All other	95.46	
To Revenue	.43	
	<hr/>	\$4,210.00

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Braintree and Holbrook Water Rates		\$846.38
Expenditures	\$846.38	
	<hr/>	\$846.38

Patrolling Great Pond		\$433.33
To Revenue	\$433.33	
	<hr/>	\$433.33

Center from Maine—Balance		\$331.44
Pipe and Fittings	\$114.38	
Labor	46.80	
Use of Compressor	40.25	
Freight and Express	11.15	
All other	19.00	
To Revenue	99.86	
	<hr/>	\$331.44

Chestnut Street		\$400.00
Balance 1926		273.43
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Labor	\$355.70	
Pipe and Fittings	249.94	
Freight and Express	18.83	
All other	48.96	
	<hr/>	\$673.43

Highland Avenue—Balance 1926		\$247.95
Labor	\$52.80	
Pipe and Fittings	128.05	
Freight and Express	13.61	
All other	4.00	

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To Revenue	43.49	
		\$247.95

West and Fowler		\$1,800.00
Labor	\$1,011.80	
Pipe and Fittings	653.13	
Freight and Express	52.96	
All other	81.56	
To Revenue	.55	
		\$1,800.00

Water Gate—Balance 1926		\$400.00
Labor	\$ 6.00	
Balance to 1928	394.00	
		\$400.00

	Agency	
County Tax	\$6,705.08	
1926	6,705.08	
Interest	134.00	
		\$13,544.16
State Tax	8,040.00	
Auditing Municipal Accounts Tax	3,780.88	
State Highway Tax	742.00	
		\$26,107.04

	Interest	
Anticipation of Revenue	\$4,229.73	
General:		
School Loans	2,932.00	
Highways	843.01	
Refunding	472.50	

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Fire Equipment	61.76	
Water	462.50	
	<hr/>	\$9,001.50
Anticipation of Revenue Notes		\$122,000.00
Maturity Notes:		
High School Equipment Loan	\$7,500.00	
Highway Loan	5,600.00	
Refunding Loan	1,000.00	
Fire Equipment Loan	1,300.00	
Water Loan	2,200.00	
North Randolph School Loan	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$18,600.00
Refund—Taxes	\$136.96	
Water Rates	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$146.96
Balance—Cash, December 31, 1927:		
General	\$1,126.02	
Special	3,555.17	
	<hr/>	\$4,681.19
		<hr/>
Total		\$365,660.23

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1927

ASSETS

Cash:	
General	\$1,126.02
Special	3,555.17
Uncollected Taxes:	
Levy of 1922	221.27
Levy of 1923	1,082.81
Levy of 1924	2,829.57
Levy of 1925	4,132.44
Levy of 1926	15,784.44
Levy of 1927	79,791.94
apt. Accts. Rec.:	
Town offices	118.50
Soldiers' Benefits	150.00
Water Rates:	
1926 and prior	246.88
1927	1,332.92
Revenue 1925	1,000.00
Overlay 1926	803.10
Overdrafts:	
Auditors' expenses	17.25
Inspector of Animals	50.00
Inspector of Slaughtering	50.00
Schools General Expense	.01
Water main extension	
Orchard Street	69.01
Total	

Total

\$112,361.33

Total

\$112,361.33

LIABILITIES

Temporary Loans:	
In anticipation of revenue	\$80,000.00
Dept. revenue	268.50
Water revenue	1,579.80
Overlay Reserved for Abatements.	
Levy of 1922	224.28
Levy of 1923	1,259.76
Levy of 1924	278.70
Levy of 1925	283.14
Levy of 1927	411.15
Premiums on Notes and Bonds	2.41
Soldiers' War Bonus and Welcome-Home Fund	
Overlay Surplus Reserve Fund	3,555.17
Tailings	584.47
Unexpended Balances and Deficiency	11.72
Selectmen's Salary	18,958.29
Tax Collector's Salary	34.70
Assessors' Maps and Plans	1,832.03
Fire Alarm (New)	488.39
Highway Construction, Canton Street	350.00
Tower Hill School	81.65
North Randolph School	1,653.92
Water, New Gate at Station	109.25
	394.00

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

ASSETS

LIABILITIES

Refunding Loan 1927	\$10,000.00	
Fire Equipment Loan	1,300.00	
Highway Loan:		
1920	3,000.00	
1923	1,300.00	
1924	2,500.00	
1925	700.00	
1926 (Roller)	2,800.00	
School Loan 1925	61,000.00	
High School Equipment Loan	4,000.00	
Water Loan 1924	2,400.00	
1925	2,000.00	
Total	\$91,000.00	
Trust Funds:		
Coddington School Fund	\$1,900.00	
Stetson High School Fund	20,699.90	
Turner Reference Fund	1,095.73	
Library Fund	40,317.57	
Soldiers' Monument Fund	238.29	
Total	\$64,251.49	
Net Funded or Fixed Debt	\$91,000.00	
Trust Funds, Cash and Securities	\$64,251.49	

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PUBLIC TRUST FUNDS

Coddington School Fund	\$ 1,900.00
*See Town Treasurer's Report	
Stetson High School Fund	20,699.00
Turner Reference Fund	1,095.73
Library Fund	40,317.57
Soldiers' Relief Fund	238.29

*See Town Treasurer's Report

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Revenue:

Outstanding January 1, 1927	\$ 62,000.00
Notes issued during year	140,000.00
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Maturities paid during year	\$122,000.00	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1927	80,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$202,000.00

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BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

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ANALYSIS OF DEBTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1927

1925 Overdrafts	\$1,000.00		
To be Raised and Appropriated		\$1,000.00	
1926 Overdrafts	8,520.64		
To be Raised and Appropriated		69.01	
Raised and Appropriated			\$8,331.57
Paid Out of 1927 Appropriation			1.56
To be Refunded			\$118.50
1926 Unpaid Bills	2,480.64		
Raised and Appropriated			2,480.64
Anticipation of Revenue Notes, Jan 1, 1926			
Borrowed in 1927	62,000.00		
Paid in 1927	140,000.00		
To be paid out of receipts and taxes			
Overdrafts Contracted Jan. 1 to April 15, 1927	117.25	80,000.00	
Overdrafts Contracted April 16 to Dec. 31, 1927	.01		
To be Raised and Appropriated		117.26	
CREDITS			
To Revenue (Unexpended balances,)			\$1,802.96
Balance Carried Forward	\$3,317.00		
Unpaid Bills on Hand Dec. 31, 1927	4,934.94		
To be Raised and Appropriated			\$1,802.96
Bonded Indebtedness to be paid out of Taxation			\$82,989.23
			91,000.00
Grand Total			\$173,989.23

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND PAYMENTS OF 1927

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

ACCOUNT	Appropriation	1926 Bills Payable, and Unpaid Bills	Transferred	Overdrafts	Credits for Outside Sources	Payments	Transferred	1926 Overdraft Paid out of '27 Appropriation	Unexpended Balance to 1928	To Revenue
Moderator	\$ 50.00					\$ 50.00		\$	34.70	\$296.57
Selectmen	1,484.70			\$ 17.25		1,153.43				18.30
Auditor	150.00					167.25				9.12
Accountant	450.00		\$250.00			681.70				26.45
Treasurer	1,100.00					1,090.88			1,832.03	324.97
Tax Collector	3,982.03		275.00			2,398.55			488.39	172.40
Assessors	4,493.50					3,686.64				4.65
Law	600.00					162.60	265.00			75.55
Town Clerk	300.00		336.25			631.60				45.27
Elec. and Regis.	625.00					549.45				19.06
Town Office	900.00					819.00	50.00			93.13
Police	3,346.00	\$ 14.27	200.00			3,527.80			350.00	88.12
Fire	4,483.88		186.00			4,226.75				
Forest Fires	850.00					761.88				
Scaler of Weights and Measures	175.00					175.00				
Gypsy Moths	1,000.00					994.91				5.09
Tree Warden	700.00					669.67		\$1.56		28.77
Health	4,635.00	214.20	1,771.00	100.00		6,428.03	286.25			5.92
Highways										
General	10,100.00	26.81				10,118.72				8.09
Canton Street	1,565.40	4,698.80			4,037.93	10,220.48			81.65	
Tractor	2,100.00					2,100.00				
South Street	1,000.00					1,000.00				

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND PAYMENTS OF 1927

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ACCOUNT	Appropriation	1926 Bills Payable, and Unpaid Bills	Transferred	Overdrafts	Credits for Outside Sources	Payments	Transferred	1926 Overdraft Paid out of '27 Appropriation	Unexpended Balance to 1928	To Revenue
Center Street	1,000.00					1,000.00				
Mt. Pleasant Sq.	1,000.00					1,000.00				
Chestnut Street	1,000.00					999.84				.16
Grove Street	500.00					500.00				
Mill Street	2,000.00	317.80				2,317.80				
Highland Ave.	1,000.00					1,000.00				
Lafayette Street	1,000.00	142.80				1,142.80				
Snow	3,600.00				2.52	3,499.58				102.94
Street Lights	6,185.00	495.97				6,680.97				
Infirmery	4,000.00	42.14	500.00		31.34	4,568.59				4.89
Outside Relief	3,325.00					3,312.36				12.64
Soldiers Benefits	1,500.00		725.00			2,005.97				219.03
Schools	75,969.25	5,839.48		.01	765.05	80,811.80	1,420.00*	109.25		232.74
Tower Hill										
School	2,300.00					646.08				
Turner Library	450.00					438.10			1,653.92	16.90
Memorial Day--										
G. A. R.	225.00					225.00				
Care Town Clock	20.00					20.00				
Repairs to										
Town Clock	300.00					300.00				
Printing and Dist.										
Town Reports	776.40					776.40				
Water:										
Salaries	375.00					375.00				

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Brot Forward		\$360,989.04
Balance, December 31, 1927:		
[*] General	\$1,126.02	
Special	3,555.17	
	<hr/>	4,681.23
Total		<hr/> \$365.660.23

¶ \$65 transferred to Soldiers' Relief; \$200 to Police Department.

§ Transferred to State Aid.

† Expended under Town Clerk's account.

* School Nurse and School Physician expended under Health Acct.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Report of Collector of Taxes

To the Citizens of the Town of Randolph:

Below you will find a report of the Tax Collector to January 1, 1928.

October 22, 1927 Tax Levy	\$169,075.85
December 20, 1927 Omitted List	449.86
December 31, 1927 Interest Collected	53.23
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	\$169,578.94

December 31, 1927:

By cash paid Town Treasurer	\$88,119.67
By abatements	1,614.10
By interest paid Town Treasurer	53.23
By uncollected taxes	79,791.94
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	\$169,578.94

Respectfully submitted,

ROGER T. PERKINS,
Tax Collector

Randolph, Jan. 18, 1928

To the Citizens of the Town of Randolph:

Knowing that most taxpayers read the Town Report, I wish to include the following in my report as Tax Collector for 1927.

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My only aim is to collect the tax levy faithfully and to the best of my ability, as my oath of office requires.

In trying to live up to my obligations I find a number of difficulties.

I must collect the taxes as assessed, and as committed to me by the Assessors, and I mention this fact so that any taxpayers having any question in regard to their taxes will confer with the Assessors, who alone can settle such questions.

Because of the fact that there are some taxpayers who, for some reason, have not paid their taxes, it will be necessary to issue demands and warrants in order that they may be collected. This method will mean extra cost to the taxpayer.

I want the taxpayers to know and realize that I am not only legally obligated to collect the 1927 levy within the year, but that I am also bound to do so under the conditions of my bond, and in meeting these obligations I hope the taxpayers will co-operate with me by paying their taxes promptly, thereby making it unnecessary for me to resort to legal process in enforcing the collection of taxes; such as the use of constables in the collection of poll and personal taxes and by sale in the case of real estate taxes.

My reason for making these statements is that I thoroughly believe that Randolph should take its place with the other towns of the Commonwealth who clean up their tax levy within the year, and that the taxpayers should assume their share of the responsibility.

Respectfully submitted,

ROGER T. PERKINS,
Tax Collector

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Randolph, February 10, 1928

To the Citizens of the Town of Randolph:

You will find below exact copies of the Auditors' findings on the Tax Collector's books.

Thanking you for your kindly thought of me as your Tax Collector, believe me, I am still your friend.

Yours sincerely,

WALTER H. LYONS,

1918 to 1926

Tax Collector

Levy 1922

Dr.

December 31, 1927:

Taxes uncollected	\$182.03	
Taxes uncollected to adjust State		
Auditors' figures	44.25	
By Interest collected	1.45	
	<hr/>	\$227.73

Cr.

December 31, 1927:

By taxes paid Town Treasurer	\$ 5.01	
By interest paid Treasurer	1.45	
By taxes uncollected	221.27	
	<hr/>	\$227.73

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 26, 1928

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector

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for the year 1922 and find the same correct as per statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,

Auditors

Norfolk ss.

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 30, 1928

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JOHN B. McNEILL,

Justice of the Peace

My commission expires Sept. 27, 1929

Levy 1923

Randolph, Mass., January 26, 1928

Dr.

December 31, 1927:

Taxes uncollected	\$1,471.40	
By taxes uncollected to adjust		
State Auditors' figures	28.23	
Interest collected	40.71	
	<hr/>	\$1,540.34

Cr.

December 31, 1927:

Taxes paid Town Treasurer	\$178.95
By abatements	237.87

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By interest paid Town Treasurer	40.71	
By taxes uncollected	1,082.81	
	<hr/>	\$1,540.34

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 26, 1928

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1923 and find the same correct as per statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,

Auditors

Norfolk ss.

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 30, 1928

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Justice of the Peace

My commission expires Sept. 27, 1929

Levy 1924

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 30, 1928

Dr.

December 31, 1927:

Taxes uncollected	\$4,520.37	
Interest collected	155.05	
	<hr/>	\$4,675.42

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December 31, 1927:

Taxes paid Treasurer	\$695.19	
By abatements	569.44	
By adjustment on account State		
Auditors' abatements not re-		
ported in year 1926	426.17	
By taxes paid Treasurer	155.05	
By taxes uncollected	2,829.57	
	<hr/>	\$4,675.42

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1924 and find the same correct as per statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors

Norfolk ss.

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 30, 1928

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Justice of the Peace

My commission expires Sept. 27, 1929

Levy 1925

Dr.

December 31, 1927:

Taxes uncollected	\$14,649.97
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By refunded abatements	5.36	
By interest collected	998.76	
	<hr/>	\$15,654.09

Cr.

December 31, 1927:

By taxes paid Treasurer	\$8,682.48	
By abatements reported to State Auditors year 1926 and ad- justment	1,008.41	
By abatements in year 1927	832.00	
By interest paid Treasurer	998.76	
By uncollected taxes	4,132.44	
	<hr/>	\$15,654.09

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 30, 1928

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1925 and find the same correct as per statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors

Norfolk ss.

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 31, 1928

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Justice of the Peace

My commission expires Sept. 27, 1929

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Norfolk ss.

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 31, 1928

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JOHN B. McNEILL,

Justice of the Peace

My commission expires Sept. 27, 1929

Levy 1926

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 31, 1928

Dr.

December 31, 1927:

By taxes uncollected	\$71,065.03	
By interest collected	1,930.13	
By refunded abatements per		
State Audit	118.40	
	<hr/>	\$73,113.56

Cr.

December 31, 1927:

By taxes paid Treasurer	\$50,529.05	
By estimated receipts per State		
Audit	2.00	
By abatements as per State		
Audit for year 1926	1,530.34	
By abatements in year 1927	3,337.60	
By interest paid Treasurer	1,930.13	
By taxes uncollected	15,784.44	
	<hr/>	\$73,113.56

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Randolph, Mass., Jan. 31, 1928

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1926 and find the same correct as per statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors

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Stetson School Fund

Randolph, Mass., February 1, 1928.

We, the undersigned, auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the investment of the Stetson School Fund and found the same as follows:

9 Am. Tel. & Tel.	\$9,000.00
2 Liberty Bonds	2,000.00
10 Matured Rand. Co-oper.	2,000.00
8 Shares Webster & Atlas	800.00
2 Shares Lawrence Gas	200.00
Deposit in Rand. Trust	6,102.88
Deposit in Rand. Savings	597.02
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	\$20,699.90

Also a deposit of \$1,095.73 to the credit of Turner Ref. Lib.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,

Auditors.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

REPORT OF THE Water Commissioners

To the citizens of the Town of Randolph:

The forty-second annual report of the Water Commissioners is herewith submitted for the year ending December 31, 1927.

The past year was one of activity in the Water Department. One new extension of 600 feet of 6-inch pipe was installed on West and Fowler Streets. Chestnut Street extension was completed this year. There were 97 new services connected. This was the largest number of new services in any one year since the early years of the Water Department. 111 new meters were installed; 150 old meters were removed, cleaned and repaired. There were 8 leaks in the large mains, also 100 leaks in service pipes. Five hydrants were replaced and equipped with gates.

There are 75 hydrants on the side streets that are not equipped with gates. When repairs are made on these hydrants the whole street line must be shut off. This causes inconvenience to the department and to the water users.

Pumping Station

Early in July the Engineer called the Commissioners of Randolph and Holbrook to the pumping station. The

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connecting rod of the main shaft on the Epping Carpenter Pump had become broken. The part was rushed to the Fore River Ship Building Co. by truck, where a new rod was made, and the pump was in commission again inside of forty hours from the time of the accident. While repairs were being made the auxiliary pump was placed in commission and did first class work. Repairs were made on roof of station and coal sheds. The Engineer's house was newly shingled and painted, and a new range installed. The building and machinery are in very good condition, and we invite the citizens of Randolph to call and inspect the station. Mr. Peterson will be very glad to show them around.

The expenditures of the Water Department will be found in the Town Accountant's report.

Outstanding water rates uncollected December 31, 1927, \$1,579.80.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD F. FORREST,
JOHN B. McNEILL,
FRED D. DRISCOLL,

Water Commissioners

Report of Water Collector

Levy 1926 and prior	\$2,847.42	
Additional Warrants	70.60	
	<hr/>	\$2,918.02

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By water rates paid Treasurer	\$2,476.48	
By abatements	194.66	
Uncollected December 31, 1927	246.88	
	<hr/>	\$2,918.02

Randolph, Feb. 1, 1928

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Water Collector and find same correct as per above statement.

JAMES V. DONOVAN,
M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors

Norfolk, ss.

Feb. 1, 1928

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public

Water Levy 1927		\$17,418.55
By water rates paid Treasurer	\$15,919.87	
By abatements	165.76	
Uncollected December 31, 1928	1,332.92	
	<hr/>	\$17,418.55

Randolph, Feb. 1, 1928

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Collector of

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Water Rates and find the same correct as per above statement.

JAMES V. DONOVAN,
M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,

Auditors

Norfolk, ss.

Feb. 1, 1928

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public

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PUMPING RECORD

To the Water Commissioners of
Randolph and Holbrook:

The following is the record of pumping for the year
1927.

	Gallons Pumped	Average Daily	Lbs. Coal Burned	Daily Av. Lbs. Burned
January	14,004,293	451,626	41,300	1,400.
February	14,520,197	518,578	44,100	1,500.75p
March	16,314,124	535,939	47,900	1,500.45p
April	14,028,667	467,622	39,500	1,300.17p
May	13,710,076	442,265	40,000	1,200.91p
June	18,882,498	629,417	51,200	1,700.7 p
July	20,494,552	661,115	59,100	1,900.
August	18,290,296	590,042	50,400	1,600.
September	15,911,090	530,370	49,800	1,600.60p
October	14,252,977	459,774	48,800	1,600.
November	14,309,548	476,985	50,000	1,600.70p
December	14,352,619	462,987	48,000	1,500.50p
Totals	188,771,010	517,178	570,100	1,500.62p

Largest day's pumping ended July 14, 1927: 1,030,573
gallons, 13 hours.

Largest week's pumping ended July 18, 1927: 4,494,072
gallons pumped.

Respectfully submitted,

AUGUST J. PETERSON,

Engineer

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

The following regulations, until further notice, shall be considered a part of the contract with every person who uses water:

1. All applications for use of water must be made at the office of the Water Commissioners, and state fully the purposes for which it is intended to be used. Water will not be introduced to premises except on the written application of the owner thereof, or by a duly authorized agent. The property will in all cases be held responsible for the water rates.

2. All persons taking water must keep their water pipes and fixtures in good repair and protected from the frost **at their own expense**. They will be held liable for all damages resulting from their failure to do so. They shall prevent all unnecessary waste, and water shall not be left running to prevent freezing. The Water Commissioners or their agents may, from time to time, ascertain the quantity of water used, the manner of its use, and whether there is any unnecessary waste. They and their agents shall have free access to the premises supplied, to examine the apparatus, and if any fixtures are found not to be in good order, they shall direct them repaired, and if not repaired within two days the water shall be shut off and not let on again until such repairs are made, and the sum of two dollars paid for shutting of and turning on the water.

3. The occupant of any premises, when unnecessary waste of water occurs, shall be liable to a fine of two dol-

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lars for the first offence, and four dollars for the second offence during the same year, and shall be notified thereof in writing; and if such waste is not prevented and the aforesaid paid within two days from the time when the said notice is given, the water shall be shut off the premises, and shall not be again let on for the same occupant until the waste be stopped and the fine paid, together with an additional sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water, and in case of a third or subsequent offence the water shall be shut off, and shall not again be let on except by a vote of the Water Commissioners and the payment of such fine, not exceeding ten dollars, as the Water Commissioners may impose.

4. Any person supplied with water shall not allow another to take water from their fixtures without the written permission of the Water Commissioners. If any tenant having no fixtures, has any use of such fixtures, full rates will be charged for such use by each tenant.

5. All parties using water in stables, for horses or other animals, will be charged scheduled rates for the same, whether it be carried by hand or through hose.

6. All persons using water for building purposes are required to obtain a permit from the Water Commissioners before taking water from any faucet or fixture connected with the water works, and all water takers are warned not to let any party take water from their premises until they show a permit from the Water Commissioners. Any person furnishing water in violation of this section will be subject to a fine of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and if the same when levied is not paid within three days from the time when the notice

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thereof is given, the water will be shut off from the premises and will not be let on again until such fine is paid.

7. All fixtures and water closets and urinals must be of a kind and quality approved by the Water Commissioners, also a vacuum valve must be installed on all pressure range boilers connected with the system.

8. No person shall in any case be allowed to open any fire hydrants except by a written permit from the Water Commissioners; but the Engineers of the Fire Department shall in all cases have control of hydrants at fires and for practice.

9. The Commissioners reserve the right to restrict the use of hose or fountain, to shut off the water in all cases when it becomes necessary to make extensions or repairs, or for violations of any of the regulations, or whenever they deem it expedient.

10. The regular rates for the use of water shall be payable in advance on the first days of January and July of each year, except where water is supplied to manufacturers by special agreement. In all cases of non-payment of the water rates within ten days after same is due, as well as for any violations of these rules and regulations, the supply will be shut off, and payment of the amount due, and payment of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water.

11. The Water Commissioners reserve the right to change the water rates at any time, except in cases of dwelling houses and established special rates.

12. For business requiring large quantities of water,

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and all supplies not enumerated in the tariff of rates, special rates will be made.

13. Parties using water for manufacturing or domestic purposes can erect hydrants on their grounds or stand-pies in their building to be used only as a protection against fire without additional charge for water.

14. All applicants for the introduction of service pipes to premises are required to make written application therefor at the office of the Water Commissioners. And in no case will the main be tapped more than once for the same premises, unless the additional expense is borne by the owner.

Charged as follows:

The following water rates are established until further notice:

No connection made with the main for any purpose for less than	\$6.00
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Dwelling Houses

Occupied by one family, for the first faucet	6.00
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Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2.00
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Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet for all, each family	5.00
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One faucet for each family	6.00
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Occupied by one family, for the first faucet	6.00
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Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2.00
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Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet for all, each family	5.00
One faucet for each family	6.00
Occupied by one family	6.00
For first bathtub	5.00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4.00
Each additional bathtub	2.00
For first pan or self-acting water closet	5.00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4.00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet	2.00
In no case shall the charge for the use of water by a private family, exclusive of hose and stable, be more than	20.00
Where two faucets are used, one for hot and one for cold water, emptying into the same basin, only one charge shall be made for both.	
Laundry tub	3.00

Boarding Houses and Hotels

First faucet	\$10.00
Each additional faucet	3.00
First bathtub	10.00
Each additional bathtub	3.00

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First pan or self-acting water closet	10.00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet	3.00

Private Stables

First horse	\$5.00
Each additional horse	3.00
Each cow or ox	1.00

Livery, Express and Boarding Stables

For the first four horses	\$12.00
From five to twelve horses, each	2.00

The above prices to include water for washing carriages.

Offices, Stores, Markets, Barber Shops, Restaurants. When used for ordinary purposes, same as for dwelling houses.

Building purposes. Each cask of lime or cement	.05
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Hose

For sprinkling streets, washing windows and similar uses, 1/4-inch nozzle, to be used only on premises and street opposite, not exceeding two hours per day for six months in the year	5.00
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For any use not herein enumerated, special rates will be made.

Meter Rates Payable at Time of Reading.

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For not over 133 cubic feet average per day, per 100 cubic feet	.23
For over 133 cubic feet and not exceeding 266 cubic feet average per day, per 100 cubic feet	.19
For over 266 cubic feet average per day	.15
Provided that in no case where a meter is used shall the annual charge be less than \$7.00.	
Meters may be supplied by the Water Commission- ers, for which annual rental will be charged as follows:	
Size $\frac{5}{8}$ -inch	\$1.00 per year
Size $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch	\$1.00 per year

All needed repairs, damages by frost and heat excepted,
will be made at the expense of the town.

RICHARD F. FORREST,
JOHN B. McNEILL,
FRED D. DRISCOLL,
Water Commissioners

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Report of Town Treasurer

John B. McNeill, Town Treasurer, in account with the
Town of Randolph, year 1927.

Dr.

Balance on hand January 1, 1927	\$6,613.44	
Received during year (see Town Accountant's report)	359,046.79	
	<hr/>	\$365,660.23

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Paid sundry persons as per Warrants		360,979.04
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Balance		\$4,681.19
Special Fund	\$3,555.17	
On hand	1,126.02	
	<hr/>	\$4,681.19

Randolph, Feb. 1, 1928

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Town Treasurer, and have reconciled his Bank Balance and verified his Cash, and find same correct, as per balance at end of year 1927.

JAMES V. DONOVAN,
M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors

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John B. McNeill, Town Treasurer, in account with the Town of Randolph:

Water Loan Sinking Fund

Received for 4 N. Y., N. H. & H.

R. R. Bonds, less broker's commission	\$3,197.78
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Randolph Savings Bank:

Deposits	97.90
Interest	2.30

Randolph Trust Company:

Deposits	72.46
Interest	2.97

Uncut Bond Coupons 1926	280.00
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Bond Coupons, January, 1927	80.00
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Paid to Town Treasurer on vote of Town	\$3,733.41
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John B. McNeill, Town Treasurer, in account with the Town of Randolph:

Special Fund

Balance on hand January 1, 1927	\$3,400.46
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Interest on deposit, Randolph Trust Company	154.71
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Dec. 31, 1927 (Balance on deposit Randolph Trust Co.)	\$3,555.17
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Soldiers' Monument Fund

Balance on hand January 1, 1927	\$227.39
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Interest on deposit	10.90
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Dec. 31, 1927 (On deposit in Randolph Savings Bank)	\$238.29
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Randolph, Jan. 25, 1928

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the Sinking Fund, and found same to agree as per statement above made.

We have examined the Coddington Fund, amounting to nineteen hundred dollars (\$1,900) on deposit in the Randolph Savings Bank, also the Special Fund, amounting to thirty-five hundred and fifty-five dollars, seventeen cents, on deposit in the savings department of the Randolph Trust Company; also the Soldiers' Monument Fund, amounting to two hundred and thirty-eight dollars, twenty-nine cents, on deposit in the Randolph Savings Bank, and find the same to correspond with the accounts of the Town Treasurer.

JAMES V. DONOVAN,
M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors

Norfolk, ss.

Jan. 25, 1928

Sworn and subscribed to before me,

JOSEPH BELCHER,
Justice of the Peace

REPORT OF THE Sealer of Weights and Measures

During the year 1927 I have sealed:

Fees collected and turned over to Town Treasurer	\$53.32
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Equipment purchased	14.00	
Expenses	11.00	
Salary of Sealer	150.00	
	<hr/>	\$175.00

Appropriation	\$175.00
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Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM L. HURLEY,

Sealer of Weights and Measures

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Report of Forest Warden

Recommendations for 1928:

\$850 for hour service and expenses

Truck is in fair condition, but I do not know whether it will hold out for another season or not.

I intend to have mud guards and running boards which were purchased last year attached to body, and paint truck, as it is starting to get shabby looking.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY DOLAN,
Forest Warden

Report of the Highway Surveyor

To the citizens of Randolph:

I herewith present my report for 1927. We commenced on the usual spring repairs which are necessary each year in May, and accomplished results.

One unusual work was necessary on washouts, costing \$2,000, aside of \$140 a year ago.

A new truck was purchased out of our appropriation, which paid for itself during the year, and which proved a good investment. A new heater was purchased for tarvia work out of the regular appropriation. Additional highway work was performed on Canton Street, through the appropriations of County, State and Town.

The equipment of the Highway Department at the present time is as good as ever in the history of the town.

During the year we have lived within our appropriation.

I wish to thank the citizens for the co-operation they have given and the assistance they have rendered when called upon.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES LYNCH,
Highway Surveyor

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Report of Police Department

Randolph, Jan. 1, 1928

To the Board of Selectmen,

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit report of the work done by the Police Department of the Town of Randolph for the year ending December 31, 1927.

Calls answered and investigations made	1,240
*Summons served	116
Cases settled out of court	169
*Arrests	198
Arraignments in court	191
Bound over to the Grand Jury	6
Found guilty in District Court	170
Appealed to Superior Court	3
†Found guilty in Superior Court	15
Pending in Superior Court	1
Acquitted	13
Placed on file	39
Placed on probation	41
Fined	96
Committed to Concord Reformatory	2
Committed to House of Correction	6
Committed to Sherborn	1

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Stolen property recovered	\$8,320.50
Net returns paid to Town Treasurer from fines over and above expenses of prosecution	\$352.50

Respectfully submitted,

PATRICK T. McDONNELL,

Acting Chief of Police

*Some arrests and summonses were served for out of town police.

†Includes six cases bound over to the Grand Jury, all of which were convicted in Superior Court.

Report of the Selectmen and Overseers of Public Welfare

To the Citizens of the Town of Randolph:

In some respects the year 1927 has been experimental. By the adoption of the Town Accountant Act and the inauguration of a new system of town accounting, a revolution has been worked in the method of handling town finances. The system, while relieving the Selectmen of much of their work of a purely clerical and bookkeeping nature, calls for the appointment of a new official, whose work is more onerous than the general public appreciates.

An appropriation much larger than that recommended a year ago is needed to recompense properly the holder of the position, whoever he may be, for the great amount of time and labor the position requires.

While economy should ever be the watchword of the public official, appropriations may easily be figured so closely as to seriously handicap the departments in the proper performance of their work. It should not be necessary, as was the case this year, to call a special town meeting to transfer unexpended balances in order that departments may meet legitimate obligations.

The using of the surplus in a previous year placed the town in an extremely critical condition during the past year, and only through a combination of good fortune

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and the strictest economy were some of the departments able to function.

The Town was unfortunate during the year in losing two faithful servants through death. Mr. M. M. Sullivan, master of the almshouse for over twenty years, had always administered the affairs of that institution with economy and good judgment. To fill the vacancy caused by his death your Board appointed his widow, Mrs. Mary E. Sullivan, who had acted as matron during the entire period of her husband's service. John J. Condon, Chief of the Board of Fire Engineers, for many years an engineer of that department and a special police officer, universally popular and esteemed for his many likable qualities, passed away under especially sad circumstances. Your Board wishes to add its tribute to the one already expressed by practically the whole community.

During the year a constructive step was taken in the placing of the police force under permanent tenure. The benefits of this change cannot be fully realized without the closest co-operation between elected officials and the police force.

In obedience to a unanimous vote of the Town, the Town was divided into voting precincts by the Selectmen and the fast-growing north section of the town was set off into a separate precinct.

In order to enable this section of the town to get the full benefit of this change and to carry out the spirit of the original vote, the act should now be accepted providing for precinct voting at Town Elections. This matter could not be considered under the law until the town had

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been divided into precincts. To be consistent the Annual Town Meeting should accept the latter act.

Many complaints have been received during the year over drainage problems in various sections of the town. While in some instances these are cases for private rather than public action, and the Selectmen have no jurisdiction, the problem has grown to such proportions the town should take some action to relieve conditions which in time may develop into a nuisance.

Randolph has much to recommend it as a place to live. Statistics show that in proportion to population Randolph, during the last year, has the largest percentage of new home construction of any town in suburban Boston. This popularity will increase as industrial conditions improve and building operations become stabilized. To bury animosity, to subordinate personal grievances should be the aim of every official and private citizen, to the end that we may build a better, busier and more attractive Randolph.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD F. FORREST,
WALTER F. STEPHENS,
HAROLD W. MACAULEY,

Selectmen and Overseers of Public Welfare

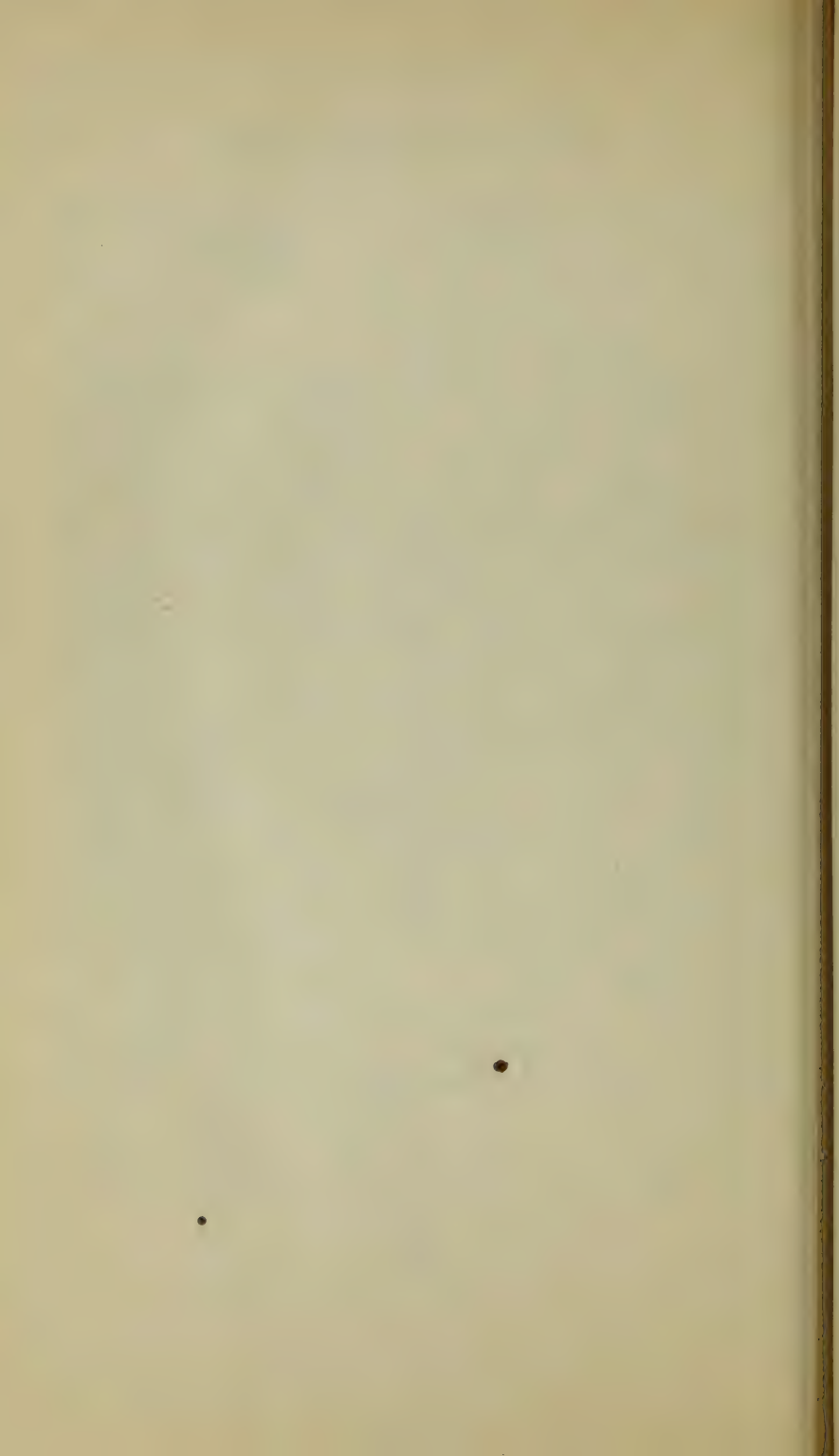
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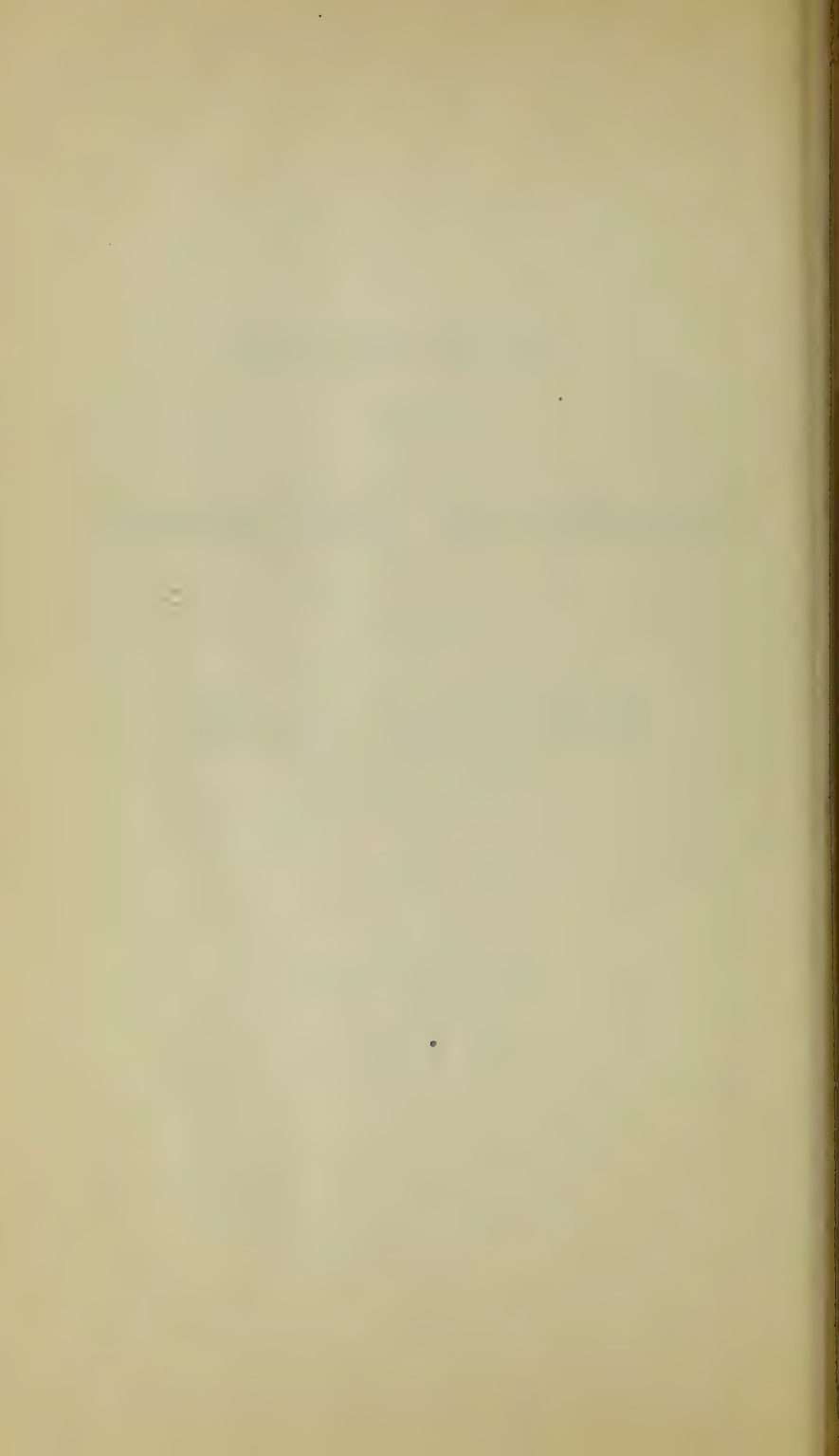
Abrams, Samuel, North St.	Shoeworker
Allen, Charles E., No. Main St.	Carpenter
Baker, Arthur C., Roel St.	Clerk
Baker, Ernest R., Roel St.	Shoeworker
Barry, William T., West St.	Shoeworker
Beers, Edgar F., Union St.,	Salesman
Boardman, Willard, No. Main St.	Shoeworker
Bustard, Carl, Cross St.	Clerk
Callahan, Michael, Emiline St.	Carpenter
Clark, John E.	Shoeworker
Condon, Frank M., Union St.	Shoeworker
Cordingly, Percy	Wood Dealer
Crockett, Percy, North St.	Contractor
Crothers, Leon H., Jr., Roel St.	Clerk
Cullity, Daniel M., No. Main St.	Clerk
Cushman, Lewis W., No. Main St.	Retired
Derocher, Edmund, Howard St.	Shoeworker
Diauto, Michael J., Warren St.	Bookkeeper
Driscoll, Frederick, Bartlett Rd.	Plumber
Duffy, James P., Orchard St.	Real Estate
Fahey, Edward F., Silver St.	Insurance
Fardy, James, North St.	Retired
Foley, James E., Cottage St.	Retired
Flynn, Patrick J., So. Main St.	Shoeworker
Goeres, Thomas R., No. Main St.	Shoeworker
Gove, Clarence U., No. Main St.	Laborer
Harris, Joseph B., Fairmount St.	Salesman

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Heney, Charles L., South St.	Salesman
Hill, Charles D., No. Main St.	Real Estate Dealer
Hurley, James H., No. Main St.	Real Estate Dealer
Jones, Fred B., Centre St.	Musician
Kiernan, Thomas F., North St.	Shoeworker
Leavitt, William H., Main St.	Accountant
Linnehan, John E., Depot St.	Shoeworker
Lynch, James, North St.	Salesman
Lyons, C. Fred, Wales Ave.	Retired
Lyons, Daniel P., Cross St.	Salesman
Mahoney, John J., Warren St.	Bookkeeper
Marcille, John H., Centre St.	Shoeworker
McMahon, Edward H., South St.	Retired
McMahon, Joseph J., South St.	Retired
Merrill, Carl B., No. Main St.	Salesman
Morgan, Henry V., Warren St.	Accountant
Mullins, Timothy R., School St.	Retired
O'Brien, Thomas S., South St.	Shoeworker
O'Leary, Timothy M., Plain St.	Shoeworker
Powderly, Charles T., No. Main St.	Shoeworker
Reynolds, O. E., No. Main St.	Merchant
Sawyer, George F., Liberty St.	Shoeworker
Stetson, Thomas L., North St.	Retired
Sullivan, George A., Maple St.	Shoeworker
Sullivan, M. F., South St.	Shoeworker
Teed, Frank F., Oak St.	Carpenter
Walsh, Albert E., No. Main St.	Carpenter
Wilde, Albert C., Liberty St.	Salesman
Yates, Robert A., No. Main St.	Builder



ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
BOARD OF ASSESSORS
OF THE
TOWN OF RANDOLPH
MASSACHUSETTS
FOR THE YEAR
1927



TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Assessors' Report—1927

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Chairman, Henry V. Morgan

Associate Members, James E. Foley and Waldo E. Mann.

ANNUAL REPORT — 1927

The Board of Assessors for the year 1927, submit the following report for the consideration of the Taxpayers of the Town of Randolph.

We have reported at length on various topics, in an earnest endeavor to impress on the voters, the importance of the duties devolving on the Assessors and the immediate and vital concern that every taxpayer has in this department of the town's business.

The report of our Board for the year 1927 contains discussion of various matters which we believe should be of particular interest to the taxpayers.

TAX RATE—\$31.60

Our tax rate of \$31.60 per thousand shows a reduction of 40 cents per thousand from the tax rate of the previous year. The total of appropriations voted to be raised through the tax levy of 1927 was \$235,396.35, the largest in the history of the town, being an increase of \$28,374.42

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over the appropriations of the previous year.

The increase in appropriations of \$28,374.42 ordinarily would have resulted in an increase in the tax rate of \$5.40 per thousand. However, a saving of this amount per thousand, plus the actual net reduction in the tax rate of 40 cents per thousand, a total saving of \$5.80 per thousand was accomplished by reason of:

First—The benefit derived from the assessment of new buildings.

Second—Increase in valuation of land, principally due to the revaluation of certain parcels under development.

Third—From the use of surplus cash, including an additional distribution of State Income Tax amounting to \$5,117.72, which effected a saving of about \$1.00 per thousand in the tax rate.

Fourth—A saving of about \$2.05 per thousand, resulting from the reorganization of the method of financing our Water Department, made effective at the Annual Town Meeting of 1926.

By combining the accounts of the Water Department with the General Accounts of the Town, the amount of \$2,251.94, representing surplus cash, became available for use by the Assessors in reducing the tax levy. By liquidating the Water Loan Sinking Fund, the sum of \$3,733.41 also become available and was used in further reducing the tax levy. By placing the Water Department on the same basis as other town departments, subject to the same financial regulations, whereby a budget was provided to cover the operating cost of the department and

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the receipts from the sale of water, meter rental fees, etc., being used by the Assessors in their determination of the tax levy, a surplus of receipts in excess of the cost of operating the department under the budget arrangement previously referred to resulted, and the sum of \$4,795.29 derived from this source was used by the Assessors in reducing the tax levy. These items, aggregating \$10,780.64, effected a saving of \$2.05 per thousand in the tax rate.

INCREASE IN VALUATION—\$287,750

By reference to the table of assessed valuation appended hereto it will be noted that the total assessed valuation of taxable property indicates an increase of \$287,750, making the total valuation \$5,237,250.

PERSONAL ESTATE

The increase in the valuation of property classified as personal estate amounted to \$34,000, making the total assessment of personal estate \$853,450. The valuation of personal property heretofore assessed showed a substantial loss. This was in part due to the fact that there were comparatively few new cars purchased and assessed in Randolph during the years 1926-1927, and that the depreciation in value of those automobiles already assessed exceeded the gain from assessments on automobiles newly assessed. The liquidation of several shoe factories

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also resulted in a loss in personal property subject to assessment, on which taxes have been levied in previous years.

However, a net increase in the total valuation of personal estate was effected as the result of the assessment of the newly erected high tension electric power lines and towers of the Edison Electric Illuminating Co., of Boston, which pass over the southern section of our town.

REAL ESTATE—LAND

The increase in the valuation of land was \$91,300, bringing the total assessments on land up to \$1,245,050. The increase was brought about primarily by the revaluation of certain parcels, from an acreage to a building lot basis, as a result of development; in part, from the revaluation of other parcels made necessary by the continuation of our policy to increase assessed valuations corresponding to, and consistent with the actual increase in market value, and the balance from new assessments on previously untaxed land, brought to light through the medium of the Town Plans which are being made under the supervision of our Board.

REAL ESTATE BUILDINGS

The increase in the valuation of buildings was \$162,450, making the total assessed valuation of buildings \$3,138,750. The erection of new buildings accounts for most of this increase, principally new dwelling houses, and the new bank building of the Randolph Savings Bank.

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**POSSIBILITY OF FURTHER REDUCTION IN TAX
RATE IN 1928**

There is a possibility of reducing our tax rate further in 1928, and to less than \$30 per thousand, provided the taxpayers will practice economy in the voting of appropriations at the Annual Town Meeting. The following data will indicate the extent to which the annual cost of conducting our town has increased in recent years:

Year	Total Appropriations Voted to be raised through the Tax Levy
1922	\$127,630.21
1923	148,199.35
1924	147,028.55
1925	168,816.09
1926	207,021.93
1927	235,396.35

Notwithstanding the fact that our appropriations for 1927 show a tremendous increase, it would have been possible for our Board to have accomplished a greater reduction in the 1927 tax rate, if it was not necessary for us to raise money in the 1927 tax levy for the following unusual items, including illegal expenditures in the form of overdrafts, and unpaid bills of the previous year, contracted in excess of departmental appropriations.

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Overdrafts, 1926	\$8,520.64	
Unpaid Bills, 1926	2,480.64	
High School Equipment Notes authorized but not issued, ne- cessitating the raising of this sum by direct taxation, due to failure on the part of town officials to issue the notes	11,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$22,001.28

It should not be necessary to raise money for these purposes in the 1928 tax levy, as the State System of Accounting installed and in operation should prevent overdrafts. All notes authorized should be issued in due time, thereby preventing a recurrence of the High School Equipment Note situation. And as unpaid bills are simply another form of overdraft, the practice of creating liabilities in excess of appropriations should be discontinued.

PRESERVATION OF RECORDS

Fireproof facilities, including safes and files, were acquired during the year, in which to store official records heretofore unprotected, due to the apparent lack of space in the inadequate and antiquated storage vaults in the Town Hall. These new facilities will keep the assessment records intact, and thereby obviate the necessity of assembling a new set of records annually, as has been necessary in the past.

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TOWN MAPS AND PLANS

Progress was accomplished during the year in the making of plans of the town. The engineers employed have practically completed plans for approximately one-third of the area of the town. The completed plans, being made from actual survey, indicate each parcel of land separately, its location, area, boundaries, ownership, and the buildings situated thereon. The plans are advantageous for the intelligent assessment of real estate, for without them, land values in particular, can only be determined on an approximate basis. Assessments based on actual area, as well as location, will necessarily result in a high degree of accuracy in the determination and apportionment of the tax burden.

These plans will provide a basis for taxing all the property all the time, which is rather important when it is considered that at least \$250,000 in omitted land value has been added to the valuation lists in the last four years. The revenue derived from taxing this amount of previously omitted assessments amounts to more in one year than the entire cost of the completed plans will be.

It is, therefore, obvious that the work should be carried through to completion; and to that end, we recommend that the sum of \$1,000 be appropriated at the Annual Town meeting of 1928, an amount equal to that provided in the previous year.

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LADIES' LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

vs.

INHABITANTS OF TOWN OF RANDOLPH

The question of exemption of the Ladies' Library Association as a charitable and educational institution, was referred to the Courts of the Commonwealth during the year, by reason of a suit for abatement of its taxes being brought by the Ladies' Library Association against the inhabitants of the town of Randolph.

In the customary manner, the case was ordered by the Court to be heard before a Commissioner. The case was heard before the Commissioner. That is, one side of the case was heard, that of the Ladies' Library Association, and as a result a Commissioner's report and the subsequent order of the Court, based on the Commissioner's report, were issued in favor of the association.

Town Did Not Defend Action Against It

The Town was represented by counsel only on the first day of the hearing before the Commissioner. After the first day's hearing, the legal counsel appointed by the Selectmen resigned from the case, and no new counsel was appointed, so that at subsequent hearings before the Commissioner, and later when the case came before the Superior Court for disposition, there was no legal representative appearing in behalf of the Town. The Town's interest, therefore, suffered accordingly, as evidenced by the decision in the case. No appeal was registered against

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the Commissioner's report or the decision of the presiding Justice of the Court, which would have permitted taking the case to the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth on exceptions recorded at the hearings before the Commissioner.

Responsibility for Defense of Action Brought Against the Town Rests with Selectmen

Due to a motion voted annually at Town Meetings, empowering the Selectmen to "prosecute and defend" all suits to which the Town is a party, the Assessors were handicapped, and did not possess the right to select qualified legal counsel to arrange for the appearance of witnesses, or otherwise to take action to protect the Town's interests in the case. The power so to do, and the duty and responsibility as well, was in the hands of the Selectmen, and could not be delegated or assigned. The protection of the Town's interest in the case, or rather lack of protection of the Town's interest in the case, as the facts herein related would indicate, were vested in the Selectmen.

Statute Under Which the Ladies' Library Association Claims Exemption

The Statute under which the association claims exemption is as follows:

General Laws of the Commonwealth, Chapter 59—
Assessment of Local Taxes. Section 5:

"The following property and polls shall be exempt from taxation."

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Clause 3. "Personal property of literary, benevolent, charitable and scientific institutions and of temperance societies in incorporated in the Commonwealth, the real estate owned and occupied by them or their officers for the purposes for which they are incorporated."

The association contends that it is a charitable and literary and educational institution.

Associations coming within this classification are exempt on the theory that because of the knowledge they diffuse as literary or educational institutions, and the charities they dispense as charitable institutions, they relieve the community in which they are located of a burden which would otherwise have to be assumed by the community itself. But our Board knows of no burden that the taxpayers of Randolph would have to assume that is now provided for by the Ladies' Library Association.

Subdivision "A" of Clause 3, Section 5, Chapter 59, of the General Laws of the Commonwealth:

"IF ANY OF THE INCOME or profits of the business of the institution or corporation is divided among the stockholders or members, OR IS USED OR APPROPRIATED FOR OTHER THAN literary, educational, benevolent, charitable, scientific or religious purposes, ITS PROPERTY SHALL NOT BE EXEMPT."

As applied to the Ladies' Library Association, this clause states that the "property shall not be exempt"—"if any of the income" is used for purposes other than literary or charitable purposes. Yet the report of income and expenditures of the Ladies' Library Association, for

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the year in which the association brought suit against the inhabitants of the Town, indicates that the association expended the sum of \$139.57 by its music committee, apparently for the musical entertainment of the association's members and guests, WHICH COULD HARDLY BE CONSIDERED AN ACT OF CHARITY OR AN EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITY WITHIN THE MEANING OF THE STATUTE.

It would also be difficult to classify as a donation or expenditure for charitable or educational purposes the sum of \$72 expended for an item described in the same report as "Anniversary Expense." On the other hand, the association expended directly for literary purposes, as shown by the report, "Books, \$29" and by direct donations to charity, as shown by the same report, furnished by their counsel, "Paid to Charities, \$30.65." This sum being paid in small amounts to organized charitable units.

An organization which would expend the sum of \$139.57 for musical entertainment for its members, and only \$29 for the promotion of the educational advancement of its 150 members and the community as a whole, would hardly be expected to contend that its dominant purpose was educational rather than social. The payment of \$30.65 to charitable organizations, none of which benefited the taxpayers of the Town, does not, in the opinion of your Board of Assessors, indicate that the organization is primarily a charitable organization.

The total expenditures for all purposes for the year in question was \$2,383.21, as compared with the sum of \$59.65 for direct donations and expenditures for charit-

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able and literary and educational purposes. It is interesting to note also that the amount of the judgment against the Town for tax exemption in the sum of \$123.20 is more than twice the combined expenditures made by the Ladies' Library Association for direct donations to charity and literary activities of \$59.65.

Report of Legislative Commission With Respect to the Tax Exemption of Such Associations

In further substantiation of our position in the matter, we quote from the

“Report of the Special Commission Appointed by the Legislature in 1927, in accordance with Chapter 44 of the Resolves of 1927.”

“To Investigate the Entire Subject of State, County and Local Taxation”—that portion of the report which pertains to local taxation:

House No. 490

“Local Tax-Exempt Property”

From page 28 of the Commission's Report—“Another factor in the increase of local tax rates is the growing amount of property which is becoming tax-exempt throughout the State.”

From page 30 of the Commissioner's Report—“In effect, tax exemption is purely a subsidy. The Commission believes that the only theory justifying tax exemption for such institutions is that they are doing work which the

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Government, whether Local or State, would otherwise have to do.

“Clubs, fraternal organizations, temperance societies, whose charitable work is merely incidental to their main purpose, should not be tax-exempt.”

From page 31 of the Commissioner's Report—“In order to prevent the flooding of a municipality with organizations claiming tax exemption, in order to give the officials of a municipality some power to prevent valuable land from becoming tax-exempt, it might be wise to require further the consent of a municipality before property can be considered tax-exempt.”

Our Board submits that the report of the Legislative Commission's investigation of the tax-exemption feature of local taxation, as quoted, corresponds with our position in the matter.

Exceptions Taken to Rulings of Commissioner

Several exceptions were taken to rulings of the Commissioner during the first day's hearing, when the Town was represented by counsel. While it is not necessary to enter into a detailed discussion of the nature or merits of all these exceptions, we do desire to discuss at least one of importance, in which we submit the ruling of the Commissioner was absolutely erroneous, and to which appeal should have been taken on behalf of the Town to the Justice of the Superior Court, or to the Supreme Court.

The exception referred to relates to a ruling of the Commissioner in regard to the cross-examination of the

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Treasurer of the association by the Town's counsel, as to the manner, if any, in which the property of the Ladies' Library Association, was used for charitable purposes during the year 1926, the year for which action was brought against the inhabitants of the Town.

EXCEPTION NO. 6

The following questions were asked of the Treasurer of the association on cross-examination:

Question. So far as you know, was any part of the building used for charitable purposes during that year, 1926—conducted right on the premises? Answer. I think I have answered that question.

Question. No, you said that all through the war-time, every part, every inch of it probably was used. But will you kindly come up to the present year, or as near as you can to it. What charity work was done on your premises; what use was there of your premises for charity? Answer. I told you I was not aware that we had any special call for charity work—public charity work—during the year 1926.

Question. And that would mean that you did no charity work?

Counsel for Plaintiff. We object.

The Commissioner. Excluded.

Question. Now, in your answer you say that you do not know of any special charitable purpose being served. Do you know of any general charity work? Answer. We stand ready at all times to do any special thing.

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Counsel for the Plaintiff. We object to that question.

The Commissioner. I think if he insists on it, she may answer. I do not think it is of any materiality, but if he insists upon it she may answer. **I consider that an organization may still be a charitable organization whether they meet in a hired hall or in their own property; and they do not have to show the evidence of it by dispensing charity physically in some building.** It is the purpose of the organization that we are concerned with.

Counsel for Defense. Will you please save my exception?

The Commissioner. Yes.

The Commissioner states that he does "not think it is of any materiality" to cross-examine an officer of the association to determine the charitable use, if any, to which the property was put in 1926, the year in question.

The witness answered that she was "not aware" that the association "had any special call for charity work—public charity work—during the year 1926" The question was not whether the association had been "called upon" to dispense charity. The question was plain and to the point—"was any part of the building used for charitable purposes during that year, 1926?"

The Commissioner stated: "I consider that an organization may still be a charitable organization, whether they meet in a hired hall or in their own property." Our Board contends that the difference between a "charitable organization" meeting in a "hired hall" or "in their own

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property" represents the difference between taxation and tax-exemption. If the Commissioner's opinion was right and our contention wrong, there would be nothing to prevent an organization, qualifying as a charitable one, from holding and owning all the property its finances would permit of, free from taxation, regardless of the use to which the property was put. It is for the benefit of all taxpayers that this is not the case.

The Commissioner also states: "and they do not have to show the evidence of it (that they are a charitable organization) by dispensing charity physically in some building." Our Board submits that the opinion of the Commissioner is absolutely contrary to the Statutes and to the numerous decisions of the Supreme Court. The Statute is clear on this point, wherein it states: "the real estate owned **and occupied** by them or their officers **for the purposes** for which they are **incorporated**."

The "purposes for which" the Ladies' Library Association was incorporated under the laws of the Commonwealth are as follows:

"To encourage friendly intercourse and mutual improvement in literature, art, science and the vital questions of the day. The Corporation may maintain a library in the Town of Randolph in the furtherance of these objects."

Your Board is unable to discern or recognize any charitable object or purpose among those listed in the association's charter as quoted, and we therefore assert that the association is not incorporated for charitable purposes.

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To substantiate our contention that the Commissioner's ruling is erroneous, and that an organization must show by evidence, its physical use of the property for charitable purposes to be entitled to tax-exemption, we refer to the opinion of our Supreme Court as expressed in Mass. Reports, Volume 217, page 176, and quote as follows:

"The burden of proof is on one seeking to establish an exemption from taxation.

"It is the general policy of our law that all property shall contribute proportionately to the support of government. Although exceptions are made of property devoted to certain uses, the burden of proof is upon everybody who claims it to show clearly and unequivocally that he comes within the terms of the exemption. Doubt upon this point operates against the party making the claim."

The opinion of the Supreme Court also states that if an organization "incorporated as a charitable and benevolent institution owns a building in which it maintains a club for the social enjoyment of its members, and if the dominant use of the real estate is that of a private clubhouse rather than that of a headquarters for the dispensation of charitable relief, such real estate is not exempt from taxation," even though the organization "performs many charitable functions."

Your Board of Assessors not only contends that the Ladies' Library Association is not an incorporated charitable organization, as indicated by the objects set forth in its charter heretofore quoted, but also that its primary functions are not of a charitable nature; on the contrary,

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that they are those of a private women's club, and further that the dominant use of the real estate owned by the association is that of a private clubhouse, rather than that of a headquarters for the dispensation of charitable relief. Our opinion is, in part, arrived at by a review of the association's activities as set forth in the "Year Book" published by the association, which was introduced as an exhibit in the hearings before the Commissioner. The "Calendar" of events for 1926-1927, printed in the Year Book, is as follows:

"LADIES' LIBRARY ASSOCIATION Calendar, 1926-1927"

- October 12. 7.45 p.m. Open meeting. President's greeting. Report of Biennial at Atlantic City, Mrs. Edith L. French. Reception to new members. Music. Refreshments.
- October 26. 7.45 p.m. Program presented by Legislative Committee, Mrs. Bessie H. Stephens, chairman.
- November 9. 7.45 p.m. Narrative Lecture, Georgianna Barbara Such. Open night.
- November 23. 7.45 p.m. Program presented by the Past Presidents, Mrs. Hannah B. Belcher, Mrs. Sarah K. A. Porter in charge.
- December 14. 7.45 p.m. Annual Guest Night. Guests of honor: Mrs. Edward E. Hobart, third vice-president Mass. State Federation; Mrs. J. Herbert Libby, second district director. Program presented by the Mendelssohn Club of Boston.
- December 28. 7.45 p.m. Cantata. Program presented by L. L. A. Glee Club, assisted by Miss Mabel T. Knight.
- January 11. 7.45 p.m. Miss Florence Andrew, reader, assisted by the L. L. A. Glee Club.

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- January 25. 2.30 p.m. Association Tea. Travel Talk on South America., Mrs. Annie T. Tarbell. Music.
- February 8. 7.45 p.m. An evening with Edward MacDowell. Illustrated by the violin, voice and piano, and discussed by his pupil, Mrs. Edith Noyes Greene, president Music Lovers' Club of Boston. Open meeting.
- February 22. 2.30 p.m. Martha Washington Tea. Art Committee, Mrs. Edna S. Cole, chairman. Practical talk and demonstrations upon the Home Beautiful. Mrs. Everett Willis, Past President of Brockton Woman's Club.
- March 8. 7.45 p.m. Musical. Program presented by Music Committee.
- March 22. 2.30 p.m. Association Tea. Program presented by Literature and Library Extension Committee, Mrs. Jennie F. Leavitt, chairman.
- April 12. 7.45 p.m. Gentlemen's evening. Peter Murray, entertainer. Mrs. Edith L. Prescott, chairman. Open meeting.
- April 26. 2.30 p.m. Association Tea. Program presented by Civics and Community Service Committee, Miss Fannie E. Knight, chairman.
- May 10. 2.30 p.m. May party for members. L. L. A. Magazine, Miss Eugenie E. Clark, Editor.

All of these meetings took place on the premises of the Ladies' Library Association, and the dates named correspond to the requirements of the association's by-laws, which call for regular meetings on the second and fourth Tuesdays, October to May inclusive, which would have a tendency to show the nature of the activities of the association when assembled at regular meetings of the corporation, also the use to which the property is put.

Your Board of Assessors consider that the activities enumerated in the Calendar are in the nature of social,

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festive and entertaining functions, rather than charitable or educational activities within the meaning of the Statute governing tax-exemption.

Decision of the Board of Assessors

The fact that a decision against the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, under the conditions described, was handed down in this matter, did not cause our Board to alter its opinion or decision in the matter, and we have accordingly assessed the property held by the Ladies' Library Association in 1927 as heretofore, and without exemption.

The opinion of our Board is, and has been, that the extent of the charitable and literary and educational activities of the Ladies' Library Association, made known to our Board by two different presidents of the association, by the Executive Board of the association, by individual members of the association, by local counsel appearing in person in their behalf before our Board, Attorney Walter F. Stephens, by Stewart & Chase, trial counsel employed by the association, and by witnesses at the hearings before the Commissioner are so limited that they are only incidental to the real dominant and paramount purpose of the association—the social advancement and entertainment of its members.

Our interpretation of the Statute governing the matter of tax-exemption in such cases is that held by all local taxing bodies, and the State Tax Officials, and is based on decisions of our Supreme Court.

It is manifest to our Board that the property owned by the Ladies' Library Association is used by far more for

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social and festive functions than for educational or charitable purposes. The dominant use to which the real estate is put is that of a private club, rather than a public charitable or educational institution.

The real estate owned by the association provides for the rest and amusement of its members. The building has the furnishings and accessories which accompany the establishment of private, social organizations.

It would be manifestly unjust to the taxpayers of the community if an exemption were allowed under such circumstances. To quote the opinion of a member of the present staff or tax experts employed by the Commonwealth, it would virtually result in the taxpayers as a whole making a contribution toward the maintenance and operating costs of the association by way of a reduction in the amount of taxes which the property of the association should have assessed thereon.

For our Board to hold otherwise would be to permit any group of individuals to form an organization, incorporate, acquire real estate, and then purchase or otherwise acquire a few hundred dollars' worth of books or literary papers, or accomplish some minor work of charity, for the purpose of obtaining tax-exemption. This is not our interpretation of the Statute.

Tax-Exempt Properties in Randolph

In 1927 our Board allowed tax-exemption to the amount of \$655,500 to religious, educational, literary and charitable institutions, the list of which and the detailed amounts thereof may be found under a separate heading in this report (see Exhibit F.) By reference to this re-

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port it will be noted that no social, fraternal or improvement society has been allowed exemption. Our Board does not propose to extend the privilege of tax-exemption to such associations, or to otherwise increase the large existing amount of tax-exempt property of \$665,500, except where it is necessary to do so within the Statutes governing tax-exemption.

The adoption of a policy contrary to the one we have expressed herein would afford an opportunity to numerous local organizations, in the nature of social, fraternal and improvement societies, who at this time own property to the extent of at least \$130,000, to take advantage of the situation by pressing claims for tax-exemption on the grounds of minor acts of charity, which form only a part of the activities of most all forms of organization, or of setting aside a portion of their property in which a library of small proportions may be installed, primarily for the use of their own members.

Importance of Case

We stress this case as one of the most important matters which has confronted the inhabitants of Randolph. It is not only important in itself, but of much greater importance in the precedent that would be established, and the incentive that would be created for other organizations to advance claims for tax-exemption.

Reason for Detailed Report of Matters Relating to Local Taxation

Only a small minority of the taxpayers are intimately acquainted with the details of the Town's business. The

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Annual Report of Town Officers should, we believe, be a source of information to the taxpayers, and convey to them a report of departmental activities, of problems confronting the town, and discuss matters of interest and importance for the welfare of the community and the conduct of the town's business.

In the past three years our Board has endeavored to report to the citizens all matters of interest to them, in so far as the same related to the Assessors' Department. Again this year we have endeavored to detail, in a form to be easily understood by all, the various activities affecting our Board. In this connection we consider that the petition of a group of taxpayers asking for a public consideration, in the form of tax-exemption, is a matter of public interest, and should be reported as such to the taxpayers as a whole.

The Assessors have imposed on them by law the duty of apportioning among the taxpayers, according to their relative property holdings, the appropriations made by the voters at Town Meeting, to carry on the town's business. Contrary to the general impression, the Assessors do not control either the tax rate or the amount of taxes to be levied.

The voters themselves, in Town Meeting assembled, voting and appropriating money for various purposes, determine the amount of money that is to be raised by taxation, and the duty of the Assessors is, therefore, more or less a perfunctory one, except that the Assessors may, by study and investigation of the town's finances, carefully estimate and appropriate current revenue, and recommend for appropriation by the voters sums classi-

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fied as Surplus Cash, the use of which reduces the amount to be raised by direct taxation, to provide for the appropriations made by the voters.

Our Board's opposition to the abatement of taxes, and refusal to grant illegal abatements or exemptions, has been maintained, in some cases in the face of great pressure from those whose interest is that of the few rather than the many.

In carrying out our duties in a fearless and impartial manner, we have had in mind the duty we owe the public, and our oath of office, and not our political fortunes. We feel that the expense of government should be borne equally by all, and that organized groups of taxpayers should not use their numerical strength for the purpose of avoiding their proper and just debt to the town, and if attempts are made to appeal to the Courts, certainly the rights of our taxpayers as a whole should not be allowed to go undefended. We trust that never again will our community suffer loss of its rights by failure of its sworn officers to defend it.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF ASSESSORS,

Henry V. Morgan, Chairman.

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ASSESSED VALUATION

1927

Personal Estate	\$ 853,450.00	
Real Estate—Land	1,245,050.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	3,138,750.00	
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Total		\$5,237,250.00

1926

Personal Estate	\$ 819,450.00	
Real Estate—Land	1,153,750.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	2,876,300.00	
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Total		\$4,949,500.00

Increase in Valuation, 1927

Personal Estate	\$ 34,000.00	
Real Estate—Land	91,300.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	162,450.00	
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Total		\$287,750.00

**APPROPRIATIONS MADE AT THE ANNUAL TOWN
MEETING OF 1927, PROVIDED FOR THROUGH
CURRENT TAX LEVY, CERTIFIED TO BY TOWN
CLERK**

General Government

Moderator's Salary	\$ 50.00
Selectmen:	
Salaries	\$650.00

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Expenses	800.00	
	<hr/>	1,450.00
Auditors' Salaries		150.00
Treasurer:		
Salary	\$900.00	
Expenses (including premium on Treasurer's Bond)	200.00	
	<hr/>	1,100.00
Tax Collector:		
Salary (1% commission on col- lections, estimated)	\$1,800.00	
Expenses (including premium on Tax Collector's Bond)	125.00	
	<hr/>	1,925.00
Assessors:		
Salaries	\$1,500.00	
Expenses (including copies of deeds recorded at County Registry and Probate Court Records	450.00	
Printing (Poll Tax List)	350.00	
Vault (for Valuation Record Books)	200.00	
Maps (Town Plans)	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	3,500.00
Law Department Expenses		600.00
Town Clerk:		
Salary	\$300.00	

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Expenses—Vital Statistics	375.00	
	<hr/>	675.00
Election and Registration:		
Salaries (including salaries of		
Registrars of Voters)	\$150.00	
Expenses	475.00	
	<hr/>	625.00
Town Office Expenses		900.00

Protection of Property

Police Department:

Salary	\$2,000.00	
Expenses (including Special Police)	675.00	
Article 23 (New Ford Touring		
Car—Equipped)	471.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,146.00

Fire Department:

General Expense	\$ 800.00	
Driver of Truck—Salary	1,800.00	
Salaries of Firemen	450.00	
Hour Service	350.00	
Salary—Extra Driver	260.00	
Salaries of Engineers	150.00	
New Hose	200.00	
Fire Alarm System — New		
Construction	350.00	
Forest Fire Department—Expenses	850.00	
	<hr/>	5,210.00

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Sealer of Weights and Measures:

Salary	\$150.00	
Expenses	25.00	
	<hr/>	175.00

Moth Extermination—

(Under direction of Tree Warden):

Expenses	\$1,000.00	
Tree Warden:		
Salary	250.00	
Expenses	350.00	
	<hr/>	1,600.00

Health and Sanitation

Health Department:

Salaries	\$ 60.00	
Expenses	3,000.00	
Inspector of Animals—Salary	50.00	
Inspector of Milk—Salary	50.00	
Inspector of Slaughtering—Salary	100.00	
Article 24—Employment of Health Nurse	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,260.00

Highway Department

Highway Surveyor—Salary	\$1,500.00
General Repairs and Maintenance	8,600.00

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Article 34—Repairs to South St.	1,000.00
Article 35—Repairs to Centre St.	1,000.00
Article 37—Repairs to Grove St.	500.00
Article 38—Repairs to Mill St.	2,000.00
Article 39—Repairs to Mt. Pleas. Sq.	1,000.00
Article 40—Repairs to Highland Ave.	1,000.00
Article 41—Repairs to Lafayette St.	1,000.00
Article 42—Repairs to Canton St.	1,000.00
Article 44—Repairs to Chestnut St.	1,000.00
Article 26—New Fordson Tractor and Equipment	2,100.00
Snow Removal	3,600.00
Street Lighting	6,119.00
Article 32—New Lights, South St.	33.00
Article 33—New Lights, Old St.	33.00
	\$31,485.00

Charities and Soldiers' Benefits

Almshouse—Salaries and Expenses	\$4,000.00
Outside Relief (including Medical Attendance on Poor, Poor Out of Almshouse, Poor of Other Towns and Mothers' Aid)	3,250.00
State Aid	800.00
Military Aid	200.00
Soldiers' Relief	500.00
	\$8,750.00

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School Department

Stetson High School—Salaries	\$16,750.00	
Primary and Grammar Schools—		
Salaries	34,000.00	
Fuel	3,000.00	
Books and Supplies	4,500.00	
Care of Rooms	4,000.00	
Transportation	2,900.00	
Superintendent of Schools—Salary	1,300.00	
School Physician—Salary	100.00	
School Nurse	1,400.00	
Continuation and Trade Schools	3,000.00	
General Expense	2,500.00	
Equipment	2,000.00	
School Committee—Salaries	300.00	
School Committee—Expenses	100.00	
Article 22—Installing Heating and		
Sanitary Equipment in Tower		
Hill School	2,300.00	
	<hr/>	\$81,491.27

Turner Library

Repairs to roof, ceiling, floors, etc.	\$450.00
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Unclassified

Memorial Day	\$225.00
Care of Clock in First Congre- gational Church	20.00

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Town Reports — Printing and Distributing	776.40	
Lock-up Expenses	200.00	
Insurance	2,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,721.40

Public Enterprises

Water Department:

Maintenance	\$6,500.00	
Service Construction	3,000.00	
Joint Account	4,200.00	
Braintree and Holbrook Water Rates	846.38	
Patrolling Great Pond	433.33	
Commissioners' Salaries	375.00	
Interest on Bond Coupons	200.00	
	<hr/>	\$15,554.71

Maturing Debt and Interest:

Maturing Debt	\$18,600.00	
Interest	9,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$27,600.00

Overdrawn Accounts—Article 11	\$8,520.64	
Unpaid Bills—Article 12	2,480.64	
	<hr/>	\$11,001.28

Article 8—Reserve Fund		\$500.00
Article 10—Town Accountant: Salary	\$250.00	

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Expenses	200.00	
	<hr/>	\$450.00
Article 25—Repairs to clock in spire of First Congregational Church		300.00
Extension of Water Mains—West St.		1,800.00
High School Equipment—Amount to be raised by taxation in lieu of notes authorized but not issued		11,000.00
County Tax		6,705.08
State Tax		8,040.00
State Tax—Highways		742.00
State Tax—Auditing Municipal Accounts Tax		3,780.88
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Total Apropriations		\$235,396.35

CREDITS FROM VARIOUS SOURCES INCLUDED IN THE TAX LEVY—1927

Income Tax—1927	\$20,326.08
Income Tax—1926 Additional Distribution	670.00
Income Tax—1926 Additional Distribution	335.00
Income Tax—1925 Additional Distribution	134.00
Corporation Tax—1927 Public Service	2,801.66
Corporation Tax—1926 Public Service	
Additional Distribution	139.44
Corporation Tax—1927 Business	1,629.84
Corporation Tax—Prior Years—Business	
Additional Distribution	96.38

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National Bank Tax—1927	345.18
Trust Company Tax—1927	703.31
Eastern Mass. Street Railway Tax—1927	663.55
Dog Tax	1,185.94
Interest on Taxes	2,256.19
Interest on Deposits	204.65
Interest on Coddington Fund	86.45
From Com. of Mass. Division of Sanatoria	260.71
From Com. of Mass. Vocational Education	1,081.00
From Com. of Mass., Tuition of Children	918.06
Moth and Tree Departments	266.75
Almshouse	706.99
Fines from Courts	705.17
Refund of Overdrawn Salary Account	10.00
Outside Relief—Received from Com. of Mass.	565.65
State and Military Aid—Received from Com. of Mass.	1,062.00
Miscellaneous, including License Fees, etc.	510.10
Water Department—Received on Accounts Outstanding January 1, 1927	1,850.00
Water Department—Revenue Year 1927	18,500.00
School Department—Sale of Tickets and Misc. Revenue	100.00
Outside Relief—Refunds	100.00
Soldiers' Exemption on Taxes—Received from Com. of Mass.	176.58
Fees Collected by Sealer of Weights and Measures	48.52
Total	<hr/> \$58,439.20

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DETERMINATION OF TAX RATE—1927

Total Appropriations:

Town	\$216,128.39
County Tax	6,705.08
State Tax	8,040.00
State Tax—Highways	742.00
State Tax—Auditing Municipal Accounts	3,780.88

Total Appropriations	\$235,396.35
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Less Credits:

Revenue from various sources	\$58,439.20
Poll Tax	3,412.00

Surplus Cash—including additional distribution of 1926 Income Tax of \$5,117.72; General Account of Water Department, \$2,251.94, and balance remaining from liquidation of Water Department Sinking Loan Fund, \$3,733.41; the two latter amounts being available as a result of consolidating the accounts and funds of the Water Dept. with the general accounts and funds of the Town

11,103.07

Total Credits

72,954.27

\$162,442.08

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Plus overlay to cover abatements—1926	1,029.77
Plus overlay to cover abatements—1927	2,025.25
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Total amount to be provided for through Tax Levy	\$165,497.10
 Total Assessed Valuation	 \$5,237,250.00
Tax Rate per \$1,000	\$31.60

**TAX LEVIED AND COMMITTED TO TAX
COLLECTOR—1927**

Warrant—October, 1927:

Tax on Real and Personal Es- tate	\$165,497.10
Moth Tax	166.75
Poll Tax	3,412.00
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	\$169,075.85

Warrant—December, 1927

Additional Assessments	449.86
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Total Tax Levied	<hr/> \$169,525.71
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**VALUATION OF EXEMPTED PROPERTY
Privately Owned**

Religious Organizations:

St. Mary's Catholic Church	
Personal Estate	\$ 5,000.00

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Real Estate—Buildings	40,000.00	
Land, North Main St.	5,000.00	
Land, Pauline St.		
Held for erection of church	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$51,000.00
First Congregational Church		
Personal Estate	\$ 5,000.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	35,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	45,000.00
First Baptist Church		
Personal Estate	\$ 5,000.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	30,000.00	
Land	4,000.00	
	<hr/>	39,000.00
Unitarian Church		
Personal Estate	\$ 2,500.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	20,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	27,500.00
Episcopal Church		
Personal Estate	\$1,500.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	7,000.00	
Land	2,500.00	
	<hr/>	11,000.00
Methodist Church		
Personal Estate	\$ 500.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	2,000.00	
Land	500.00	
	<hr/>	3,000.00

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Literary Institutions:

Boston School for the Deaf

Personal Estate	\$ 25,000.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	340,000.00	
Land	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	375,000.00

Turner Free Library

Personal Estate	\$25,000.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	40,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	70,000.00

Charitable Institutions:

Seth Mann, 2nd, Home for Aged Women

Personal Estate	\$ 2,500.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	12,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	19,500.00

Randolph Visiting Nurse Association

Personal Estate	500.00	
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Cemeteries:

St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery

Real Estate—Vault and		
Tool Storage Buildings	\$1,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	6,000.00

Central Cemetery

Real Estate—Vault Building	\$2,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	7,000.00

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Oakland Cemetery	
Real Estate—Land	1,000.00
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Total	\$655,500.00

Recapitulation

Religious Organizations	\$176,500.00	
Literary Institutions	445,000.00	
Charitable Institutions	20,000.00	
Cemetery Associations	14,000.00	
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Total		\$655,500.00

VALUATION OF EXEMPTED PROPERTY

Owned by the Town of Randolph

Town Hall:

Personal Estate	\$ 2,500.00	
Real Estate—Building	37,500.00	
Land	12,500.00	
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		\$52,500.00

Schools:

Personal Estate — Equipment and Supplies		50,000.00
Real Estate		
Prescott Primary School —		
Building	8,500.00	
Land	1,500.00	
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		10,000.00

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Prescott Grammar School—

Building	\$21,000.00	
Land	4,000.00	
	<hr/>	25,000.00

Chestnut St. Primary School—

Building	\$2,000.00	
Land	500.00	
	<hr/>	2,500.00

N. Randolph Primary School—

Building	\$9,000.00	
Land	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	10,000.00

Belcher Grammar School—

Building	\$14,000.00	
Land	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	15,000.00

Tower Hill Primary School—

Building	\$4,500.00	
Land	500.00	
	<hr/>	5,000.00

Stetson High School—

Building	\$140,000.00	
Land	10,000.00	
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		\$267,500.00

Fire Department:

Personal Estate—

Pumping Engine	\$2,500.00
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Combination Fire Truck	2,000.00	
Steam Fire Engine	750.00	
Ford Truck with Chemicals	300.00	
Real Estate—		
Engine House No. 1 Building	4,000.00	
Land (included with Town Hall Lot)		
Engine House No. 2 Building	1,500.00	
Land (rented)		
	<hr/>	\$11,050.00
Police Department:		
Personal Estate—		
1 Motorcycle	\$200.00	
1 Ford Touring Car	300.00	
	<hr/>	500.00
Water Department:		
Personal Estate—		
Piping System	\$200,000.00	
Machinery, Tools, Equipment, Ford Truck, 1/2-interest, jointly owned by Town of Holbrook	25,000.00	
Real Estate—		
Buildings, one-half interest, jointly owned by Town of Holbrook (including Pumping Station and Dwelling House)	15,000.00	

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Land, 1½-interest, jointly owned by Towns of Hol- brook and Braintree	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	250,000.00

Vacant Land:

Real Estate—

Land—Clark Lot, Union St.	\$1,500.00	
Lot, North St.	300.00	
Parcel, Park St.	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	2,800.00

Highway Department:

Personal Estate—

1 Ton Tractor	\$ 500.00	
1 Two-ton Tractor—new	2,000.00	
1 Steam Roller	2,500.00	
Miscellaneous Equipment	500.00	
	<hr/>	5,500.00

Alms-house:

Personal Estate	\$ 1,500.00	
Real Estate—		
Buildings	10,000.00	
Land	2,000.00	
	<hr/>	13,500.00

Funds:

Turner High School Ref. Fund	\$ 1,095.73
Stetson High School Fund	20,699.90
Turner Library Fund	12,150.00

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Royal W. Turner Library Fund	28,167.57	
Coddington School Fund	1,900.00	
Soldiers' Monument Fund	238.29	
	<hr/>	64,251.49

Total value of Exempted Property	\$667,601.49
Publicly owned by the Town of Randolph	

INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THE TABLE OF AGGREGATES PREPARED AND SUBMITTED TO THE STATE TAX COMMISSIONER

	1926	1927
Number of residents assessed for property	1781	1930
Number of non-residents assessed for property	713	824
Total number of persons assessed for property	2494	2754
Number of persons assessed for poll tax only	592	565
Total number of persons assessed	3086	3319
Number of male polls assessed	1679	1706
Number of horses assessed	57	61
Number of cows assessed	220	216
Number of neat cattle other than cows assessed	3	1
Number of swine assessed	190	566
Number of dwelling houses assessed	1534	1619
Number of fowl assessed	2590	4580
Number of automobiles assessed	1032	1070

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1928

Town Meeting Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph, in
said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts
you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of
the Town of Randolph qualified to vote in Elections and
Town Affairs to assemble at

STETSON HALL, IN SAID TOWN, ON

MONDAY, the fifth day of March, 1928,

At 5:45 o'clock in the Forenoon,

Then and there to act on the following Articles, viz:

Article 1. To choose all such Town Officers as are
required by law to be chosen by ballot, namely: A
Moderator for one year; a Town Clerk for one year; a
Town Treasurer for one year; three Selectmen and Over-
seers of Public Welfare for one year; one membr of School
Committee for three years; one Trustee of Stetson School
Fund for three years; a Collector of Taxes for one year;
one Assessor for three years; one Water Commissioner

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for three years; three Auditors for one year; one Tree Warden for one year; one Highway Surveyor for one year; seven Constables for one year.

Article 2. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1928, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article 3. To see if the Town will appoint the Selectmen to be the agents and attorneys of the Town to prosecute, defend and compromise any and all suits in which the Town may be in any manner interested as a party or otherwise, except so far as the same relate in any manner to the water supply, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Article 4. To see if the Town will authorize and appoint the Water Commissioners to be the agents and attorneys of the Town, to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the Town may be interested as a party or otherwise, so far as the same in any manner relate to the preserving, taking and use of the water of Great Pond, or to the construction of the water works, either jointly or separately, as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money to defray the general Town Expenses for the current year, under the following headings:

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GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Moderator,	Salary
Selectmen,	Salaries
	Expenses
Auditors and Accountant,	Salaries
	Expenses
Treasurer,	Salary
	Expenses (including Treasurer's Bond)
Tax Collector,	Salary
	Expenses (including Tax Collector's Bond)
Assessors,	Salaries
	Expenses
Law Department,	Salary
	Expenses
Town Clerk,	Salary
	Expenses
	Vital Statistics
Election and Registration,	Salaries (including Registrars of Voters)
	Expenses
Town Office,	Expenses

PROTECTION OF PROPERTY

Police Department,	Salaries
	Expenses
	Special Expenses, including traffic signs and beacons
Fire Department,	Salaries
	Expenses
	New Equipment

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Forest Fires.	Fire Alarm System
	Salaries
	Expenses
Sealer of Weights and Measures,	Salary
	Expenses
Moth Extermination,	Salary
	Expenses
Tree Warden Department,	Salary
	Expenses

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health Department,	Salaries and Expenses
Inspector of Animals,	
Inspector of Milk,	
Inspector of Slaughtering,	
Employment of Health Nurse,	

HIGHWAYS

Highway Surveyor's Salary,
General Maintenance and Repairs,
New Construction,
Sidewalks, etc.,
Snow Removal,
Street Lights,
Street Signs,

CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Overseers of Public Welfare, Salaries and Expenses,
Infirmary, Salaries and Expenses,
Outside Relief (including Medical Attendance on Poor,

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Poor Out of Infirmary, Poor of Other Towns, Mothers' Aid),
State Aid,
Military Aid.
Soldiers' Relief,

SCHOOLS

Salaries and Expenses (including Conveyance of Pupils,
Employment of School Nurse, etc.)
Special Appropriations

TURNER LIBRARY

Repairs

UNCLASSIFIED

Memorial Day,
Care of Clock in First Congregational Church,
Printing and Distributing Town Reports,
Claims—(Land Damages, etc.),
Insurance, Fire
Workmen's Compensation
Other items

PUBLIC ENTERPRISES

Water Department,	Joint Account
	Maintenance
	New Construction
	Main Extensions
	Service Construction
	Other items

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MATURING DEBT AND INTEREST

Maturing Debt,
Interest: General
Reserve

RESERVE ACCOUNT

In accordance with Section 6, Chapter 40, General Laws.

Article 6. To see if the Town will create a Reserve Fund for extraordinary or unforeseen emergencies as per Section 6, Chapter 40, General Laws, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Section 6, Chapter 40. "To provide for extraordinary or unforeseen expenditures, a town may at an annual town meeting appropriate a sum not exceeding five per cent of the tax levy of the preceding year, to be known as the reserve fund. No direct drafts against this fund shall be made, but transfers from the fund may, from time to time, be voted by the finance or appropriation committee of the town, in towns having such a committee, and in other towns by the Selectmen; and the Town Accountant in towns having such an official, and in other towns the Auditor of Board of Auditors, shall make such transfers accordingly."

Article 7. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,802.96 to cover unpaid bills of 1927 in the following departments:

Town Office	\$60.80
Police Department	46.50
Fire Department	50.23

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Board of Health	19.00
Inspector of Animals	75.00
Inspector of Milk	25.00
Inspector of Slaughtering	112.50
Vital Statistics	.75
Street Lights	24.11
Infirmary	166.80
Outpoor	374.58

Schools:

Transportation	\$ 4.25	
General Expense	169.32	
Trade and C.	526.64	
	<hr/>	\$700.21

Water Department:

Maintenance	\$81.68	
Service Construction	21.50	
Joint	22.80	
	<hr/>	125.98
		<hr/> \$1,802.96

Article 8. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,186.27 to cover the following overdrafts:

Revenue, 1925	\$1,000.00	
Orchard St. Water Main Ext., 1926	69.01	
Auditors' Expenses, 1927	17.25	
Inspector of Animals, 1927	50.00	
Inspector of Slaughtering, 1927	50.00	
Schools—General Expense	.01	
	<hr/>	\$1,186.27

To be appropriated for Land Damage Acct. \$87.00

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Overpayments to be refunded:

Auditor's Salary	\$10.00	
Assessor's Salary	98.50	
	<hr/>	\$108.50

Article 9. To hear and act on the report of the Town Officers.

Article 10. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint a Special Police Officer or Officers to enforce the laws.

Article 11. To see what action the Town will take relative to abatement of taxes, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 12. To see if the Town will authorize the Tax Collector to use the same means which a Town Treasurer may use when acting as Tax Collector.

Article 13. To see what action the town will take in regard to the pay of town laborers and others hired by the day or hour.

Article 14. To hear and act on the report of any committee, and choose any committee the Town may think proper.

Article 15. To see what action the Town will take relative to establishing a Town Dump, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

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Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for repairs on Town Lock-up.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to revise and amend the Town By-laws.

MISCELLANEOUS

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 20, of Chapter 39, of the General Laws, and any laws of the Commonwealth amendatory or supplementary thereto, relative to establishing precinct voting for Town Officers at the Annual Town Election, and designate the hour of opening and closing the polls on election day, and designate a date when other matters than the election of Town Officers shall be considered.

Article 19. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money for professional services, to pay William J. Good.

Article 20. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money for professional services, to pay James H. Dunphy,

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$292.50 to pay for beacon at junction of North Main and Liberty Streets.

Article 22. To see if the Town will provide regulations for the Finance Committee, and raise and appropriate

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money for the expense of said committee, as petitioned for by Henry V. Morgan, Edward L. Dennehy and Joseph H. McMahon.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Assessors to publish in the Annual Town Report for 1928 the assessed valuation of real and personal property for 1926, 1927 and 1928, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Arthur C. Hayden, Timothy Lyons and W. Stanley Atherton.

Article 24. To see if the Town will purchase a new model Ford closed automobile, for use of the Police Department, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by John A. Forrest, Irving S. Hill and Joseph J. Dench, Jr.

Article 25. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to take any means in the power of the Town to get a reasonable reduction in the present exorbitant electric light rates, as petitioned for by William E. Hanson, Arthur R. Bowley, C. F. Wood, and others.

Article 26. To see what action the Town will take in adopting Section 6, Chapter 148, General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, pertaining to precautionary measures for the removal of fire menaces, as petitioned for by William E. Hanson, Fred P. Trofatter, H. S. Bussèy and others.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to unite and co-operate with the Trustees of the Stetson Fund in the remodeling of the first floor of the Stetson Hall Building,

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and raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$8,000 for the purpose, the Trustees of the Stetson Fund to contribute an equal share of the cost; the work to be performed under the direction of the Selectmen and Trustees of the Stetson Fund, as petitioned for by Joseph Belcher, Charles R. Kiley and James L. Lynch.

Article 28. To see what action the Town will take in regard to raising and appropriating money for the employment of a District Nurse, as provided for by Chapter 40, Section 5, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 371, Section 1, Acts of 1921.

Chapter 40, Section 5, G. L., "A town may at any town meeting appropriate money for the following purposes: . . . (21) For the employment of District or other Nurses; but not more than two thousand dollars shall be appropriated for such purpose in any year. Such appropriation may be expended by the Selectmen or by the Board of Health when so authorized by the Selectmen."

Chapter 371, Section 1, Acts of 1921. "Section five of Chapter forty of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out sub-section twenty-one and inserting in place thereof the following:

(21) For the employment of district or other nurses."

Article 29. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$600 necessary to complete the sanitation of the Tower Hill School, as petitioned for by Joseph Belcher, Frank N. French, H. W. Macauley and others.

Article 30. To see what action the Town will take

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relative to paying land damages on Canton, Chestnut, Centre, Old, Pond, West and Warren Streets, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 31. To see what action the Town will take toward establishing building or zoning laws or ordinances, as petitioned for by Helen M. Haney, Ellen A. Boyle, Anna M. Foley and others.

ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

Article 32. To see what action the Town will take in regard to rebuilding Union Street from Crawford Square to the Randolph-Holbrook Town Line, in conjunction with the County and State, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 33. To see what action the Town will take in regard to rebuilding Canton Street, in conjunction with the County and State, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 34. To see what action the Town will take relative to repairing Fowler Street, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$500 for the same, as petitioned for by Florence S. Roddan, Henry V. Morgan, James E. Foley and others.

Article 35. To see if the Town will rebuild that portion of Lafayette Street from the part already constructed to the junction of High and Lafayette Streets, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,200 for the same, as petitioned for by Chester L. Paine, Percy H. Paine, Frank N. French and others.

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Article 36. To see what action the Town will take relative to drainage at Belcher and Liberty Streets, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by George L. Frawley, Hugh F. McDonnell, H. Burton Mann and others.

Article 37. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000 for repairs on Chestnut Street, or what they will do about it, as petitioned for by John Stevenson, Dominic F. Diauto, James Hunter and others.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000, same to be used for the rebuilding of Silver Street from Warren to West Streets, as petitioned for by Jas. H. Meaney, Elizabeth J. Meaney, Catherine E. McMahon and others.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000 for the repair of Old Street from Canton to Main Streets, as petitioned for by William E. Hanson, Arthur Bowley, William Condon and others.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for repairs on Allen Street, as petitioned for by Arthur L. Mann, Estell F. Clark, Ralph R. Swallow and others.

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild and properly surface Highland Avenue, commencing at Fairmount Street, and extending southward one thousand (1,000) feet, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by George E. Pyne, Mrs. George E. Pyne, Albert Blomgren and others.

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Article 42. To see what action the Town will take relative to repairing Maple Street from South Main to South Streets, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500, as petitioned for by Charles R. Kiley, George A. Sullivan, Frank J. Sullivan and others.

Article 43. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate \$1,500 to complete road construction on Center St., as petitioned for by Leon E. Clifford, L. B. Sanborn, Earl A. Nelson and others.

Article 44. To see what action the Town will take in regard to repairing School Street from Main to Cottage Streets, and to raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by Timothy H. Mullins, Timothy Lyons, Alice A. Molloy and others.

Article 45. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate \$2,100 to complete road construction on South St., as petitioned for by Leon E. Clifford, L. B. Sanborn, Earl A. Nelson and others.

Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500, same to be used for the rebuilding of Highland Avenue in a northerly direction, starting at Fairmount Street, as petitioned for by Hugh Doyle, Elmer L. Burchell, Dominic Diauto and others.

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000 to be used for the purpose of rebuilding Fairmount Street, as petitioned for by Elmer Burchell, Hugh Doyle, Dominic Diauto and others.

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Article 48. We, the undersigned citizens of the Town of Randolph, Mass., ask the voters of the Town of Randolph to authorize the repairing and resurfacing of Allen Street between Main and Roel Streets, in said Town of Randolph, Mass. and raise and appropriate money therefor: Walter H. Billingham, William G. Billingham, L. H. Carpenter.

Article 49. To see if the Town will vote to repair or rebuild and widen Orchard Street, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Edmund Derocher, James P. Duffy, Joseph J. Duffey and others.

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to make High Street between Canton Street and the Metropolitan Park reservation, reasonably safe and convenient for travel by filling the holes and ruts thereon with cinders, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as provided for in Chapter 84, Section 1, and petitioned for by R. H. S. Cutting, E. L. Black, M. F. Agnew and others.

WATER EXTENSIONS

Article 51. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water main for a distance of 700 feet on Vesey Road, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by F. J. Driscoll, F. D. Driscoll, J. R. Teece and others.

Article 52. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water main on Allen Street, raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by George F. Sawyer, Roger Niles, Wesley Gardner and others.

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Article 53. To see if the Town will vote to connect the water main on Mill Street, from the dead end at the residence of Mrs. Nancy A. Gould to the dead end at the residence of Patrick Buckley, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Stephen J. Sullivan, Mrs. Alice M. Sullivan, Elizabeth J. Gould and others.

Article 54. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water main along Chestnut Street to the residence of John Stevenson, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by John Stevenson, Dominic Diauto, James Hunter and others.

Article 55. To see what action the Town will take relative to the extension of the water main 200 feet on Highland Avenue southerly from E. C. Young's Garage, and raise and appropriate money for same, as petitioned for by Martin E. Young, Fred Herrick, George A. Field and others.

Article 56. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water main on Abbey Street, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by E. L. McAuliffe and others.

ACCEPTANCE OF STREETS

Article 57. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a town way Pauline Street, so-called, as laid out by the Selectmen, as petitioned for by Frank Downes, Patrick J. Foley, F. W. Shultz and others.

Article 58. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a town way Stacy Street, so-called, as laid out by the Select-

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men, as petitioned for by R. A. Yates, Irving Black, Elmer Vaughn and others.

Article 59. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a town way, Abbey Street, so-called, as laid out by the Selectmen, as petitioned for by E. L. McAuliffe, C. H. Saunders, Richard Forrest and others.

Article 60. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a town way, Hall Street, so-called, as laid out by the Selectmen as petitioned for by Frank M. Downes, Herman Smith, Patrick J. Foley and others.

Article 61. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way Vesey Road, so called, as laid out by the Selectmen, as petitioned for by F. D. Driscoll, J. R. Teece, and others.

Article 62. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a town way, Emeline Street, so-called, as laid out by the Selectmen, as petitioned for by John N. Keefe, Margaret Larkin, Albert McPhail and others.

ELECTRIC LIGHT EXTENSIONS

Article 63. We, the undersigned citizens of the Town of Randolph, hereby petition to the Town of Randolph for four (4) White Way lights, same as is in front of the Randolph Savings Bank, starting at Randolph Square and going north along Main Street on easterly side, as far as Depot Street: Eugene L. McAuliffe, George F. Taylor and John H. Wren.

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Article 64. To see what action the Town will take relative to installing two (2) lights on Center Street, the westerly end thereof, near South Main Street, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by Walter J. Good, Henry V. Morgan, James E. Foley and others.

Article 65. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the necessary money for the installation of one (1) electric light on Center Street, between Union and Mill Streets, as petitioned for by Henry D. Harmon, George M. Mayo, John Pierce and others.

Article 66. To see if the Town will install a light in front of the factory at 31 West Street, and appropriate the sum of \$33 to pay for the same, as petitioned for by Mark B. Claff, S. Lloyd Claff and Carl A. Moeller.

Article 67. To see if the Town will install two (2) electric lights on Warren Street, between North Main Street and the railroad station, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$33 for the same, as petitioned for by Henry V. Morgan and others.

Article 68. To see what action the town will take relative to installing three (3) lights on Highland Avenue on the northely section thereof, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by Florence S. Roddan, David J. Good, Jr., George H. Brewster and others.

Article 69. To see if the Town will extend the street lighting system on Oak Street, by adding six (6) lights

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thereto, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by Warren Eaton, Harry A. Hopkins, Florence M. Pentleton and others.

Article 70. To see if the Town will vote to install five (5) street lights on Highland Avenue, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Edgar B. Cole, Dorothy H. Mason, Francis B. Thayer and others.

THE POLLS WILL BE OPEN FROM 5:45 O'CLOCK A. M., TO 2:00 O'CLOCK P. M., BUT MAY BE KEPT OPEN LONGER IF SO ORDERED BY THE VOTERS THEN PRESENT.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said Town seven days, at least, before the day and hour for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, on or before the day and hour appointed for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, this fifteenth day of February, A.D. 1927.

**RICHARD F. FOREST,
HAROLD W. MACAULEY,
WALTER F. STEPHENS,**
Selectmen of Randolph

A True Copy:

Attest:

PATRICK T. McDONNELL,
Constable

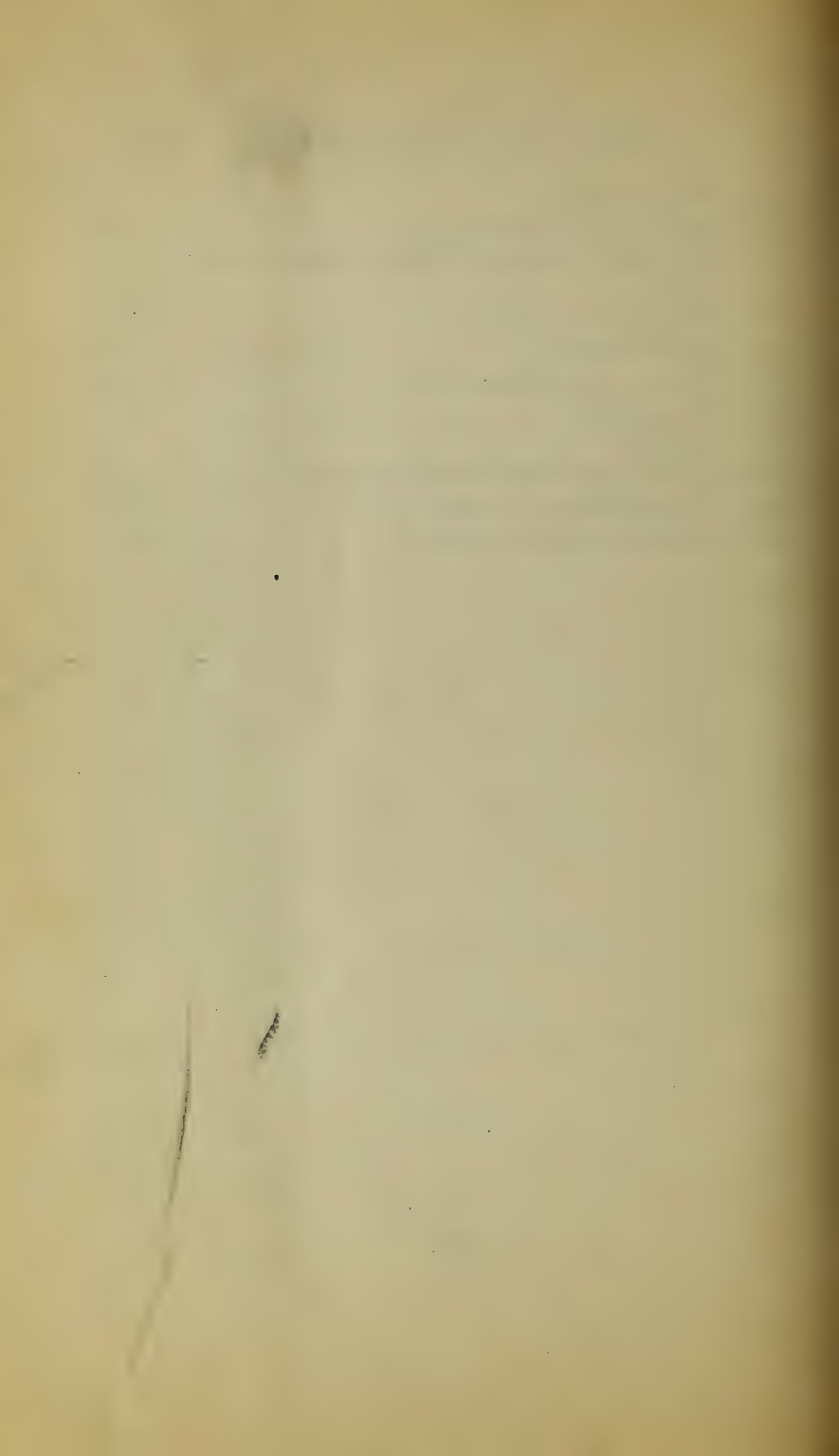
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For the Year Ending December 31,

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of the

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor, Assessors, School
Committee, Police Department, Engineers of the
Fire Department, Highway Surveyor, Board
of Health, Town Clerk, Tax Collector
and Town Treasurer

of the

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together with the reports of

The Trustees of the Stetson School Fund
The Trustees of the Turner Free Library
The Water Commisioners

and

The Town Accountant

For the

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1928

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TOWN OFFICERS, 1928

Elected

Moderator (elected annually)—James F. Kennedy.

Town Clerk and Treasurer (elected annually)—John B. McNeill.

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor (elected annually)
—James H. Hurley, Walter F. Stevens, Harold W. Macauley.

Assessors (elected for 3 years)—Frank F. Teed, term expires 1931; Henry V. Morgan, term expires 1929; Waldo E. Mann, term expires 1930.

School Committee (elected for 3 years)—Charles R. Kiley, term expires 1931; Joseph Belcher, term expires 1929; Jesse S. Beal, term expires 1930.

Trustees of Stetson School Fund (elected for 3 years)—Charles R. Kiley, term expires 1931; Joseph Belcher, term expires 1929; Jesse S. Beal, term expires 1930.

Water Commissioners (elected for 3 years)—John B. McNeill, term expires 1931; Richard F. Forrest, term expires 1929; Fred D. Driscoll, term expires 1930.

Tax Collector (elected annually)—Walter H. Lyons.

Highway Surveyor (elected annually)—James Lynch.

Tree Warden (elected annually)—John T. Moore.

Constables (elected annually)—Louis J. Courtney, Joseph

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J. Dench, Jr., John A. Forrest, Elmer P. Vaughn, Martin E. Young, George M. Brewster, William C. Mann.

Board of Health (by Section 1, Chapter 41, General Laws, the Selectmen act in this capacity).

Auditors (elected annually)—Raymond L. Mason, James V. Donovan, John H. Rudderham, Michael F. Cunningham.

Appointed by Moderator

Appropriation Committee (appointed annually)—Henry V. Morgan, Chairman; Martin E. Young, Secretary; William J. Good, Joseph Belcher, James P. Duffy, William J. O'Keefe, Weston L. Mann, Horace A. Mann, Walter F. Stephens.

Registrars of Voters (appointed for 3 years)—Joseph J. Dench, term expires 1930; Carlton B. Lyons, term expires 1929; John B. McNeill, Town Clerk ex officio; Walter L. Hickey, 1931.

Chief of Police—Patrick T. McDonnell.

Engineers of the Fire Department—Harold L. Bailey, Henry A. Dolan, Edmund J. Brady.

Forest Warden (appointed annually)—Henry A. Dolan.

Master of the Infirmary and keeper of the Pound (appointed annually)—John H. Marcille. Matron, Mrs. Stella Hughes.

Keeper of the Lock-up (appointed annually)—Timothy Kelleher.

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Special Police to serve without pay—William Mann, Percy Thomson, W. Stanley Atherton, Edmund J. Brady, George Frawley, Edward J. Dolan, William S. Condon; Frank M. Condon, Dog Officer; William Mahady, Leslie Gould, Allen B. Gould, Carl L. Macauley, Timothy Kelliher, Henry J. Mann, John R. Luddington, Elmer P. Vaughan, William Whitecross, Joseph J. Dench, James J. Dalton, Milton Police Dept., Francis T. Hanna, Milton Police Dept., E. Clifton Payne, Special Constable, E. Lawrence Payne, Special Constable, Michael Sullivan, Charles E. Hager, Dwight Boyd, James S. Foley, Robert A. Yates.

Special Police to serve in emergencies without expense to the town—Members of American Legion—Walter Billingham, Wm. E. Buck, M. D., C. Lloyd Claff, Leon Crothers, Wm. F. Cunningham, Frank L. Hand, George V. Higgins, M. D., Irving Hill, Francis G. Keith, Ellis H. Mann, Raymond L. Mason, Sumner G. Moody, Alfred W. Myrick, M. D., Harold B. Whitehouse, Wm. R. Yundt.

Fence Viewers—Frank C. Wales, Charles Truelson, William Mahady.

Surveyors of Wood and Bark—Robert E. O'Brien, Charles D. Hill, N. Frank Randall, Charles Truelson.

Field Drivers—John T. Wales, William H. Carroll, Lincoln Stetson, Frank H. Walsh.

Public Weighers—Michael Diauto, Clara Diauto, Dominick Diauto, Frank Esposito, M. E. Leahy, H. B. Mann, Ellen Reilly, Patrick Hoyer, John White, Dennis Murphy.

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Burial Agent for Board of Health—John B. McNeill.

Inspector of Animals—Charles Truelson.

Inspector of Slaughtering—William Clark.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—Daniel P. Lyons.

Moth Superintendent—John T. Moore.

Dog Officer—Frank M. Condon.

Inspector of Milk—William Mahady.

**Representative to General Court from 9th Norfolk
Representative District**

Everett C. Crane, Avon

**Representative to Congress from 14th Congressional
District**

Richard B. Wigglesworth of Milton.

Report of the Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING—1928

Randolph, March 5, 1928

Pursuant to a warrant issued by the Selectmen and dated February 15, 1928, duly posted by Patrick T. McDonnell, Constable, the Voters of Randolph assembled at Stetson Hall this fifth day of March, 1928.

Meeting was called to order by the Moderator, James E. Foley.

Warrant and Return were read by the Town Clerk.

The preliminaries of law having been complied with, the polls were declared open for the reception of ballots promptly at 5:45 A. M. and action taken as follows:

Article 1. To choose all such Town Officers as are required by law to be chosen by ballot, namely: a Moderator for one year; a Town Clerk for one year; a Town Treasurer for one year; three Selectmen and Overseers of the Public Welfare for one year; one member of School Committee for three years; one Trustee of Stetson School Fund for three years; one Water Commissioner for three years; a Collector of Taxes for one year; one Assessor for tree years; three Auditors for one year; one Tree Warden for one year; one Highway Surveyor for one year; seven Constables for one year.

VOTED that we proceed to ballot for all such Town Officers as are required by law to be chosen by ballot

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at the Annual Town Meeting, namely a Moderator for one year; a Town Clerk for one year; a Town Treasurer for one year; three Selectmen and Overseers of the Public Welfare for one year; one member of School Committee for three years; one Trustee of Stetson School Fund for three years; a Collector of Taxes for one year; one Assessor for three years; one Water Commissioner for three years; three Auditors for one year; one Tree Warden for one year; one Highway Surveyor for one year; seven Constables for one year.

That the polls be kept open until 2:00 P. M. and that no other article on the Warrant be acted on until after the close of the polls.

The following persons acted as Election Officers, and were duly sworn by the Town Clerk; Checkers, Herman W. French, S. Louise Campagna, Una C. Belcher, Julia F. Dolan, Helen Sullivan; Gate Officers, John E. Rudderham, Elmer F. Scott; Tellers, Elizabeth R. Cunningham, Annie E. Conlon, Elizabeth J. Gould, Richard P. Condon, Edmund K. Belcher, Hannah M. Foster, Ethel M. Stetson, Ralph Herrick, Edward T. Hand, Arthur W. Alden, Katherine Dolan, Alice M. Hadley, Joseph J. McMahon, Daniel J. Lyons, Alice G. Kelly, Charlotte A. Crothers, Fannie E. Knight, Agnes G. Fitzgerald, Joseph Belcher, Hugh McMahon, Frank J. Harkins, Anna J. Leahy, Robert A. Yates, George F. Sawyer, Alice Burchell; Tabulator, Olga C. Howard.

At 2:00 o'clock it was Voted that the polls close.

Article 2. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow

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money from time to time, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1928, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

VOTED unanimously that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1928, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article 3. To see if the Town will appoint the Selectmen to be the agents and attorneys of the Town, to prosecute, defend and compromise all suits in which the Town may in any manner be interested as a party or otherwise, except as far as the same relate in any manner to the water supply, and to employ counsel if necessary.

VOTED that the Selectmen be so appointed.

Article 4. To see if the Town will authorize and appoint the Water Commissioners to be the agents and attorneys of the Town, to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle all suits and proceedings in which the Town may be interested as a party or otherwise, so far as the same in any manner relates to the preserving, taking and use of the water of Great Pond, or to the construction of the water works, either jointly or separately, as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885, and to employ counsel if necessary.

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VOTED that the Water Commissioners be so authorized and appointed.

Under Article 5 it was voted that the sum of \$2,756.87 be raised and appropriated the same to be used by the School Committee in making the necessary repairs at the Belcher School Building. The above sum being the amount awarded by the Insurance Companies for the loss sustained at the recent fire.

VOTED that the remainder of Article 5 and all other Articles in the Warrant that have not been acted on be referred to the Finance Committee, said committee to report at an adjournment of this meeting to be held on Monday, March 26, 1928, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

VOTED that the action of the Moderator in confirming upon the Town Finance Committee the duties heretofore performed by the Appropriation Committee so-called, be approved and confirmed by this meeting.

The ballot box was closed at 9:15 o'clock when 756 were cast, at 12:00 o'clock when 1319 were cast and at 2:00 o'clock when 1832 were cast.

Names checked on list	1832
Ballots counted	1832
Ballot box registered	1832

The vote for Town Officers was as follows:

Moderator (1 Year)

James E. Foley	Seven hundred and seventy-seven	777
James F. Kennedy	Nine hundred and fifty-nine	959
Blanks	Ninety-six	96

Town Clerk (1 Year)

John B. McNeill	One thousand five hundred and eighty-eight	1588
Blanks	Two hundred and forty-three	243
Scattering	One	1

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Town Treasurer (1 Year)

John B. McNeill	One thousand five hundred and fifty-three	1553
Blanks	Two hundred and seventy-nine	279

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor (1 Year)

Jesse S. Beal	Seven hundred and forty-one	741
Richard F. Forrest	Six hundred and eighty	680
James H. Hurley	Eight hundred and seventy-four	874
Harold W. Macauley	One thousand one hundred and ninety-six	1196
Walter F. Stephens	One thousand and forty-six	1046
Scattering	One	1
Blanks	Nine hundred and fifty-eight	958

Assessor (3 years)

James E. Foley	Eight hundred and twenty-six	826
Frank F. Teed	Nine hundred and ten	910
Blanks	Ninety-six	96

Trustees Stetson School Fund (3 Years)

Charles R. Kiley	Eight hundred and eighty-two	882
William J. O'Keefe	Eight hundred and thirteen	813
Blanks	One hundred and thirty-seven	137

School Committee (3 Years)

Charles R. Kiley	Eight hundred and ninety-nine	899
William J. O'Keefe	Eight hundred and twenty-nine	829
Blanks	One hundred and four	104

Tax Collector (1 Year)

John A. Hoyer	Four hundred and forty-nine	449
Walter H. Lyons	One thousand three hundred and one	1301
Scattering	One	1
Blanks	Eighty-one	81

Water Commissioners (3 Years)

John B. MacNeill	One thousand five hundred forty-five	1545
Blanks	Two hundred and eighty-seven	287

Highway Surveyor (1 Year)

James Lynch	One thousand four hundred seven-three	1473
Blanks	Three hundred and fifty-nine	359

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Tree Warden (1 Year)

John T. Moore	One thousand four hundred and fifteen	1415
Blanks	Four hundred and seventeen	417

Auditors (1 Year)

Michael F. Cunningham	One thousand one hundred and forty-five	1145
James V. Donovan	One thousand and sixty-four	1064
James G. Heney	Seven hundred and eleven	711
Raymond L. Mason	Seven hundred and sixty-nine	769
S. William Swain	Six hundred and fifty-two	652
Blanks	One thousand one hundred and fifty-five	1155

Constables (1 Year)

George M. Brewster	One thousand and forty-seven	1047
Louis J. Courtney	Eight hundred and sixteen	816
Joseph J. Dench, Jr.	Nine hundred and sixty	960
Walter E. Farrell	Six hundred and thirty-six	636
John A. Forrest	One thousand and fifty-five	1055
George L. Frawley	Six hundred and fifteen	615
John R. Luddington	Six hundred and ninety-six	696
William E. Mann	One thousand and forty-six	1046
John J. Madden	Five hundred and thirty-three	533
Elmer P. Vaughn	Seven hundred and twenty-four	724
Martin E. Young	Nine hundred and seventy-eight	978
Blanks	Three thousand seven hundred eighteen	3718

Declaration of the result was announced at 4.40 o'clock P. M. Ballots used and unused, check list and tally sheets, were sealed in open meeting.

VOTED to adjourn to Monday, March 26, 1928, at 7.30 o'clock P. M.

Meeting adjourned at 5.10 o'clock P. M.

A True Record:

Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,

Town Clerk

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Randolph March 13, 1928.

Recount of the votes cast for School Committee at the Annual Town Meeting was held this evening at the Town Clerk's office by the Board of Registrars, assisted by Mrs. Olga C. Howard and Daniel P. Lyons, with the following result:

School Committee

Original Count, Kiley	899	O'Keefe	829	Blanks	104
Recount, Kiley	898	O'Keefe	830	Blanks	104

Trustees Stetson School Fund

Original Count, Kiley	882	O'Keefe	813	Blanks	137
Recount, Kiley	882	O'Keefe	811	Blanks	139

A True Copy: JOHN B McNEILL,

Attest: Town Clerk

Mr. John B. McNeill, Town Clerk,
Randolph, Mass.

Dear Mr. McNeill:

At a meeting of the Finance Committee and the Board of Selectmen, acting jointly on Wednesday Evening, March 7th, 1928, the following appointments were made to fill vacancies on the Finance Committee:

Mr. Weston L. Mann, to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. John B. Brennan.

Mr. C. Lloyd Claff, to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of Daniel G. Donovan.

Yours truly,

MARTIN E. YOUNG,
Secretary.

HENRY V. MORGAN,
Chairman.

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ANNUAL TOWN MEETING ADJOURNED

Randolph, March 26, 1928

The annual Town Meeting adjourned to this date was called to order at 7.45 o'clock P. M. by James F. Kennedy, Moderator. A printed report of the Finance Committee was placed in the hands of each voter in the hall and action taken as follows:

It was voted to raise and appropriate the following amounts.

General Government

Moderator		
Salary		\$50.00
Selectmen		
Salaries	\$650.00	
Expenses	700.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,350.00
Auditors		
Salaries	\$180.00	
Expenses	16.50	
	<hr/>	196.50
Accountant		
Salary	\$500.00	
Expenses	250.00	
	<hr/>	\$750.00
Treasurer		
Salary	\$900.00	
Expenses (including premium on bond)	275.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,175.00
Tax Collector		
Salary in form of Commis-		

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sion of 1¼% on Collec-		
tions (Est)	\$2,250.00	
Expenses including		
Premium Bond	\$250.00	
Other Expenses	200.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,700.00
Assessors		
Salaries	\$1,500.00	
Expenses	475.00	
Town Plans and Maps	1,000.00	
Special Set of Books for 1928		
Tax Commissioner	250.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,225.00
Law Department		
Expense	\$500.00	
Rosetti Case	400.00	
Article 19	377.70	
	<hr/>	\$1,277.70
Town Clerk		
Salary	\$1,100.00	
Expense	100.00	
Printing Report of State Audit	300.00	
Vital Statistics	375.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,875.00
Election and Registration		
Salaries of Registrars	\$150.00	
Expense of Election	1,100.00	
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Town Office		
Expense		\$800.00

Protection of Property

Police Department

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Salary	\$2,000.00	
Expense — including Special		
Police	800.00	
Expense Operating Lockup	200.00	
Article 16—Repair Lockup	300.00	
Article 21—Beacon at Liberty		
and No. Main Sts.	292.50	
Article 24—New Closed Ford		
Automobile	400.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,992.50
Fire Department		
Salary—Driver of Trucks		\$1,800.00
Salary—Engineers	300.00	
Salary—Spare Driver	329.00	
Salaries—Fifteen Firemen at		
\$75.00 each as full com-		
pensation	1,125.00	
Equipment		
2 sets double couplings	\$50.00	
New Hose	825.00	
Rubber Boots	56.00	
Coats	75.00	
General Expenses	800.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,360.00
Forest Fires		
Expenses		\$800.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures		
Salary	\$150.00	
Expenses	25.00	
	<hr/>	\$175.00
Moth Extermination		
Expenses		\$750.00
Tree Warden		

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Salary	\$250.00	
Expenses	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$750.00

Health and Sanitation

Health Department	\$3,500.00	
Inspector of Animals—Salary	50.00	
Inspector of Milk—Salary	50.00	
Inspector of Slaughtering—Salary	100.00	
Dog Officer—Salary	100.00	
Employment of Health Nurse— Article 28	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,800.00

Highways

Highway Surveyor		
Salary		\$1,500.00
General Maintenance		10,000.00
For side walks	5,000.00	
Of this amount \$2,500.00 to be expended in the North End of the Town and \$2,500 to be expended in the South End of the Town.		

Article 32, Union St., see Special Vote under article.

Article 33, Canton St., see Special Vote under article.

Article 34, Fowler St. \$500.00

Article 35, Lafayette St. 1,200.00

Article 37, Chestnut St., to begin at point where
the previous year's repairs ended 1,000.00

Article 38, Silver St. 1,000.00

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Articles 40 and 48, Allen St., to be expended only after competent engineering advice has been obtained	1,000.00
Article 41, Highland Ave., in a southerly direction from Fairmount Street	1,000.00
Article 42, Maple St.	1,000.00
Article 43, Center St., the westerly section thereof beginning at the Ice House Road and extending westerly toward So. Main Street.	800.00
Article 44, School St.	500.00
Article 47, Fairmount St.	500.00
Article 49, Orchard St., beginning at the residence of James P. Duffy and extending in a northeasterly direction toward Oak Street, and also the removal of ledge opposite the estate formerly of one Clark.	600.00
Article 50, High St.	\$1,000.00
Article 57, Pauline St. to construct road beginning at the westerly line of No. Main and continuing to a point twenty-five feet west of the westerly line of school house.	500.00
Article 60, Hall St.	1,000.00
Article 62, Emeline St.	700.00

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Snow Removal	1,500.00
Street Lighting	

Present Schedule—Extensions and Additions of Street lighting system	\$6,737.24
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Article 63, White Way on No. Main St., consisting of six additional White Way lights to be in- stalled between Crawford Square and Warren St., being installed at street intersec- tions where possible	\$665.00
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Article 64, Centre St.	33.00
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Article 66, West St.	33.00
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Article 67, Warren St.	33.00
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Article 68, Highland Ave.	49.50
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Article 69, Oak St.	99.00
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Article 70, Highland Ave.	66.00
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	\$7,715.74
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	\$33,015.74
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Charities' and Soldiers' Benefits

Almshouse

Salaries and expenses	\$4,200.00
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Outside Relief

Including poor out of alms- house and Mother's Aid	4,500.00
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State Aid	720.00
Military Aid	800.00
Soldiers' Relief	1,500.00
	————— \$11,720.00

Schools

Stetson High School Teaching	\$16,750.00
Teaching Grammar Schools	35,000.00
Fuel	3,500.00
Books and Supplies	4,500.00
Care of Rooms	4,500.00
Transportation	3,700.00
Supt. of Schools	1,400.00
School Physician	100.00
School Nurse	1,250.00
Continuation School and Trade School	3,500.00
General Expenses	3,500.00
Equipment	2,000.00
School Committee Expenses	100.00
New Floors, Belcher School	500.00
School Committee's Salary	300.00
Article 29—Tower Hill School	600.00
Changes ordered by State Dept. at Prescott Building	500.00
	————— \$81,700.00

Repairs

Repairs on Turner Free Library Building	\$450.00
Memorial Day Expenses	300.00
Care of Clock in Congregational Church	20.00
Printing and Distributing Annual Town Reports	818.00

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Claims—Land Damages to be appropriated but not raised by taxation.

Canton St.	\$232.00	
Chestnut St.	420.00	
Old St.	99.00	
West St.	200.50	
Warren St.	305.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,256.50
Insurance		\$2,200.00

State and County Taxes Estimated

State Tax	\$8,040.00	
State Highway Tax	742.00	
County Tax	6,705.08	
	<hr/>	\$15,487.08

Public Enterprises

Water Department

Salary of Superintendent	\$2,000.00	
Maintenance	4,000.00	
Joint Account	3,637.18	
New Ford Truck	560.00	
Service Construction	2,000.00	
Salaries of Commissioners	375.00	
New Construction		
Article 52, Allen St.	1,500.00	
Article 55, Highland Ave.	600.00	
Article 56, Abby St.	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$15,672.18

Maturing Debt and Interest

Maturing Debt	\$16,000.00	
Interest	9,000.00	
	<hr/>	25,000.00

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VOTED that the following sums be appropriated from the account classified as "Unexpended Balances and Deficiency."

Assessors—Printing Poll

Tax List \$324.34

Water Dept.—Patrolling

Great Pond 433.00

\$757.34

At 10:30 P. M. it was voted that this meeting adjourn until Monday evening, April 2, 1928 at 7:45 P. M.

A True Copy

JOHN B. McNEILL,

Attest

Town Clerk.

Randolph, Mass.,

March 10, 1928.

I hereby assign to the town of Randolph the balance of my salary as Selectman to the amount of \$34.70.

ERSKINE H. COX.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING ADJOURNED

Randolph, Mass.,

April 2, 1928.

The Annual Town Meeting adjourned to this date was called to order at 8:00 o'clock P. M. by the Moderator, James F. Kennedy, and the following business was transacted.

It was Voted that that part of Article 5 applying to the Town Accountant be reopened and after debating it was Voted that further action be indefinitely postponed.

On motion the Police Department in Article 5 was reopened and it was voted that \$400. additional appropria-

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tion be made for Special Police making the total appropriation for Special Police \$1,200.

Article 6. Under this article it was Voted to raise and appropriate \$2,000.00 for the Reserve account.

Article 7. Under Article 7 it was Voted to raise and appropriate \$1,568.96 which included all the items asked for except Inspector of Animals, \$75.00, Inspector of Milk \$25.00 and Inspector of Slaughtering \$112.50.

Article 8. Under Article 8 it was voted that \$86.27 be raised and appropriated and that \$1,000 be taken from Surplus revenue.

Article 10. Under Article 10 it was Voted that the Selectmen be instructed to appoint Special Police Officer or Officers to enforce the Laws. At this time it was Voted that that part of Article 5 pertaining to Fire Department be reconsidered. It was Voted to raise and appropriate \$200 additional to the general expense of the Fire Department making a total General Expense \$1000 and \$200 additional for Fire Alarm on North Street.

Article 11. No action need be taken by the Town under this Article as the laws of the Commonwealth provide that abated taxes be provided for through the overlay.

Article 12. Under this article there was no action taken as the same condition prevails as under article 11.

Article 13. VOTED that ordinary laborers employed by the Town receive \$.60 an hour for such labor, and that

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the compensation for the use of horses employed for the Town be \$.40 an hour except when used on snow plow or road scraper, when such compensation shall be at the rate of \$.50 an hour. And that none but citizens be employed in any department.

Article 14. The Lighting Committee reported through Mr. James H. Hurley. It was Voted that the report be accepted as progressive and a vote of thanks be extended to the Committee and the Committee be retained.

Article 15. VOTED that a committee of three consisting of members of Board of Health investigate and report to a subsequent Town Meeting to propose location of a Town Dump and the estimated cost thereof.

Article 16. Provided for under Article 5.

Article 17. VOTED that action of this Article be referred to a Committee of five, consisting of three members of Board of Selectmen and two other members to be selected by the Selectmen, that said Committee report at a subsequent Town Meeting setting forth the Town By-laws in force with a proposed list of Amendments and additions thereto. VOTED that the Finance Committee be authorized and empowered to assume and perform the duties heretofore performed by the Appropriation Committee.

Article 18. VOTED that the Town accept Section 20 of Chapter 390 of the General Laws relative to the establishing of precinct voting for Town Officers at the Annual Town Election. That in accordance with a vote passed at the Annual Town Meeting of a previous year the Selectmen be instructed to designate a date for the con-

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sideration of appropriations and matters other than the election of Town Officers which shall be prior to the date set for the election of Town Officers.

Article 19. Provided for under Article 5.

Article 20. VOTED that action under this Article be postponed until the Town receives further information concerning the services rendered and the invoice submitted.

Article 21. Provided for under Article 5.

Article 22. Under this article it was voted that the sum of \$175 be raised and appropriated to cover the expense of the Finance Committee.

Article 23. It was Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 24. Provided for under Article 5.

Article 25. VOTED to refer action to Existing Light and Power Investigating Committee and the Selectmen.

Article 26. Voted that Section 6 of Chapter 148 of General Laws pertaining to the removal of Fire Menaces be accepted and adopted.

Article 27. VOTED that the sum of \$16,000 be provided and appropriated for said purpose as follows: \$8,000 from the income of the Stetson School Fund to be contributed by the Trustees of the Stetson School Fund, the remaining \$8,000 to be appropriated from the account classified by the Town Accountant as unexpended bal-

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ances and deficiency, said repairs to be made under the direction of the Trustees of Stetson High School and Selectmen.

Article 28. Provided for under Article 5.

Article 29. Provided for under Article 5.

Article 30. Voted that the sum of \$5,624 be raised and appropriated to pay Land Damages on Pond Street and that \$16 be raised and appropriated to pay Land Damages on Centre Street.

Article 31. Under this article the following Committee was appointed. Helen M. Haney, Edgar B. Cole, Frank D. McCarthy, Orrin E. Reynolds and Robert A. Yates.

The meeting adjourned at 11:30 o'clock P. M. This meeting was adjourned until April 10, at 7:45 P. M.

True Copy:

JOHN B. McNEILL,

Attest:

Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING.

Randolph, Mass., April 10, 1928.

The Annual Town Meeting adjourned to this date was called to order at 8:00 o'clock P. M. and the following business transacted:

VOTED that the sum of \$750 be raised and appropriated for the Town Accountant; \$500 for salary and \$250 for expenses.

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VOTED that the \$5,000 appropriated for sidewalks be rescinded.

Article 32. VOTED unanimously that we rebuild Union Street from Crawford Square to the Randolph and Holbrook line, installing a bituminous macadam or other permanent roadway, provided the Massachusetts Department of Public Works and the Norfolk County Commissioners contribute two-thirds of the cost thereof, said road to be constructed according to specifications approved by and under the supervision of said Massachusetts Department of Public Works and said County Commissioners, and that the sum of \$36,000.00 be appropriated, and provided for as follows:

Massachusetts Dept. of Public Works	\$12,000.00
Norfolk County Commissioners	\$12,000.00

Town of Randolph \$12,000.00 of which the sum of \$2,000.00 shall be raised by taxation in the year 1928 and the sum of \$10,000.00 shall be raised by the issuance of notes of the Town of Randolph payable in accordance with provisions of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of such times and in such amounts as the Selectmen and the Town Treasurer may determine, so that, however, the whole shall be paid in not more than five years from the date of issue, and that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized and empowered to borrow said sum of \$10,000.00 and issue notes of the Town therefor.

Article 33. VOTED unanimously that we rebuild Canton Street, installing a bituminous macadam or other permanent roadway, provided the Massachusetts Depart-

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ment of Public Works and the Norfolk County Commissioners contribute two-thirds of the cost thereof, said road to be constructed according to specifications approved by and under the supervision of said Massachusetts Department of Public Works and said County Commissioners, and that the sum of \$7,500.00 be appropriated and provided for as follows:

Massachusetts Dept. of Public Works	\$2,500.00
Norfolk County Commissioners	\$2,500.00

Town of Randolph \$2,500.00 to be raised by direct taxation in the year 1928.

Article 36. Under this article it was Voted to refer this article to the Highway Surveyor for action.

Article 39. VOTED to refer this article to Highway Surveyor for action.

Article 43. VOTED that \$800 be raised and appropriated to complete Road Construction on Centre Street between Union Street and Mill Street.

Article 45. Under this Article it was Voted to refer to the Annual Town Meeting of 1929.

Article 46. It was Voted that this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 51. VOTED unanimously that the Water Commissioners be instructed to install the Water Main 700 ft. on Vesey Road easterly from Main Street and that \$2,100 be appropriated for the purpose, \$1,100 of this amount to be raised by taxation this year and that \$1,000

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be borrowed and that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to issue a note or notes on the Town therefor in accordance with the provision of Chapter 44 of the General Laws.

Article 53. VOTED that the water main be extended on Mill Street, a distance of 700 feet, in a westerly direction from the dead end at the residence of Mr. James Hurley, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,100.00 therefor.

Article 56. VOTED unanimously that the Water Commissioners be instructed to lay the Water Main along Abby Street 700 ft. in a southerly direction from West Street and that the sum of \$2,000 be appropriated for that purpose, \$1,000 to be raised by taxation this year and that \$1,000 be borrowed and that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to issue a note or notes of the Town therefor in accordance with the provision of the Chapter 44 of the General Laws.

Article 57. VOTED that Pauline Street be accepted as laid out by the Selectmen, providing that all persons having any claims for land damage arising out of taking and construction of same waive their right of damage within three months from this date.

Article 58. Voted that Stacy Street, so called, be accepted as laid out by the Selectmen, providing that all persons having any claims for land damage arising out of taking and construction of same waive their right to damages within three months from date. VOTED that

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the sum of \$3,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the **construction of Stacy Street**. VOTED unanimously that the Water Commissioners be instructed to install the water mains along Stacy Street in a westerly direction **from Main Street a distance of 1680 feet** and that there be appropriated \$5000 for that purpose and that said amount of \$5000 be borrowed and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to issue a note or notes therefor; all in accordance with Chapter 44 of the General Laws and amendments thereof, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than five years from the issue of the first note or at such earlier time as the Selectmen and the Treasurer may determine.

Article 59. VOTED that Abby Street be accepted as a town way as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 60. VOTED that the Town accept Hall Street so called as laid out by the Selectmen providing that all persons having any claim for land damage arising out of taking and construction of same waive their right to damage within three months from this date.

Article 61. VOTED that the town accept Vesey Road so-called as laid out by the Selectmen, providing that all persons having any claim for land damage arising out of taking and construction of same waive their right to damage within three months from this date, and that the street shall be built by the petitioners.

Article 62. VOTED that the town accept Emeline Street so-called as laid out by the Selectmen, providing that all persons having any claim for land damage arising

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out of taking and construction of same waive their right to damage within three months from this date.

Article 65. VOTED that \$16.50 be raised and appropriated for one electric light on Centre Street between Union Street and Mill Street.

Article 14. VOTED that the Moderator appoint a committee of three, one to be an engineer of the Fire Department, one an insurance man and the third a business man of the town, this committee to confer with the Board of Underwriters for the purpose of determining the need and requirements of the Randolph Fire Department for the proper protection of the Town. This committee to report at the next town meeting or at any special town meeting that may be called by the Board of Selectmen. Committee appointed: Joseph T. Leahy, Stanley W. Atherton, Harold L. Bailey.

Article 31. VOTED that a committee of five be appointed by the Moderator to consider and recommend action on Building, Zoning, Planning, Board of Surveys and Bill Board laws to report at a future town meeting. Committee appointed: Helen M. Haney, Edgar B. Cole, Frank D. McCarthy, Orrin E. Reynolds, and Robert A. Yates.

Article 9. VOTED that action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

The moderator made the following statement:

I direct that the \$50.00 salary of Moderator be returned to and held by the Town Treasurer and be known as the "Playground Fund," until by gift or addition it shall amount to \$1,000.

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The income annually derived from said principal sum thereafter shall be applied to the maintenance of children's playgrounds, or to the purchase of equipment therefor, in such places as the School Committee may direct as provided for under Chapter 45, Section 14 to 16 of the General Laws.

(Signed) JAMES F. KENNEDY,
Moderator

VOTED that this meeting be now dissolved.

Meeting dissolved at 10:10 o'clock P. M.

A True Record: JOHN B. McNEILL,
Attest: Town Clerk

Randolph, April 13, 1928.

To the Town Clerk:

Under the By-law creating the Finance Committee approved by the Attorney General September 28, 1927, I appoint to the Finance Committee for 1928 for a term of three years: William J. O'Keefe, West St., Arthur L. Mann, Mt. Pleasant Square, James P. Duffy, Orchard Street.

(Signed) James F. KENNEDY,
Moderator

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARIES, 1928

Randolph, April 24, 1928.

Pursuant to a warrant issued by the Selectmen, dated April 9, 1928, duly posted by Patrick T. McDonnell, Constable, the Voters of Randolph assembled at Stetson Hall this twenty-fourth day of April, 1928.

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The Warrant and Return were read by Mr. James H. Hurley, Selectman. The following named persons acted as Election Officers, sworn by the Town Clerk: John A. Hoye, Helen T. Sullivan, Una C. Belcher, Daniel P. Lyons, Herman H. Smith, John E. Rudderham, Walter P. Stetson, Elizabeth J. Gould, Joseph H. McMahon, Olga C. Howard.

The ballot box was opened at 5 P. M. registering 66
 The ballot box was opened at 6:40 P. M. registering 109
 The ballot box was opened at 7:30 P. M. registering 202
 The ballot box was opened at 8 P. M. registering 263

At 8 o'clock the polls were declared closed; the ballots were sorted and counted with the following result:

Total number of votes cast	263
Ballot Box Register	263
Names checked on Voting Lists	263
Democratic 175; Republican 88; Total	263

Republican Delegates at Large

William M. Butler	Seventy-one	71
Fred H. Gillett	Sixty-nine	69
Channing H. Cox	Sixty-six	66
Eben S. Draper	Sixty-eight	68
Pauline R. Thayer	Fifty-five	55
Minnie R. Dwight	Forty-seven	47
Grace H. Bagley	Forty-eight	48
Frederick L. Anderson	Thirty-seven	37
Blanks	One hundred and fifty-five	155

Alternates Delegates at Large

Louis M. Williams	Sixty-one	61
Mary Pratt Potter	Fifty-nine	59
Eliot Wadsworth	Sixty-six	66
Frederick H. Prince	Sixty-four	64

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Butler Ames	Sixty-seven	67
Edwin F. Leonard	Fifty-seven	57
Raoul H. Beaudreau	Fifty-one	51
Blanks	One hundred and ninety-one	191

District Delegates, 14th District

Harold C. Keith	Seventy-one	71
Clarence R. Edwards	Sixty-eight	68
Blanks	Thirty-seven	37

Alternate District Delegates

Jesse B. Baxter	Sixty-four	64
Perley E. Barbour	Sixty	60
Blanks	Fifty-two	52

Democratic Delegates at Large

David I. Walsh	One hundred and fifty-five	155
James M. Curley	One hundred and forty-seven	147
Andrew J. Peters	One hundred and nine	109
Charles H. Cole	One hundred and eleven	111
Joseph B. Ely	One hundred and three	103
Helen A. MacDonald	One hundred and fifteen	115
William J. Foley	One hundred and seventeen	117
Edward J. Kelley	One hundred and thirteen	113
Lawrence F. Quigley	Twenty-two	22
Blanks	Four hundred and eight	408

Alternates Delegates at Large

Charles H. McGlue	One hundred	100
Strabo V. Claggett	Eighty-nine	89
Joseph Santosuosso	Ninety-one	91
Bernard M. Wolf	Ninety	90
Elizabeth C. McNerney	Ninety-three	93
Dorothy Whipple Fry	Eighty-six	86
James A. Donovan	One hundred and six	106
Raymond V. McNamara	Ninety-eight	98
Blanks	Six hundred and forty-seven	647

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District Delegates, 14th District

George F. Aherne	Sixty	60
Elizabeth Gormley	Fifty-nine	59
Arthur A. Hendrick	One hundred and fifteen	115
Edward J. Megley	One hundred and seventeen	117
William H. Powers	Forty-nine	49
John J. Whalen	Thirty-two	32
Charles F. Riordan	Twenty-six	26
Kathleen E. Kiggen	Thirty	30
Blanks	Two hundred and twelve	212

Alternate District, Delegates 14th District

Thomas H. Buckley	Eighty-six	86
Francis X. Bruton	Thirty-one	31
William P. Nickerson	Twenty-three	23
John H. Moran	Forty-nine	49
John J. Hickey	Fifty	50
Joseph F. Golden	Thirty-eight	38
John J. Gallagher	Forty-nine	49
Helen M. Haney	One hundred and two	102
Blanks	Two hundred and seventy-two	272

Republican Presidential Preference

Herbert Hoover	Sixty-three	63
Calvin Coolidge	Eleven	11
James Reed	One	1
Charles Hughes	One	1

Democratic Presidential Preference

Gov. A. E. Smith	Forty	40
Alfred E. Smith	Ninety-eight	98

Ballots used and unused were sealed in open meeting.

Declaration of the result was made at nine-thirty o'clock P. M. Returns were made to the Secretary of

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State and the meeting dissolved. Meeting dissolved at 9:35 P. M.

A true record, Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

Randolph, May 23, 1928.

To the Town Clerk:

As required by vote at the Annual Town Meeting 1928 to appoint a Committee of three "to confer with the Board of Underwriters for the purpose of determining the needs and requirements of the town for proper fire protection"; I appoint the following: Joseph T. Leahy, Stanley W. Atherton, Harold L. Bailey.

(Signed) JAMES F. KENNEDY,
Moderator

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Randolph, Mass., June 18, 1928.

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant, the voters of Randolph assembled at Stetson Hall, this eighteenth day of June, 1928.

The meeting was called to order at 9 o'clock P. M. by James F. Kennedy, Moderator. The Moderator stated that apparently there was not a quorum present to do business, and it was Voted that this meeting adjourn to meet on Monday, July 2, 1928 at eight o'clock at the North Randolph Improvement Association Hall.

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Meeting adjourned 9.10 o'clock P. M.

A True Record, Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING (ADJOURNED)

Randolph, Mass., July 2, 1928

Pursuant to an adjournment of the Special Town Meeting called for June the 18th, 1928 and adjourned to this date, the Voters of Randolph assembled this July 2nd at the North Randolph Improvement Association Hall.

The meeting was called to order at 8.45 o'clock P. M. by the Moderator. The voting list was used; each voter's name being checked off as they came into the hall.

Checkers: Alice V. Reilly and Alice B. Burchell.

At the opening of the meeting the checkers announced 129 Voters present.

It was Voted that a recess be taken of fifteen minutes.

The meeting was called to order again at twenty-minutes past nine o'clock when 169 names had been checked. At 9.35 P. M., 173 names had been checked off the Voting List. The Moderator announced that there was very little prospect of a quorum being present and he awaited any motion that might be made.

It was Voted that this meeting adjourn to July the 18th, 1928 at 8.15 o'clock P. M., at Stetson High School.

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The meeting adjourned at 9.40 o'clock P. M.

A True Record, Attest:

John B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING ADJOURNED

Randolph, July 18, 1928.

Pursuant to a special Town Meeting called for June 18, 1928 and adjourned to July 2 at North Randolph Improvement Association Hall and further adjourned to Stetson High Hall, was called to order this 18th day of July at eight thirty o'clock P. M., and the following business transacted.

The Moderator stated that it was evident there was not a quorum present and action could not be taken on any articles in the warrant.

VOTED that this meeting be dissolved.

Meeting dissolved at 8.31 o'clock P. M.

A True Record:
Attest: JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

STATE PRIMARY ELECTION, 1928

Randolph, September 18, 1928.

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the voters of Randolph met in Stetson Hall, Precinct No. 1 and at the North Randolph Improvement Association, Precinct No. 2. The ballot boxes and ballots and all the election paraphernalia were delivered to the Wardens

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of each Precinct by the Town Clerk and receipts taken for same. The ballot boxes and election paraphernalia were returned to the Town Clerk, also the ballots used and unused, sealed up. The returns from both Precincts were delivered to the Town Clerk at 1.15 on the morning of Sept. 19th. The returns were tabulated and announcement was made of the result at 1.45 A. M. In Precinct No. 1 there were 884 votes cast, 648 Republican and 236 Democratic. In Precinct No. 2 there were 189 votes cast, 127 Republican and 42 Democrats, making total vote in town 1,073.

GOVERNOR

		P. No. 1	P. No. 2	Total
Frank G. Allen	R.	388	58	446
Frank A. Goodwin	R.	224	62	286
Blanks		36	7	43
Charles H. Cole	D.	183	36	219
John J. Cummings	D.	33	15	48
Blanks		20	8	28
Frank A. Goodwin	D.		3	3

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

George A. Bacon	R.	14	6	20
Charles L. Burrill	R.	50	19	69
Pehr. G. Holmes	R.	27	4	31
John C. Hull	R.	157	15	172
Robert M. Leach	R.	65	32	97
Wyecliffe C. Marshall	R.	12	2	14
John H. Sherburne	R.	56	4	60
Willaim S. Youngman	R.	151	27	178
Blanks		116	18	134
John F. Malley	D.	128	38	166

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Charles S. Murphy	D.	63	13	76
John C. Hull	D.		1	1
Charles L. Burill			1	1
Blanks		45	9	54

SECRETARY

Frederick W. Cook	R.	487	99	586
Blanks		161	28	189
Joseph Santosuosso	D.	147	46	193
Frederick Cook			1	1
Blanks		89	15	104

TREASURER

Fred J. Burrell	R.	215	58	273
John W. Haigis	R.	93	19	112
J. Ernest Kerr	R.	72	13	85
Russell A. Wood	R.	113	12	125
Blanks		155	25	180
James P. Bergin	D.	105	39	144
Daniel England	D.	43	7	50
Blanks		88	16	104

AUDITOR

Dwight L. Allison	R.	21	11	32
Julia B. Buxton	R.	18	3	21
Roland H. Choate	R.	170	34	204
Alonzo B. Cook	R.	228	48	276
Harvey F. Frost	R.	15	1	16
Roswell F. Phelps	R.	52	1	53
Blanks		144	29	173
Strabo V. Claggett	D.	62	13	75
Irving Lewis	D.	9	11	20
Francis J. O'Gorman	D.	102	26	128

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Alonzo B. Cook	D.		1	1
Blanks		63	11	74

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Clarence A. Barnes	R.	183	40	223
Joseph E. Warner	R.	333	68	401
Blanks		132	19	151
Edward P. Barry	D.	171	43	214
William R. Scharton	D.	24	5	29
Blanks		41	14	55

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Butler Ames	R.	100	31	131
Eben S Draper	R.	234	52	286
Benjamin L. Young	R.	206	28	234
David I. Walsh	R.	1		1
Blanks		107	16	123
David I. Walsh	D.	218	55	273
Blanks		18	7	25

CONGRESSMAN

Richard B. Wigglesworth	R.	457	99	556
Joseph Sager	R.	1		1
Blanks		190	28	218
Christopher M. Clifford	D.	172	45	217
Wigglesworth	D.			1
Blanks		64	16	80

COUNCILLOR

Chester I. Campbell	R.	429	88	517
Blanks		219	39	258
James E. Foley	D.	1		1
Chester Campbell	D.		1	1
Blanks		235	61	296

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SENATOR—NORFOLK DISTRICT

Henry L. Kincaide	R.	475	90	565
Blanks		173	37	210
Henry L. Kincaide	D.		1	1
Blanks		236	61	297

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

Everett C. Crane	R.	425	76	501
Edwin C. Luna	R.	109	25	134
Blanks		114	26	140
Henry V. Morgan	D.	179	44	223
Timothy Clifford	D.	2		2
Edward Luna	D.	1		1
Blanks		54	18	72

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS—NORFOLK

Nathan Ames	R.	37	12	49
Russell T. Bates	R.	35	15	50
Wm. M. Edmonton	R.	36	3	39
George H. Eggleton	R.	14	9	23
Ernest H. Gilbert	R.	65	7	72
Edward W. Hunt	R.	100	18	118
George Peirce	R.	15	4	19
Lawrence F. Power	R.	9	2	11
Walter F. Stephens	R.	579	104	683
Arthur F. Young	R.	31	6	37
Blanks		375	74	449
Warren J. Sweet	D.	103	33	136
Walter F. Stephens	D.	41	20	61
James E. Foley	D.	1		1
Blanks		327	71	398

CLERK OF COURTS—NORFOLK

Robert B. Worthington	R.	460	94	554
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Blanks		188	33	221
Blanks	D.	236	62	298

REGISTER OF DEEDS—NORFOLK

Walter W. Chambers	R.	459	92	551
Blanks		189	35	224
Blanks	D.	236	62	298

ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONER—NORFOLK (to fill vacancy)

Arthur G. Chapman	R.	192	48	240
Frederick H. Lutz	R.	236	39	275
Harry B. Taplin	R.	30	6	36
Blanks		190	34	224
Blanks	D.	236	62	298

STATE COMMITTEE—NORFOLK DISTRICT

Walter F. Stephens	R.	394	83	477
Blanks		254	44	298
Timothy F. Desmond	D.	99	36	135
Blanks		137	26	163

DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION

Edgar B. Cole	R.	442	87	529
Arthur L. Mann	R.	438	88	526
Walter F. Stephens	R.	556	110	666
Frederick J. Driscoll	R.	433	84	517
Blanks		723	139	862
James E. Foley	D.	163	46	209
Daniel G. Donovan	D.	163	46	209
Edward T. Hand	D.	140	42	182
Wm. F. Cunningham	D.	164	43	207
David J. Good, Jr.	D.	148	45	193
Patrick J. Foley	D.	138	42	180
James H. Hurley	D.	154	50	204

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John J. Madden	D.	133	48	181
Henry V. Morgan	D.	166	42	208
Michael J. McSweeney	D.	154	42	196
Blanks		837	174	1011

FOR TOWN COMMITTEE

Edgar B. Cole	R.	440	81	521
Arthur L. Mann	R.	440	80	520
Harold W. Macauley	R.	440	87	527
Benjamin P. Crowell	R.	394	74	468
William S. Condon	R.	379	86	465
F. J. Driscoll	R.	403	80	483
Henry J. Mann	R.	389	79	468
Waldo E. Niles	R.	375	75	450
Leon E. Clifford	R.	384	71	455
Roger T. Perkins	R.	399	74	473
Herman H. Smith	R.	383	84	467
Arthur C. Hayden	R.	400	75	475
S. William Swain	R.	405	78	483
John T. Trefry	R.	376	88	464
W. F. Stephens	R.		1	1
Harry Issac	R.	1		1
George Eddy	R.	1		1
Chas Dyer	R.	1		1
Leslie Gould	R.	1		1
Allen Gould	R.	2		2
Frank Randall	R.	1		1
William Lowee	R.	1		1
T. Clifford	R.	1		1
Blanks		4,104	792	4,896
James E. Foley	D.	149	46	195
Daniel G. Donovan	D.	151	46	197
Edward T. Hand	D.	135	40	175

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Wm. F. Cunningham	D.	147	47	194
David J. Good, Jr.	D.	140	47	187
P. J. Foley	D.		1	1
James H. Hurley	D.		1	1
John J. Madden	D.		1	1
Blanks		1,638	394	2,032

The Election Officers were as follows:

Precinct No. 1—Warden, John B. McNeill, Deputy Warden, James E. Foley; Clerk, Olga C. Howard; Deputy Clerk, Allan B. Gould; Check List, Helen Sullivan, Julia Dolan, Una C. Belcher, Adeline Langley; Gate, John A. Hoyer; Ballot Box, John E. Rudderham; Tellers, Joseph H. McMahon, Frank J. Harkins, Edmund K. Belcher, Annie Pelessier, Alice B. Burchell, Mary McCarthy, Elmer Burchell, Ethel Stetson, Daniel P. Lyons, Edward T. Hand.

Precinct No. 2—Warden, Robert A. Yates; Deputy Warden, Herman Smith; Clerk, John J. Madden; Deputy Clerk, Albert C. Webber; Tellers, William C. Gable, Mildred Taber, John J. Dempsey, Dora L. Denniger.

True Copy—Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,

Town Clerk.

PRIMARY TO FILL VACANCY IN THE FOURTEENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Randolph, Mass., Oct. 23, 1928.

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the voters of Randolph met this 23rd day of October, 1928, in Stetson Hall for the Special Primary. The following acted as

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election officers: John B. McNeill, Warden; James E. Foley, Deputy Warden; Olga C. Howard, Clerk; Edmund K. Belcher, Deputy Clerk. Poles were open from 4 to 8 o'clock P. M.

121 votes were cast, 6 Democratic, 115 Republicans.	
Christopher Clifford, Democrat	6 votes
Joseph E. Sager, Republican	45 votes
Richard B. Wigglesworth, Republican	70 votes

The ballots were sorted and counted and returns made to the Town Clerk at 8:30 P. M.

A True Record: (Signed) JOHN B. McNEILL,
Attest: Town Clerk.

Randolph, Mass., Oct. 31, 1928.

Mr. John B. McNeill, Town Clerk,
Randolph, Mass.

Dear Mr. McNeill:

At a meeting of the Finance Committee held last evening in the Town Hall, the following sums were transferred from the Reserve Fund by a unanimous vote of the Committee with all members present:

School Department	\$125.00
Water Department for Randolph Maintenance	250.00
Expense of Assessors Department	125.00
Forest Fire Department	50.00
Town Farm	200.00
Selectmen for Election and Registration	
Expense	350.00

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Soldiers' Relief	550.00
Town Offices	100.00
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	\$1,750.00

A balance remains in the Reserve Fund of \$250.00 to be held for future emergencies. The items for which no transfers were made concern expense bills of prior years which would have to be provided for by a vote at a Town Meeting and others in the nature of new projects such as the Hydrant for Old Street which, although necessary, appear to be items which would have to be provided for under an article in a Town Meeting Warrant.

Cordially yours,

HENRY V. MORGAN,
Chairman Finance Committee.

STATE ELECTION 1928

Randolph, Mass., Nov. 6, 1928.

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the voters of Randolph met in Stetson Hall Precinct No. 1 and at the North Randolph Improvement Association Precinct No. 2. The ballot boxes and ballots and all the election paraphernalia were delivered to the Wardens of each Precinct by the Town Clerk and receipts taken for same. The ballot boxes and election paraphernalia were returned to the Town Clerk, also the ballots used and unused, sealed up. The returns from both Precincts were delivered to the Town Clerk at 10:30 P. M. and the returns were tabulated and the result announced at 11 P. M. In Precinct 1 there

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were 1183 male voters, in Precinct 2 there were 222 male voters, in Precinct 1 there were 1169 female voters and in Precinct 2 there were 173 female voters. Total vote cast in Randolph 2747. The Election Officers were as follows: Precinct No. 1: Warden, John B. McNeill; Deputy Warden, James E. Foley; Clerk, Olga C. Howard; Deputy Clerk, Elmer Burchell. Chect List, Herman W. French, Helen Sullivan, Una C. Belcher, Julia Dolan; Gate, John A. Hoyer; Ballot Clerk, John E. Rudderham; Ballot Box, Annie Pelissier; Tellers, Joseph H. McMahon, Frank Harkins, Ethel Stetson, Joseph Belcher, Jeremiah Daley, Hugh McMahon, Virginia Cartwright, George Mayo, Elizabeth Cunningham, William A. Noyes, Richard Condon, Daniel P. Lyons, Mae Donahue, Charlotte Crothers, George Sawyer, Edward Hand, Marion Dench, Adeline Langley, Hannah Foster, Joseph J. McMahon, Alice Kelley, Nellie McCarthy, Agnes Fitzgerald, Fannie Knight.

Precinct No. 2. Warden, Robert Yates; Deputy Warden, Herman Smith; Clerk, John Madden; Deputy Clerk, Albert C. Webber; Tellers, William C. Gabel, Mildred Taber, Dora Denninger, Alice Burchell.

ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Total
Foster and Gitlow, Workers Party	0	0	0
Hoover and Curtis, Republican Party	1009	214	1223
Reynolds and Crowley, Socialist Labor	0	1	1
Smith and Robinson, Democratic	1285	162	1447
Thomas and Maurer, Socialist	5	0	5
Blanks	53	18	71

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FOR GOVERNOR

Frank G. Allen, Republican	980	197	1177
Chester W. Bixby, Workers Party	0	0	0
Charles H. Cole, Democratic	1244	173	1417
Washington Cook, Vig. Prohibition En.	3	1	4
Mary Donovan Hapgood, Socialist	8	1	9
Edith Hamilton MacFadden, Ind. Citizen	0	1	1
Stephen J. Surridge, Socialist Labor	0	1	1
Blanks	116	22	138

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

John Corbin, Workers Party	11	5	16
Henry C. Hess, Socialist Labor	0	1	1
Walter S. Hutchins, Socialist Party	11	0	11
John F. Malley, Democratic	1170	148	1318
William S. Youngman, Republican	953	203	1156
Blanks	207	38	245

FOR SECRETARY

Harry J. Canter, Workers Party	28	6	34
Frederick W. Cook, Republican	951	197	1148
Oscar Kinsalas, Socialist Labor	1	1	2
Joseph Santosuosso, Democratic	1111	134	1245
Edith M. Williams, Socialist Party	14	2	16
Blanks	247	55	302

FOR TREASURER

James P. Bergin, Democratic	1105	134	1239
Albert S. Coolidge, Socialist	27	1	28
John W. Haigis, Republican	948	200	1148
Albert Oddie, Workers Party	3	1	4
Charles S. Cram, Socialist Labor	3	1	4
Blanks	266	58	324

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FOR AUDITOR

John W. Aiken, Socialist Labor	24	2	26
Alonzo B. Cook, Republican	934	206	1140
David A. Eisenberg, Socialist	8	2	10
Eva Hoffman, Workers Party	2	0	2
Francis J. O'Gorman, Democratic	1114	135	1249
Blanks	270	50	320

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL

Edward P. Barry, Democratic	1131	143	1274
Morris I. Becker, Socialist Labor	3	1	4
Max Lerner, Workers Party	3	1	4
John W. Sherman, Socialist	7	0	7
Joseph E. Warner, Republican	978	204	1182
Blanks	230	46	276

FOR SENATOR IN CONGRESS

John J. Ballam, Workers Party	4	0	4
Alfred B. Lewis, Socialist Party	38	1	39
David I. Walsh, Democratic	1360	195	1555
Benjamin L. Young, Republican	838	174	1012
Blanks	112	25	137

FOR CONGRESSMAN—FOURTEENTH DISTRICT

Christopher Clifford, Democratic	1101	129	1230
Richard B. Wigglesworth, Republican	1000	211	1211
Blanks	251	55	306

FOR CONGRESSMAN—FOURTEENTH DISTRICT

(To Fill Vacancy)

Christopher M. Clifford, Democratic	1083	129	1212
Richard B. Wigglesworth, Republican	983	209	1192
Blanks	286	57	343

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COUNCILLOR, SECOND DISTRICT

Chester I. Campbell, Republican	1090	222	1312
Blanks	1262	173	1435

SENATOR—NORFOLK DISTRICT

Henry L. Kincaide, Republican	983	206	1189
James H. Slade, Democratic	1060	128	1188
Blanks	309	61	370

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT— NINTH NORFOLK DISTRICT

Everett C. Crane, Republican	976	210	1186
Henry V. Morgan, Democratic	1243	161	1404
Blanks	133	24	157

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS—NORFOLK COUNTY

Russell T. Bates, Republican	913	182	1095
Edward W. Hunt, Republican	813	159	972
Warren J. Swett, Democratic	1094	130	1224
Blanks	1884	319	2203

CLERK OF COURTS—NORFOLK COUNTY

Robert B. Worthington, Republican	1108	212	1320
Blanks	1244	183	1427

REGISTER OF DEEDS—NORFOLK COUNTY

Walter W. Chambers, Republican	1094	211	1305
James H. Hurley, Democratic	1	0	1
Blanks	1257	184	1441

ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONER—NORFOLK COUNTY (To Fill Vacancy)

Arthur G. Chapman, Republican	1076	210	1286
Blanks	1276	185	1461

LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Shall the proposed law which provides that it shall be

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lawful in any city which accepts the act by vote of its city council and in any town which accepts the act by vote of its inhabitants, to take part in or witness any athletic outdoor sport or game, except horse racing, automobile racing, boxing or hunting with firearms, on the Lord's day between 2 and 6 P. M.; that such sports or games shall take place on such playgrounds, parks, or other places as may be designated in a license issued by certain licensing authorities; that no sport or game shall be permitted in a place other than a public playground or park within one thousand feet of any regular place of worship, that the charging of admission fees or the taking of collections or the receiving of remuneration by any person in charge of or participating in any such sport or game shall not be prohibited; that the license may be revoked, and that in cities and towns in which amateur sports or games are permitted under existing law such amateur sports or games may be held until the proposed law is accepted or the provisions of the existing law fail of acceptance on resubmission to the people, which law was disapproved in the Senate by a vote of 9 in the affirmative and 22 in the negative, and in the House of Representatives by a vote of 93 in the affirmative and 110 in the negative, be approved?

Yes	1111	156	1267
No	690	118	808
Blanks	551	121	672

QUESTION OF PUBLIC POLICY

Shall the senator from this district be instructed to vote for a resolution requesting Congress to take action for the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment to the Con-

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stitution of the United States, known as the prohibition amendment?

Yes	1166	176	1342
No	596	106	702
Blanks	590	113	703

A True Copy:

Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

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BIRTHS REGISTERED IN RANDOLPH IN 1928

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
Jan.	2 William Carroll	M	Thomas F., Margaret M.—Ashe
	3 Shirley Evelyn Nadeau	F	Alton P., Marion I.—DeLores
	8 Amelia M. Gaffey	F	James E. Jr., Amelia—Santos
	11 Josiah Arthur Hawkins	M	William, Bertha E.—Teed
Feb.	29 Stillborn	M	
	30 Jean Ethel Norris	F	James M., Jennie R.—MacKinnon
	7 Katherine Marie Kiley	F	James H., Annie L.—Desmond
	8 Esther Margaret Godfrey	F	Albert K., Josephine—Conroy
	8 Virginia Ruth Rowe	F	Clarence, Norah—Hurley
	14 Ethel Clark MacDonald	F	John, Alice—Rothermel
	14 Charles Gordon Hurlburt	M	Gordon E., Lillian—Kendell
	15 Joseph Henry Hanks	M	Joseph H., Gertrude—Pealing
	17 Emma Walker Whynot	F	Whitman, Anna B.—Hanley
	24 Henry Cape Dunbar, Jr.	M	Henry C., Ellen—Mock
	25 Eddy Clinton Young, 2nd	M	Martin E., Lucy M.—Silitoe
	Robert Andrew Conrad	M	Arthur E., Ruth E.—Drysdale
Mar.	7 Robert Francis DeCoste	M	Leslie, Helen—Slattery
	12 Charles Vincent Clark	M	John J., Mary E.—French
	19 Alfred Lawrence Nason	M	Perley C., A. Elizabeth—Larsen
	20 O'Brien	M	Everett, Catherine—Madigan
	24 David William Soule	M	Edwin C., Bertha—Devine
	25 Alberta Louise Jope	F	Frederick W., Evelyn—MacCartney
	26 Marion Frances Candage	F	Wesley, Margaret G.—Burke
	27	M	
	31	F	
	Herbert Elvin Scott	M	Arthur J., Mary C.—Morrison
Apr.	2 Joseph F. McDonald	M	William F., Josephine—McDermott
	13 Richard James Kelleher	M	James J., Blanche M.—Toole
	13	M	

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Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
14	Elizabeth McPhail	F	Albert E., Constance E.—Calderwood
15	Ralph Edward Olsen	M	Charles E., Mary E.—Cullity
16	Robert Erwin	M	George T., Jeanette M.—Hollis
17	Mary Virginia McLaughlin	F	John F., Georgianna—Benson
17	Kenneth Francis Durling	M	Kenneth A., Anna—McCarthy
17	Chester Eliot Claff, Jr.	M	Chester E., Ruth—Wallace
22	Emily Doris Ryder	F	Walter E., Florence U.—Purean
24	Maude Hannon	F	Louis J., Irene J.—Bateman
26	Stillborn	M	
8	Elizabeth May Childs	F	Alonzo D., Gladys—Webster
10		F	
15	Emily May Bates	F	Thomas M., Emily M.—Macomber
17	Margaret Richards	F	Parker, Jr., Margaret—McCarthy
20		M	
20	Rose Anne Meaney	F	Henry J., Gertrude—McMahon
20	Maureen Mahoney	F	John J., Anna—Long
27	Elizabeth Georgina Knights	F	Harry B., Lena M.—Bennett
1	Lucia Marie Diauto	F	Michael J., Charlotte—Flannagan
2	Virginia Margaret Manick	F	George Z., Susan M. Dignam
13	Ruth Ethel Billingham	F	William G., Edith M.—Wood
13	James Alphonse LeRoy	M	Wilfred, Lillian—Boynton
16	Margaret	F	Peter A., Maude E.—Jope
17	Elizabeth Josephine Sullivan	F	Stephen J., Alice M.—Cameron
18	Robert Edwin Lightfoot	M	Henry J., Mildred M.—Fisher
27	Richard Charles Hudson	M	William S., Bessie—MacGreggor
27	Lucinda Lee Seaton	F	Oliver T., Lillian—Aldrich
29	Jean Woodman	F	Frank J., Katherine—O'Neil
4	Babette Helen Marie Englund	F	Carl A., Jenny C.—Swanson

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Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
	Paul Henry Webber	M	Albert C., Madeline—Valentuielli
9	Prescott Wilfred Harris	M	Prescott W., Helen—Berg
11	Fred Turner Cole	M	Clarence T., Marion McIntosh
13	Florence Henrietta Sass	F	Lawrence O., Florence H.—Ayers
17	Richard Alton Mann	M	Herbert E., Beatrice E.—Hagar
26	Thelma Greta Louise Kaidel	F	Daniel, Louise—Gauske
4	Hearn	F	Walter R., Harriet C.—Swift
10	Claire Marie Keith	F	Norman F., Marguerite J.—Leary
11	William Stakenburg	F	Lernedert, Amarenska—de Lecluse
13	Thomas Appromollo	M	Dominick, Mary—Currie
17	Doris Lorraine Teece	M	Robert J., Doris K.—Driscoll
18	Robert Winslow Flood	F	Robert I., Louise—Jaquith
22	Eleanor Connell	F	John, Helen—Cahill
22	Maureen Gaynor	M	James F., M. Loretta—McArnarney
25	Alice Gertrude Franke	F	Robert O., Alice—Williams
27	John Herbert White	F	George E., Mary H.—Waite
27	David William Finch	M	Francis M., Ellen A.—Kelly
28	Mary Gill	F	George T., Rose M.—Gibbons
31	Barbara Louise Buzzell	F	Charles M., Sybil—Allen
	William Orraville Grout	M	Ernest F., Ruth F.—Dunton
2	Esther Charlotte O'Rourke	F	Andrew R., Alice V.—Simmons
5	Dorothy Catherine Moeller	F	Carl A., Dorothy—Foss
7	Hyacinth Ellecan Conners	F	Leo H., Madeline M.—Hird
11	Leona Antoinette Perry	F	Leo P., Antoinette M.—LaMontagne
16	June Alice White	F	Charles A., Edna—Erickson
18	Charlotte May Bassett	F	Milton R., Alice C.—Willis
24	Irene Kiley	F	George H., Agnes G.—Kelly
26	Dorothy Marie Tower	F	Arthur M., Mabel H. Wheelock
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BIRTHS REGISTERED IN RANDOLPH IN 1928

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
Oct.	1 Stillborn	F	
	5 Ronald Allen Mann	M	Henry J., Margaret—McRitchie
	13 Jonathan Smith Anderson	M	Peter, Cora A.—Woodman
	15 Richard Thomas Gagnon	M	Zoel, Hazel C.—Fisher
	20 Alfred E. Granger	M	George, Eva—Kelly
	24 Helen Donovan	F	James V., Helen E.—Kelliher
	24 Elna Evelyn Hylen	F	Peter, Elizabeth—Miller
	28 Paul Henry Teed	M	Frank F., Annie E.—Mann
	28 Albert James Lang	M	John P., Lena M.—Cousineau
	28 Stillborn	M	
Nov.	30 Edmund Eugene Corrigan	M	William B., Frances T.—Giblin
	31 Raymond Lawrence Mason, Jr.	M	Raymond L., Dorothy—Harris
	11 Hollis Raymond Williams	M	Hollis R., Stella M.—Hirtle
	11 Margaret Ann Buzzell	F	James, Florence—Robertson
	15 Janet Graham Whitney	F	John B., Kathryn F.—Larsen
	17 Helen O'Connor	F	Maurice, Helen—Reno
	17 Alton Frederick Hayden	M	Alton, Georgianna—Butler
	18 Maln	F	John I., Martha—Peterson
	19 Clementine Mildred Volpe	F	Joseph, Assunta—Milone
	20 Kenneth Isaac	M	Harry C., Helen D.—Anderson
Dec.	30 Richard Alexander Burnie	M	Walter A., Anna C.—Ryan
	8 MacDonald	M	Edwin C., Mabelle—Thayer
	12 Vilmo Catherine Benjamiano	M	
	16 Donald Leroy Paine	F	Joseph, Carmela—Cinquetrain
1927	24 Miriam Ann Feener	F	Chester L., Ila L.—Carroll
	27 Stanley Arthur Ferris	M	Milledge W., Grace M.—Hammond
	31 Annie Louise Norman	F	Emery D., Vivian M.—Shurtleff
Apr.	9	F	Robert P., Helen L.—Tweedie

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MARRIAGES RECORDED—1928

Date of Marriage		Name	Residence
Jan.	1	Raymond E. Beale	Randolph
		Alice S. Rayala	Randolph
	3	Peter P. Truelson	Randolph
		Angelina Ferraro	Randolph
	10	James Warren Buzzell	Bethel, Vermont
		Florence Jean Robertson	Randolph
Feb.	12	Walter R. Bertram	Randolph
		Elise M. Blakely	Randolph
	24	Prescott Wilfred Harris	Stoughton
		Helen Josephine Berg	Randolph
	8	Raymond J. Purcell	Randolph
		Serena R. Livrago	Quincy
	21	William John Chevalier	Randolph
		Mary Frances Campbell	Randolph
	22	George H. Richards	Boston
		Ruth M. Owen	Randolph
Mar.	25	Gordon W. Smith	Randolph
		Annie Barber	Braintree
	6	Russell A. Boothby	Randolph
		Florence B. MacPhail	Randolph
	12	Duncan F. Conrod	Roslindale
		Elizabeth Estella Faunce	Randolph
April	2	John Campbell Leitch	Avon
		Ruby Mae Goody	Randolph

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	12	John J. Cleggett	Braintree
		Anna May Curry	Randolph
	30	John E. Gill	Randolph
		Madeline Puzone	Randolph
	30	Edward F. Burrill	Dorchester
		Irene Thibault	Randolph
May	5	Ralph J. Rock	Randolph
		Julia Ashmont	Brockton
	7	Delphis Joseph Denis	Randolph
		Millie Anna Nickerson (Crosby)	Chelsea
	7	William Lee Flavell	Randolph
		Ruth Verna Evans	Randolph
	19	Seth L. Mortin	Wareham
		E. Fay Saunders	Wareham
	23	Daniel Joseph Welch	North Easton
		Grace Margaret Forrest	Randolph
June	2	Clifford E. Nickerson	Holbrook
		Mertie A. Burgess	Holbrook
	7	Norman F. Keith	Randolph
		Marguerite J. Leary	East Weymouth
	8	Harold R. McWilliams	Randolph
		Beatrice M. Peasley	Quincy
	8	Bernard Richard Stevene	Quincy
		Ethel Manning Fogg	Lexington
	11	Frank A. Black	Randolph
		Ethel M. Patrick	Hartford, Conn.
	12	Theodore S. Brown	Whitman
		Doris Louise Teed	Randolph
	17	Emil Bernard Rosenberg	Holbrook
		Etta Mae Williams	Randolph

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	18	Richard Edmund Walsh	Randolph
		Catherine Mary Gallagher	Roslindale
	23	Edward J. Brennan	Randolph
		Catherine J. Maloney	East Braintree
	27	George Edward Bushey	Hull
		Eleanor Florence Studley	Randolph
June	30	Howard C. Harris	Randolph
		Irene L. Richard	Avon
	30	Stephen A. Reed	East Providence, R. I.
		Ruth H. Foley	Randolph
	30	Albert Edward Burgess	Allston
		Elizabeth Mary Good	Randolph
July	10	Edward Joseph McDonald	Brockton
		Jane Anna Foley	Randolph
	15	Joseph H. Carver	Roslindale
		Elinor C. McIsaac	Randolph
	18	Leslie I. Bailey	Randolph
		Martha I. Rindahl	Randolph
	27	William Andrew Duhaine	Rockland
		Phyllis Mae Belcher	Abington
Aug.	12	Robert Kenny Wallace	Arlington
		Emelia Maria Peterson	Holbrook
	21	Edward H. Duffy	Randolph
		Angeline M. Crovo	Randolph
	27	Charles Frederick Blakely	Randolph
		Lillian M. Donovan	Chelsea
Sept.	8	Charles H. Preble	Dorchester
		Jennie Anderson	Randolph
	12	John J. Thompson	Stoughton
		Mary R. Conlon	Randolph

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	12	George S. Hutchinson	Randolph
		Leunett E. Clune	Willimantic, Conn.
	19	Stanley Wood	Plymouth
		F. Mildred Noyes	Randolph
	19	Joseph F. Brewster, Jr.	North Weymouth
		Helen Genevieve Boutin	Randolph
	26	Samuel F. Schofield	Dorchester
		Lizzie Walsh	Randolph
Oct.	4	Jarominas Zalukas	Brockton
		Marcele (Banunis) Miknis	Brockton
	18	Harry L. Pratt	Randolph
		Alice Louise (Birdsall) Atherton	Randolph
	20	James Raycroft Hadley	Randolph
		Helen Gilbert Giles	Providence, R. I.
Nov.	10	Ernest H. C. Meyer	Brookline
		Marguerite W. Putnam	Randolph
	10	Kenneth E. Simmons	Randolph
		Jennie Hecker	Dorchester
	11	Patrick J. Kelly	Randolph
		Mary E. Bennett	Medford
	11	Edward T. O'Donnell	Dorchester
		Jeanette E. Seeley	Randolph
	24	Clarence S. Gustafson	North Easton
		Lydia E. Williams	Randolph
	27	Andrew Durkee Crowell	Randolph
		Barbara Kraus	Milford
Dec.	3	George H. Saunders	Randolph
		Ruth E. LeVangie	South Braintree
	8	Helmer Skonberg	Randolph
		Emma Maria Peterson (Nelson)	Randolph
	15	Daniel J. Reardon	Randolph
		F. Hazel Pepper	Randolph

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DEATHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1928

Date	Name	Y.	M.	Age	D.	Cause of Death	Birthplace
Jan. 6	William T. Morgan	67	—	—	—	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Sheldon, Vt.
7	Ellen Logue	82	—	—	—	Broncho Pneumonia	Randolph
18	John T. Harty	57	11	17	17	Pernicious Anemia	Randolph
19	Margaret Franz	44	5	—	—	Carcinoma of Cervix	Ireland
20	Anna Carroll	1	8	4	4	Broncho Pneumonia	Randolph
21	Eva B. Saunders	44	—	14	14	Chronic Myocarditis	Randolph
24	Elbridge G. Stetson	79	11	3	3	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph
29		—	—	—	—	Stillborn	Brockton
31	John J. Condon	40	7	—	—	Atrophy of Liver	Salem
Feb. 3	Donald C. Jorgensen	3	6	23	23	Meningitis	Randolph
5	Bert Newland Huhn	56	10	13	13	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Phila., Pa.
6	Mary E. Libby	81	5	21	21	Influenza	Randolph
8	Charles M. Thayer	83	3	1	1	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph
8	Katherine Marie Kiley		1	hr.	hr.	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Brockton
14	Albert H. Holbrook	79	4	1	1	Chronic Myocarditis	Randolph
15	Margaret Kennedy	77	5	11	11	Chronic Myocarditis	Randolph
16	Lillian J. Rock	22	—	18	18	Banti's Disease	Holbrook
22	Dorothy F. Sullivan	1	5	—	—	Broncho Pneumonia	Boston
23	Mary Eleanor Gray	3	6	8	8	Measles	Boston
27	Lois E. Mann	63	3	18	18	Chronic Myocarditis	Waterbury, Vt.
27	Kent D. Washington	29	7	23	23	Pul. Tuberculosis	Pulaski, Va.
3	Simeon D. Ruggles	77	1	12	12	Senile Decay	Nova Scotia
8	Mary F. Sullivan	49	10	29	29	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Holbrook
9	George F. French	83	2	7	7	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph
12	Adolph Kangaser	66	2	2	2	Influenza	Germany
15	Norman Cochrane	11	10	22	22	Pertusses	Randolph

DEATHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1928

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Date	Name	Age Y. M. D.	Cause of Death	Birthplace
21	Charles H. Cole	85 — 4	Broncho Pneumonia	Bethel, Me.
22	O'Brien	2 — 2	Prematurity	Brockton
29	Vesta D. Du Bois	38 6 13	Pul. Tuberculosis	Nova Scotia
31	James M. Dyer	79 6 2	Cardia Arterio Sclerosis	So. Braintree
Apr. 6	George H. Emerson	66 7 23	Arterio Sclerosis	Cambridge
15	Charles E. West	79 1 23	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Manchester
15	Joseph H. Mulligan	32 1 14	Homicidal—Accident	Randolph
16	Robert Erwin	— 4 4	Heart Disease	Randolph
26	Helena H. Mattson	60 1 1	Arterio Sclerosis	Finland
26		— — —	Prematurity	Brockton
27	Almeda B. Hawes	80 2 13	Arterio Sclerosis	Maine
May 3	Warren J. Keith	10 3 5	Accidental Death	Randolph
3	Rose Ellen Thayer	58 2 21	Carcinoma of Uterus	Randolph
8	Thomas Barry	74 — —	Chronic Myocarditis	Randolph
14	Maria Ward	61 — —	Embolus	Ireland
19	Margaret Richards	— 2 2	Heart Disease	Rockland
20		— — —	Stillborn	Brockton
30	Susana Young	62 — —	Diabetes Mellitus	Newfoundland
30	Gertrude F. Franke	52 5 17	Chronic Myocarditis	West Roxbury
June 6	Patrick Murphy	82 — —	Arterio Sclerosis	Ireland
7	Amelia M. Gaffey	— 4 29	Gastro Enteritis	Randolph
8	James M. Belcher	80 11 6	Chronic Myocarditis	Randolph
9	Henry C. Burgess	73 4 12	Arterio Sclerosis	Swanville, Me.
11	Margaret F. Hurley	68 2 18	Stricture of Colon	Avon
12	Walter Hetherington	50 10 19	Perforated Gastric Ulcer	Scotland
13	Lois G. W. H. Cushman	81 — 12	Chronic Myocarditis	Sandwich

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Date	Name	Age		Cause of Death	Age Birthplace
		Y.	M. D.		
18	Samuel A. Foster	53	10	Carcinoma of Bladder	Randolph
23	Mary L. Golden	74	—	Arterio Sclerosis	Boston
25	Emma W. Whynot	—	4	Automobile Accident	Randolph
26	Ann J. Reilly	81	—	Carcinoma of Breast	Ireland
30	Ellen F. McGerigle	62	10	Exopthalmic Goitre	Brooklyn, N. Y.
1	James H. Meaney	62	1	Chronic Myocarditis	Randolph
2	E. Lawrence Payne	78	2	Acute Cardiac Dilation	Randolph
11	Paul H. Webber	—	—	Premature Birth	Randolph
13	Jean Woodman	—	—	Congenital Debility	Brockton
18	Dennis F. Brennan	65	9	Oedema of Brain	Randolph
5	John F. Keefe	72	—	Acute Cardiac Dilation	Boston
5	Richard J. McAuliffe	63	—	Acute Cardiac Dilation	Randolph
10		—	—	Premature Birth	Brockton
11	John Dolhenty	45	1	Pul. Tuberculosis	No. Cambridge
13		—	—	Stillborn	Randolph
24	Nora K. Ryan	68	10	Carcinoma of Intestine	Hopkinton
28	Wilton H. Jones	78	8	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph
5	Joseph E. Genereaux	67	3	Paralysis of Insane	Taunton
7	Catherine A. Myers	45	10	Exopthalmos Goitre	Salem
27	Sybil Elliott	57	9	Acute Endocarditis	Randolph
1		—	—	Stillborn	Randolph
7	Elizabeth Fischer	76	11	Chronic Myocarditis	Germany
18	Antonio Nordella	10	2	Polio-myelitis	Randolph
25	Lottie H. Hanson	1	3	Acute Indigestion	Braintree
28		—	—	Stillborn	Quincy
28		—	—	Stillborn	Quincy

July

Aug.

Sept.

Oct.

DEATHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1928

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Date	Name	Y.	M.	D.	Cause of Death	Birthplace
Nov.	29 John J. Doyle	56	9	15	Cardiac Renal Vascular Disease	Ireland
	3 Margaret M. Glover	91	10	19	Valvular Heart Disease	Randolph
	11 Bartholomew Lombard	86	7	27	Carcinoma	Ireland
	12 Lena Atherton	65	10	18	Unknown—Insane	Troy, N. Y.
	18 ——— Main	—	—	—	Placenta Oraevia	Brockton
Dec.	19 August J. Johnson	75	3	1	Chronic Arthritis	Sweden
	24 Gertrude L. Young	39	8	4	Suicide	Randolph
	24 Patrick M. McDermott	66	9	9	Arterio Sclerosis	Ireland
	8 Thomas F. Dolan	65	3	23	Carcinoma of Stomach	Randolph
	9 ——— McDonald	—	—	1	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Boston
	10 Eleanor O'Connell	—	3	16	Lobar Pneumonia	Brockton
	12 William F. Kane	58	6	23	Cirrhosis of Liver	Lawrence
	15 Mary J. Hamilton	69	10	5	Acute Cardiac Dilation	Randolph
	17 Virginia Clark	7	10	21	Automobile Accident	Brockton
	20 Mark B. Claff	60	7	5	Angina Pectoris	Russia
	23 Clementine P. Hill	75	8	23	Acute Angina	Vermont

INTERMENTS IN RANDOLPH IN 1928

of persons dying elsewhere

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Date	Name	Age			Place of Death
		Y.	M.	D.	
Jan. 4	Caroline A. Belcher	77	—	—	Taunton
4	Bridget Haulston	75	—	—	Dorchester
6	Charles F. Estabrook	80	9	21	Somerville
6	George W. Dickerman	68	10	18	New York, N. Y.
16	Joseph H. Pezzelle	29	9	26	Braintree
27	Daniel E. Long	68	—	—	Salem
29	Marguerite Manzvinos	40	5	9	Norwalk, Conn.
1	James B. Clark	55	5	29	Taunton
6	Beatrice Haight	—	1	5	West Bridgewater
9	Bridget Gogan	70	—	—	Brockton
18	Evelyn F. Loberg	2	6	14	North Weymouth
16	Dr. James A. Reilly	51	—	—	Boston
23	Mary DeTora	45	—	—	Braintree
23	Clarkin	—	—	1	Weymouth
25	Jeanette Binney	72	—	—	Plymouth
29	Del Vicolio	—	—	—	South Braintree
30	McCue	—	—	—	Brockton
31	Gardner A. Cram	74	—	—	Brockton
2	Catherine L. Maher	19	1	7	Boston
6	Gilbert	—	—	—	Braintree
13	Joseph W. Brady	35	—	—	New York, N. Y.
16	John E. Boyle	62	2	—	Braintree
18	John L. Corrigan	8	9	—	Malden
19	Mary Sullivan	80	—	—	Holbrook
22	Mercy C. Fisher	84	7	26	Braintree
25	John K. Berry	73	1	—	Watertown

INTERMENTS IN RANDOLPH IN 1928

of persons dying elsewhere

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Date	Name	Age Y. M. D.	Place of Death
27	Addie Poor	86	Boston
May 2	Mary Mahoney	42	Boston
16	Horace LaFleur	37 2 25	Brockton
19	Reardon	—	Braintree
21	Ellen McGrail	66	Boston
23	James H. Lane	70	Braintree
25	Julia Lyons	67	Boston
June 2	Delia McGrath	50 2 15	Braintree
12	Walter Hetherington	50 10 19	Brockton
16	James Kelliher	3 5 3	Boston
22	Mary J. Averill	72 9 14	Whitman
22	Lotta M. Little	46 6 1	Holbrook
27	Virginia J. Callahan	70	Quincy
July 1	Bridget Megley	78	Holbrook
23	Galette	—	Braintree
27	Gogan	— 3 hrs.	Braintree
27	Benjamin W. Thayer	76	San Jose, Calif.
Aug. 4	John F. O'Neil	—	Quincy
7	Sadie Brown	32 5 20	Braintree
12	Margaret Sweeney	70	Braintree
18	David P. McGaughey	72 2 9	Brockton
25	John P. Sullivan	67 4 1	Braintree
31	James McKeough	21 2 5	Brockton
Sept. 8	Harry Wilbur	—	Weymouth
27	Mary Sullivan	77	Quincy
29	Mary Rooney	—	Boston

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of persons dying elsewhere

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Date	Name	Age		Place of Death
		Y.	M. D.	
Oct.	William Conley	75	—	Holbrook
	Thomas G. Hetherington	47	11 13	Boston
	Michael J. Sullivan	75	— 19	Braintree
Oct.	Antonia Nadellia	10	2 3	Quincy
	Daniel Donahue	46	6 3	Braintree
	Frank B. Granger	53	2 1	Boston
Nov.	Charles W. Strongman	63	— 3	Pittsfield
	Donald Wood	3	8 20	Boston
	Eugene A. Howard	73	— —	Boston
Dec.	Elizabeth A. Pool	63	1 —	Braintree
	Mary Fabiano	73	5 8	Brockton
	Walter S. Clerk	75	9 6	Holbrook
	Richard House	—	5 27	Jenkintown, Pa.
	Henrietta Uniac	55	— —	Weymouth
	Wiseman	—	— —	Springfield
	Catherine O'Connor	4	6 —	Avon
31	James Russell	74	9 8	Braintree
	Mary Thistle	87	— —	Boston
	Mary Sabit	22	— —	Quincy
31	Hattie F. Fay	86	9 2	

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES

Cerebral Hemorrhage, Broncho Pneumonia, Pernicious Anemia, Carcinoma, Chronic Myocarditis, Arterio Sclerosis, Pulmonary Tuberculosis, Epidemic Influenza, Banti's Disease, Measles, Stillborn, Atrophy of Liver, Senile Decay, Pertusses, Congenital Heart Disease, Accident, Embolus, Diabetes Mellitus, Premature Birth, Gastro Enteritis, Exophthalmic Goitre, Perforated Gastic Ulcer, Oedema of Brain, Congenital Debility, Paralysis, Acute Endocarditis, Acute Indigestion, Cardio Renal Vascular Disease, Polio-myelitis, Valvular Heart Disease, Unknown, Chronic Arthritis, Suicide, Lobar Pneumonia, Acute Cardiac Dilation, Angina Pectoris, Placenta Praevia

One each	22
Cerebral Hemorrhage	7
Broncho Pneumonia	5
Carinoma	8
Chronic Myocarditis	10
Arterio Sclerosis	10
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	4
Epidemic Influenza	2
Stillborn	6
Atrophy of Liver	2
Congenital Heart Disease	2
Accident	4
Premature Birth	4
Exophthalmic Goitre	2
Acute Cardiac Dilation	4
Angina Pectoris	2
	—
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TABLE OF VITAL STATISTICS YEAR 1928

	Intentions of Marriage	Marriages	Births	Deaths
January	4	5	6	9
February	5	4	9	12
March	3	2	10	9
April	5	4	12	7
May	5	5	8	8
June	8	13	10	12
July	1	4	6	5
August	3	3	14	7
September	5	6	9	3
October	3	3	13	7
November	5	6	9	7
December	3	3	6	8

50	58	112	94
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Whole number of births recorded:

Males	53
Females	59
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Parents both native born	82
Parents 1 native born, 1 foreign born	16
Parents both foreign born	14
	<hr/> 112

Whole number of Marriage Intentions	50
Whole number of Marriages	58

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

STATEMENT OF LICENSES ISSUED AND FEES RETAINED BY THE TOWN CLERK.

Dog Licenses to December 31, 1928

385 Males @ \$2.00 each	\$770.00
118 Females @ \$5.00 each	590.00
35 Females (Spayed) at \$2.00 each	70.00
2 Breeders' Licenses @ \$25.00 each	50.00

\$1,480.00

Cash to County Treasurer \$1,372.00

Fees Retained 108.00

\$1,480.00

Hunting, Fishing and Trapping Licenses:

112 Resident Citizens' Sporting Licenses @ \$2.25 each	\$252.00
6 Resident Trapping Licenses @ \$2.25 each	13.50
6 Minors' Trapping Licenses @ .75 each	4.50
4 Duplicate Licenses @ .50 each	2.00

\$272.00

Cash Paid Massachusetts Division of

Fisheries and Game \$241.00

Fees Retained 31.00

\$272.00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

NINETY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT

Report of Town Treasurer

John B. McNeill, Town Treasurer, in account with
the Town of Randolph, year 1928:

Dr.		
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1928		\$4,681.19
Received during year (see Town Accountant's report)		455,439.91
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		\$460,121.10
Cr.		
Paid sundry persons as per Warrants		\$431,477.99
Balance—		
Special Fund	\$3,716.95	
On hand	24,926.16	
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		28,643.11
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		\$460,121.10

Randolph, Jan. 28, 1929.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Town Treasurer, and have reconciled his Bank Balance and verified his Cash, and find same correct, as per balance at end of year 1928.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,

Auditors.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Norfolk, ss.

Jan. 28, 1929

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,

Notary Public.

John B. McNeill, Town Treasurer, in account with
the Town of Randolph:

SPECIAL FUND

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1928 \$3,555.17

Interest on deposit, Randolph Trust
Co. 161.78

Dec. 31, 1928 (Balance on deposit
Randolph Trust Co.) \$3,716.95

SOLDIERS' MONUMENT FUND

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1928 \$238.29

Interest on deposit, Randolph
Savings Bank 11.42

Dec. 31, 1928 (Balance on deposit,
Randolph Savings Bank) \$249.71

SPECIAL SCHOOL PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT
FUND

Received, James F. Kennedy,
Moderator \$50.00

Dec. 31, 1928, on deposit in Ran-
dolph Trust Co. \$50.00

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Randolph, Jan. 24, 1929

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph have this day examined the Coddington Fund, amounting to nineteen hundred dollars (\$1,900) on deposit in the Randolph Savings Bank; also the Special Fund, amounting to thirty-seven hundred and sixteen dollars and ninety-five cents (\$3,716.95) on deposit in the savings department of the Randolph Trust Company; also the Soldiers' Monument Fund, amounting to two hundred and forty-nine dollars and seventy-one cents (\$249.71) on deposit in the Randolph Savings Bank; also Special School Playground Equipment Fund, amounting to fifty dollars (\$50.00) on deposit in the Randolph Trust Company, and find the same to correspond with the accounts of the Town Treasurer.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,

Auditors.

Norfolk, ss.

Jan. 24, 1929.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,

Notary Kublic.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Report of the Town Accountant

RECEIPTS

General Revenue

TAXES

Current Year:

Poll	\$ 1,230.00	
Personal	23,097.06	
Real Estate	72,688.31	
	<hr/>	\$97,015.37

Previous Years:

Poll	\$ 2,496.66	
Personal	8,403.53	
Real Estate	67,790.86	
	<hr/>	78,691.05

Special Assessments:

Moth Tax (previous years)	\$166.75	
Current year	35.50	
	<hr/>	202.25

LICENSES

Junk	\$37.50	
Pedlars'	57.00	
Gas	18.00	
Pool and Billiards	10.00	
Milk	34.50	
Auto	24.00	
All others	60.00	
Permits	34.50	
	<hr/>	275.50

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FEEES AND FINES

Court	\$536.63	
Weights and Measures	57.60	
	<hr/>	594.23

FROM STATE

Corporation, Income, Street		
Railway and Bank Tax	\$32,819.13	
	<hr/>	32,819.13

GRANTS AND GIFTS

From County:		
Dog License	\$1,020.34	
From Individuals	34.70	
	<hr/>	1,055.04

DEPARTMENTAL

Town Hall	\$ 1.75	
Health	245.00	
	<hr/>	246.75
Construction, State	\$11,583.55	
Construction, County	11,583.56	
	<hr/>	23,167.11
Land Damage, County	\$1,289.00	
	<hr/>	1,289.00
Infirmary:		
Sale of Produce	\$183.85	
In board	290.00	
Out board	54.00	
	<hr/>	527.85
Charities:		
Relief from cities and towns	\$ 329.99	
Relief from State	1,979.90	

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Mothers' Aid, from State	210.00	
	<hr/>	2,519.89
Soldiers' Benefits:		
State Aid	\$840.00	
Soldiers' Relief:	170.83	
	<hr/>	1,010.83
Schools:		
Tuition State Wards	\$ 923.02	
Other tuition	1,711.33	
All other	2,867.08	
	<hr/>	5,501.43

WATER DEPARTMENT

Meter and Rental Rates	\$11,635.73	
Fixture Rates	4,648.42	
Others	1,267.29	
	<hr/>	17,551.44

COMMERCIAL REVENUE

Interest:		
Special	\$ 161.78	
General	291.71	
Taxes	3,435.55	
Others	8.38	
	<hr/>	3,897.42

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Revenue Notes	\$170,000.00	
Water	2,000.00	
Highway	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	182,000.00
Premiums on Loans	37.00	
	<hr/>	37.00

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REFUNDS

Outside Relief	\$ 10.00	
Infirmary	4.10	
Auditors	10.00	
Schools	208.54	
Town Office	3.35	
Town Clerk	2.63	
Stetson Hall Fund	6,800.00	
	<hr/>	7,038.62

Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1928:

General	\$1,126.02	
Special	3,555.17	
	<hr/>	4,681.19
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		\$460,121.10

PAYMENTS

General Government

EXPENDITURES—APPROPRIATIONS

	Expenditures	Appropriations
Selectmen		
Balance		\$ 34.70
Salaries		650.00
Expenses		700.00
Salaries	\$684.70	
Clerk	140.40	
Labor	44.00	
Stationery and Postage	21.79	
Printing and Advertising	32.00	
Carfares	27.00	
Telephone	9.22	

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Furniture	282.96	
Street signs	88.16	
All others	8.95	
To Revenue	45.52	
	<hr/>	1,384.70

Accounting Department:

Salary		\$500.00
Expenses		250.00
Salary	\$500.00	
Clerk	28.80	
Stationery and Postage	40.02	
Telephone	10.15	
Furniture	139.00	
Binders	15.00	
All others	6.29	
To Revenue	10.74	
	<hr/>	750.00

Moderator		\$50.00
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Salary	\$50.00	
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Treasurer's Department:

Salary		\$900.00
Expenses		275.00
Salary	900.00	
Certifying Notes	46.00	
Stationery and Postage	60.65	
Printing and Advertising	4.00	
Bond	120.00	
Insurance	15.00	
All other	29.11	
To Revenue	.24	
	<hr/>	1,175.00

Auditing Department:

Salaries		\$180.00
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Expenses		33.75
Salaries	\$180.00	
Traveling expenses	16.50	
Account Overdraft	17.25	
	<hr/>	213.75
Collector's Department:		
Balance		\$1,832.03
Salaries		2,250.00
Expenses		450.00
Salaries	\$1,763.76	
Stationery and Postage	136.27	
Printing and Advertising	61.50	
Bond	240.00	
Balance	2,330.50	
	<hr/>	4,532.03
Assessors' Department:		
Salaries		\$1,500.00
Expenses		475.00
From Reserve Fund		125.00
Tax Commissioner's Book		250.00
Maps and Plans (balance)		488.39
Revenue		1,000.00
Printing Poll Tax List		324.34
Salaries	\$1,750.00	
Clerks	230.60	
Labor	5.00	
Stationery and Postage	55.61	
Printing and Advertising	81.50	
Carfares	96.90	
Telephone	5.76	
Moving safes	25.75	
All others	96.41	
Maps and Plans	668.70	

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Balance (Printing Poll Tax List)	324.34	
Balance (Maps and Plans)	819.69	
To Revenue	2.47	
	<hr/>	4,162.73
Law Department:		\$500.00
Unpaid Bill (W. J. Good)		377.70
Rosetti Case		400.00
Counsel Fees	\$200.00	
W. J. Good	377.70	
Photographer	7.50	
Balance (Rosetti Case)	400.00	
To Revenue	292.50	
	<hr/>	1,277.70
Finance Committee:		\$175.00
Clerks	\$ 15.00	
Printing	147.50	
To Revenue	12.50	
	<hr/>	175.00
Town Clerk:		
Salary		\$1,100.00
Expenses		100.00
Refund		2.63
App. under Health Department		267.25
Salary	\$1,100.00	
Recording Fees	267.25	
Stationery and Postage	17.21	
Printing and Advertising	7.75	
Telephone	5.20	
Bond	5.00	
Repairing Desks	46.00	
Traveling Expenses	12.00	
All other	7.88	

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To Revenue	1.59	
		1,469.88
Election and Registration:		
Salaries		\$150.00
Expenses		1,100.00
From Reserve Fund		357.77
Salaries	\$150.00	
Election Officers	709.00	
Labor	156.40	
Stationery and Postage	9.00	
Printing and Advertising	329.00	
Meals	176.65	
Voting Booths	68.50	
All other	9.22	
		1,607.77
Town Office:		
Expenses		\$800.00
From Reserve Fund		100.00
Refund		3.35
Janitor	\$275.00	
Stationery and Supplies	104.93	
Labor	52.60	
Fuel	111.58	
Lights	166.07	
Janitor Supplies	2.16	
Repairs	.50	
Telephone	135.72	
All other	15.85	
To Revenue	38.94	
		903.35
Police Department:		
Salary		\$2,000.00
Expenses		1,200.00

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Lockup Expense		200.00
Beacon		292.50
Auto		400.00
Lockup Repairs		300.00
From Reserve Fund		50.06
Salary	\$2,000.00	
Special Police	444.60	
Other Employees	109.96	
Auto Repairs	135.21	
Motorcycle Repairs	66.30	
Gasoline and Oil	245.89	
Equipment for men	28.59	
New Auto	400.00	
Fuel	16.00	
Repairs	316.31	
Janitor's Supplies	2.75	
All others	15.20	
Printing and Postage	16.50	
Telephones	91.90	
Garage Rent	50.00	
Meals	44.27	
Signs and Beacons	439.00	
To Revenue	20.08	
	<hr/>	4,442.56
Fire Department:		
Salary of Driver		\$1,800.00
Salary of extra Driver		329.00
Salaries of Engineers		300.00
Salaries of Men		1,125.00
Fire Hose		825.00
Couplings		50.00
Boots		56.00
Coats		75.00

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Fire Alarm System (Balance)		350.00
Additional Appropriation		200.00
General Expense		1,000.00
Engineers	\$ 295.83	
Driver	1,800.00	
Spare Driver	329.00	
Men	931.25	
Other Employees	135.00	
Gas and Oil	107.82	
All others	7.21	
Garage Rent	15.00	
Repairs	328.78	
Fire alarm system	338.58	
Hose and Reel	832.50	
All other	39.88	
Fuel	212.55	
Lights	120.40	
Building Repairs	42.87	
Hose Coupling	44.00	
Stationery	4.00	
Telephone	72.00	
Boots	55.00	
Overcoats	71.50	
All others	31.89	
To Revenue	294.94	
	<hr/>	6,110.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures:		
Salary		\$150.00
Expenses		25.00
Salary	150.00	
Stationery and Postage	2.09	
Auto	10.75	
Seals	11.43	

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All others	.73	
	<hr/>	175.00

Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths:

Expenses		\$750.00
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Labor	471.65	
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Trucks	150.00	
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Insecticides	115.88	
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Tools	5.16	
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All others	5.57	
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To Revenue	1.74	
	<hr/>	750.00

Tree Department:

Salary		\$250.00
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Expenses		500.00
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From Reserve Fund		16.25
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Salary	250.00	
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Labor	272.60	
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Trucks	210.00	
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Stationery and Postage	4.00	
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Tools	7.98	
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All other	21.67	
	<hr/>	766.25

Forest Fires:

Expenses		800.00
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From Reserve Fund		50.00
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Fighting Fires	611.40	
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Labor	18.80	
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Apparatus	135.21	
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Hose	1.00	
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All other	71.59	
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To Revenue	12.00	
	<hr/>	850.00

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Health Department:

Inspector of Animals

Salary	\$50.00
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From Reserve Fund	50.00
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Inspector of Milk	50.00
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Inspector of Slaughtering	100.00
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From Resesve Fund	100.00
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Dog Officer	100.00
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Health Nurse	1,000.00
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Vital Statistics	375.00
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Expenses	3,500.00
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Appropriated under Schools (for school nurse)	1,250.00
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Appropriated under Schools (school physician)	100.00
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Printing and Advertising	54.65
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Health Officers	60.00
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All others	12.00
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Boston City Hospital	23.09
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Brockton City Hospital	271.50
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Lakeville Hospital	266.20
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Mass. Homeopathic Hospital	95.00
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Norfolk County Hospital	1,629.12
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Medical Attendance	28.00
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Return of Births	46.25
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Return of Deaths	9.25
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Fumigation	12.00
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Burial of Animals	34.00
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Cleaning Dumps	307.00
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Town Physicians	279.00
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All others	16.50
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School Nurse	1,220.00
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School Physician	100.00
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Animal Inspector	100.00
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Dog Officer	100.00
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Inspector of Slaughtering	200.00	
Inspector Milk	50.00	
Health Nurse	1,000.00	
Medical Treatment (Outside)	122.00	
Expended under Town Clerk	267.25	
To Revenue	372.19	
	<hr/>	6,675.00

Highway Department:

Salary		1,500.00
Expenses		10,000.00
Expenses		
Salary	1,500.00	
Telephone	45.55	
Labor	3,910.30	
Trucks	204.53	
Road Material	4,496.12	
Equipment and Repairs	455.22	
Gas and Oil	742.91	
Street Protection	10.50	
Coal	34.35	
Drainage	20.00	
Lumber	19.72	
All others	51.84	
To Revenue	8.96	
	<hr/>	11,500.00

Allen Street		
Expense		\$1,000.00
Labor	\$459.05	
Trucks	74.25	
Road Material	466.70	
	<hr/>	1,000.00

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Center Street (to South Main Street)		800.00
Labor	222.30	
Trucks	81.50	
Road Material	453.45	
Gas and Oil	17.70	
Steam Shovel	25.00	
To Revenue	.05	
	<hr/>	800.00
Centre Street (South to Mill)		
Labor	748.50	
Trucks	47.50	
Road Material	4.00	
	<hr/>	800.00
Chestnut Street		1,000.00
Labor	494.46	
Road Material	494.30	
Equipment and Repairs	7.00	
Gas and Oil	3.60	
To Revenue	.64	
	<hr/>	1,000.00
Emeline Street		700.00
Labor	598.80	
Trucks	90.00	
Tools	8.95	
Gas and Oil	2.04	
To Revenue	.21	
	<hr/>	700.00
Fairmount Street		\$500.00
Labor	\$283.20	
Trucks	13.50	
Road Material	203.10	
To Revenue	.20	
	<hr/>	500.00

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Fowler Street		500.00
Labor	481.80	
Road Material	.80	
Gas and Oil	11.39	
All others	5.90	
To Revenue	.11	
	<hr/>	500.00

Hall Street		\$1,000.00
Labor	666.70	
Trucks	184.50	
Road Material	41.12	
Gas and Oil	4.37	
Culverts	34.30	
Air Compressor	10.43	
Loading Machine	31.68	
All others	25.90	
To Revenue	1.00	
	<hr/>	1,000.00

High Street		1,000.00
Labor	634.50	
Trucks	189.00	
Road Material	57.27	
Gas and Oil	2.70	
Air Compressor	18.85	
Loading Machine	96.52	
To Revenue	1.16	
	<hr/>	1,000.00

Highland Avenue		1,000.00
Labor	328.72	
Road Material	669.00	

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Gas and Oil	2.15	
To Revenue	.13	
	<hr/>	1,000.00
Lafayette Street		1,200.00
Labor	691.85	
Road Material	473.35	
To Revenue	34.80	
	<hr/>	1,200.00
Maple Street		1,000.00
Labor	426.40	
Trucks	54.50	
Road Material	417.10	
Gas and Oil	1.80	
Steam Shovel	100.00	
To Revenue	.20	
	<hr/>	1,000.00
Orchard Street		600.00
Labor	399.50	
Trucks	139.50	
Gas and Oil	22.65	
Road Material	22.25	
Equipment and Repairs	16.00	
To Revenue	.10	
	<hr/>	600.00
Pauline Street		500.00
Labor	219.70	
Road Material	200.00	
Tools	4.07	
Air Compressor	64.26	

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Surveying	10.00	
To Revenue	1.97	
	<hr/>	500.00
School Street		500.00
Labor	348.99	
Road Material	151.00	
To Revenue	.01	
	<hr/>	500.00
Silver Street		1,000.00
Labor	635.10	
Trucks	153.00	
Road Material	199.34	
Gas and Oil	2.56	
Catch Basins	10.00	
	<hr/>	1,000.00
Stacy Street		3,000.00
Labor	2,025.62	
Trucks	647.29	
Gas and Oil	9.10	
Road Material	84.48	
Tools	18.11	
Air Compressor	7.40	
Loading Machine	171.00	
Surveying	35.00	
To Revenue	2.00	
	<hr/>	3,000.00
Canton Street		\$7,500.00
Balance from 1927		81.65
Powers Bros.	\$6,918.40	

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Labor	157.50	
Advertising	37.70	
All Others	8.00	
Balance	85.78	
Reduced by State and County (374.27)		7,581.65

Union Street		36,000.00
Powers Bros.	27,812.08	
Labor	324.48	
Frames	236.67	
Advertising	40.95	
All Others	17.28	
Balance	7,568.54	
	<hr/>	36,000.00

Snow Removal		\$1,500.00
Labor	565.52	
Horse Plows	186.15	
Outside Tractor	220.30	
Town Tractor (Storage)	120.00	
Town Tractor Repairs	317.59	
Town Tractor Gas and Oil	79.59	
All Others	10.85	
	<hr/>	1,500.00

Lights:		
White Way		\$665.00
Canton St.		33.00
Center St.		16.50
Highland Ave. (North)		49.50
Highland Ave. (South)		66.00
Oak St.		99.00
Warren St.		33.00

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West St.		33.00
Street Lights		6,737.24
Installation	\$375.00	
Consumption	6,729.57	
To Revenue	627.67	
		<hr/> 7,732.24

Land Damages:		
Pond Street		\$5,624.00
Center Street		16.00
Canton Street		232.00
Chestnut Street		420.00
Old Street		99.00
West and Warren Streets		505.00
Claim Settlements	4,529.00	
Balance	1,509.75	
Reduced by County (856.75)		
To Revenue	.50	
		<hr/> 6,896.00

Outside Relief		\$4,500.00
Refund		10.00
Groceries and Provisions	780.86	
Coal and Wood	132.00	
Medicine	25.00	
Cash	2,563.89	
Clothing	86.00	
Relief (to other towns)	619.43	
Relief (to State)	252.14	
Burial	40.00	
General Administration	6.00	
To Revenue	4.68	
		<hr/> 4,510.00

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Infirmary		\$4,200.00
From Reserve Fund		219.92
Refund		4.10
Superintendent	990.00	
Labor	348.00	
Groceries and Provisions	1,383.23	
Dry Goods	6.75	
Repairs to Buildings	101.52	
Fuel and Light	752.63	
Stock Feed	281.15	
Burial	85.00	
Telephone	47.35	
All Others	428.24	
To Revenue	.15	
	<hr/>	4,424.02
State Aid		\$720.00
From Reserve Fund		6.00
Payments	726.00	726.00
Soldiers' Benefits		\$1,500.00
From Reserve Fund		550.00
Cash	1,730.00	
Groceries and Provisions	150.08	
Fuel	44.75	
Burial of Indigent Soldier	96.00	
To Revenue	29.17	
	<hr/>	2,050.00
Military Aid		\$800.00
Payments	300.00	
To Revenue	500.00	
	<hr/>	800.00

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Schools:

Nurse	\$1,250.00
Physician	100.00
School Committee (Salaries)	300.00
School Committee (Expenses)	100.00
Superintendent's Salary	1,400.00
Teachers' Salaries (High)	16,750.00
Teachers' Salaries (Grade)	35,000.00
Books and Supplies	4,500.00
Trade and Continuation	3,500.00
Transportation	3,700.00
Care of Rooms	4,500.00
Fuel	3,500.00
Equipment	2,000.00
Gen. Expense	3,500.01
From Reserve Fund	125.00
North Randolph Repairs (Balance from 1927)	109.25
Belcher School Repairs	2,756.87
Belcher School Floors	500.00
Prescott School Repairs	500.00
Tower Hill School Construction	
(Will not show in School Com. Report)	600.00
Tower Hill School Construction (Balance from 1927, will not show in School Com. Report)	1,653.92
Refunds	208.54

General:

Committees' Salaries	\$ 300.00
Superintendent's Salary	1,393.32
Committees' Expense	95.00
Printing, Stationery and Postage	226.12
Telephone	169.75
Traveling Expenses	146.04

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Census	100.10
Guard Duty	44.60
All Other	184.80

Teachers' Salaries:

High	16,041.25
Grade	34,524.68

Books and Supplies:

High (Books)	1,319.26
High (Supplies)	989.52
Grade (Books)	1,249.59
Grade (Supplies)	907.21

Equipment:

High	583.47
Grade	1,355.14
Tuition (Trade and Continuation)	3,393.15
Transportation	3,690.65

Janitors' Services:

High	1,820.00
Grade	2,661.25

Fuel and Light:

High	1,822.77
Grade	2,135.19

Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:

High (Repairs)	346.11
High (Janitor's Supplies)	89.87
High (All Other)	540.27
Grade (Repairs)	339.95
Grade (Janitor's Supplies)	96.98
Grade (All Other)	280.24

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Furniture and Furnishings:

High	129.60	
Grade	5.00	
Belcher School Repairs	3,256.87	
North Randolph School Repairs	70.36	
Tower Hill School Repairs	2,250.43	
Nurse's Salary		
(See Health Department)	1,250.00	
Physician's Salary		
(See Health Department)	100.00	
Balance to 1929		
(Prescott Repairs)	500.00	
To Revenue	1,879.04	
Supervision	266.00	
Overdraft (1927)	.01	
	<hr/>	86,553.59

Turner Free Library (Repairs)		\$450.00
Repairs	440.05	
To Revenue	9.95	
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Insurance		\$2,200.00
Printing and Distributing Town Reports		818.00
Printing State Audit		300.00
Memorial Day		300.00
Care of Clock		20.00
Insurance	2,193.22	
Printing and Distributing		
Town Reports	818.00	
Memorial Day	300.00	
Care of Clock	20.00	
Balance to 1929	300.00	

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To Revenue	6.78	
	<hr/>	3,638.00
Premium on Notes and Bonds (Received from Banks)		37.00
Coupons	20.50	
Balance	16.50	
	<hr/>	37.00
Repairs Town Offices		8,000.00
From Stetson School Fund		6,800.00
Contract Repairs	14,130.00	
Balance	670.00	
	<hr/>	14,800.00
Water Department:		
Randolph Maintenance		\$4,000.00
From Reserve Fund		250.00
Service Construction		2,000.00
New Auto		560.00
Joint Account		3,637.18
Randolph Maintenance:		
Commissioners' Salaries	375.00	
Superintendent's Salary	2,000.00	
Garage Rent	50.00	
Stationery and Postage	82.28	
Printing and Advertising	31.00	
Telephone	81.35	
Moving Safes	22.00	
Janitor	116.60	
All Others	36.49	
Labor	1,572.27	
Trucks	699.32	
Meters and Fittings	1,417.37	

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Pipe and Fittings	240.34	
Gas and Oil	94.09	
Hydrants	42.50	
Gate Valves	31.46	
Freight	7.75	
Insurance	161.98	
All Other	111.16	
To Revenue	12.04	
Service Construction:		
Labor	910.50	
Pipe and Fittings	832.79	
All Others	226.85	
To Revenue	29.86	
Joint Account:		
Labor	445.50	
Oil, Waste and Packing	232.46	
Coal	1,114.22	
Repairs on Buildings	4.57	
Pipe and Fittings	114.43	
Town of Holbrook	923.09	
Telephone	61.46	
Lights	11.59	
Soda, Ash and Gauge Cock	43.77	
Hardware	25.73	
Freight and Express	14.72	
Chlorine	82.05	
Insurance	233.25	
Flue Brushes and Pump Valves	173.58	
All Others	60.62	
To Revenue	96.14	
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New Gate at Station		394.00

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Balance	394.00	
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Abbey Street		\$2,000.00
Labor	994.80	
Pipe and Fittings	573.33	
Tools	36.70	
Hydrants	195.00	
Freight	75.92	
Gas and Oil	25.90	
All Others	45.27	
To Revenue	53.08	
	<hr/>	2,000.00
Allen Street		\$1,500.00
Labor	226.20	
Pipe and Fittings	343.42	
Hydrants	65.00	
Tools	13.50	
Gas and Oil	12.87	
Freight	45.55	
All Others	19.10	
To Revenue	774.36	
	<hr/>	1,500.00
Versey Street		\$2,100.00
Labor	819.60	
Pipe and Fittings	525.38	
Hydrants	195.00	
Freight	69.13	
Tools	24.30	
Gas and Oil	64.23	
All Others	47.53	
To Revenue	354.83	
	<hr/>	2,100.00

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Highland Avenue		\$600.00
Labor	358.80	
Pipe	145.64	
Tools	7.73	
Gas and Oil	12.87	
Freight	20.32	
All Others	22.61	
To Revenue	32.03	
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Mill Street		\$2,100.00
Labor	726.60	
Pipe and Fittings	572.38	
Hydrants	195.00	
Tools	24.65	
Gas and Oil	13.00	
Freight	70.44	
All Others	40.26	
To Revenue	457.67	
	<hr/>	2,100.00

Patrolling Great Pond		\$433.00
To Revenue	433.00	
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Interest		\$9,000.00
Anticipation of Revenue	5,012.85	
Overdraft	25.00	
School Loans	2,601.00	
Highway	544.28	
Water	166.00	
Fire	61.76	
Refunding	427.50	

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To revenue	161.61	
	<hr/>	9,000.00
Agency: (App. 14,562.95-.60 from 1927 unpaid bills—22.38 Overdraft		
	<hr/>	\$14,585.93
State Tax	6,970.00	
County Tax	6,833.33	
State Highway Tax	742.00	
Veterans' Exemption Tax	22.38	
Auditing Municipal Accounts	17.62	
National Bank Tax 1923	.60	
	<hr/>	14,585.93
Municipal Indebtedness		\$166,000.00
Anticipation of Revenue	150,000.00	
School Loan	6,000.00	
Water	2,200.00	
Highway	5,500.00	
Fire	1,300.00	
Refunding	1,000.00	
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Balance—Cash Dec. 31, 1928		\$28,643.11
General	24,926.16	
Special	3,716.95	
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		\$460,121.10

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ANALYSIS OF DEBITS AND CREDITS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1928

1927 Overdrafts	\$230.88	
To be Reimbursed		108.50
To be Raised and Appropriated		122.38
1928 Unpaid Bills on hand	2,512.07	
To be Raised and Appropriated		2,512.07
Anticipation of Revenue Notes Jan 1, 1928	80,000.00	
Borrowed in 1928	170,000.00	
Paid in 1928		150,000.00
To be paid out of Receipts and Taxes		100,000.00
Bonded Indebtedness	87,000.00	
To be paid out of Taxation		87,000.00
Total	\$339,742.95	\$339,742.95

CREDITS

To Revenue (Unexpended Balances)		\$9,339.81
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1928	1,126.02	
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1928		24,926.16
Credit Balance	33,139.95	
Total	\$34,265.97	\$34,265.97

With reference to Overdrafts, \$50.00 was paid to Inspector of Animals and Inspector of Slaughtering respectively as part of 1926 salary and \$22.38 was charged by the state and deducted from the amount owed this town. These amounts I am asking the citizens to raise and appropriate. The remaining \$108.50 was created by overpayment of salaries and should be reimbursed.

With reference to the unpaid bills on hand, the majority of these bills came in after the books were closed, excepting the amount of \$641.94. This amount is due on Walter H. Lyons', Collector of Taxes' salary. This shortage has been accumulating since 1921 owing to the town having tax levies in excess of amount appropriated for his commission. For instance, in the year 1926 the town appropriated \$1,800. as his commission on a levy of \$161,780. and his commission being 1½ %. This levy with interest added makes a net commission of pretty close to \$2,400. This amount of 641.94 I would respectfully ask the citizens to raise and appropriate in order to square Mr. Lyons' account to date.

ELMER L. BURCHELL,

Town Accountant.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1928

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
General			
Special			
Taxes:			
1922	\$24,926.16		\$6.63
1924	3,716.95		
1925		Loans Authorized:	
1926	86.84	Anticipation of Revenue	100,000.00
1927	169.43	Departmental Revenue	4,871.72
1928	1,703.83	Water Revenue	2,392.81
	3,116.26		
	13,470.11		
	85,155.99		
Dept. Accounts Receivable			
Town Offices	476.00	Overlays:	
State and Military Aid	881.00	1922	115.10
Health Department	168.56	1923	731.01
Poor Department	1,396.01	1928	1,361.51
Soldiers' Benefits	147.98		
School Department	1,802.17	Soldiers' War Bonus	3,716.95
Accounts Receivable, Commercial Revenue:		Overlay Surplus	584.47
Highways	5,458.62	Premium on Notes and Bonds	16.50
Land Damage	757.25	Excess and Deficiency	18,540.76
Water Rates:		Tax Collector's Salary	2,318.27
1927	275.74	Tax Collector's Expense	12.23
1928	2,117.07	Assessors:	
Overlays:		Maps and Plans	819.69
1924	692.50	Printing Poll Tax List	324.34
1925	73.59	Law Department:	
1926	74.38	Rosetti Case	400.00
1927	451.24	Highways:	
Veterans' Exemption	22.38	Canton Street	85.78
Health Department:		Union Street	7,568.54
Inspector of Animals	50.00	Land Damage (Pond Street)	1,239.00
		Land Damage (Centre Street)	16.00

ASSETS

Inspector of Slaughtering

Land Damage (West and Warren)

254.75

LIABILITIES

Schools:

Prescott (Repairs

500.00

Printing State Audit

\$300.00

Stetson Hall Repairs

670.00

Water Department:

New Gate

394.00

Total

\$147,240.06

\$147,240.06

Net Funded or Fixed Debt

\$87,000.00

Net Funded or Fixed Debt:

High School Equipment Loan

\$3,000.00

Water Loan, 1924

1,200.00

Refunding Loan

9,000.00

School Loan, 1925

56,000.00

Water Loan, 1925

1,000.00

Highway Loan, 1926

1,800.00

Highway Loan, 1920

2,000.00

Highway Loan, 1924

1,000.00

Highway Loan, 1928

10,000.00

Water:

Abbey Street

1,000.00

Vesey Street

1,000.00

Total

\$87,000.00

Total

\$87,000.00

Trust Funds:

Cash and Securities

\$65,338.25

Trust Funds:

Coddington School Fund

\$1,900.00

Stetson High School Fund

*20,699.90

Turner Reference Fund

*1,095.73

Library Fund

41,392.91

Soldiers' Monument Fund

249.71

Total

\$65,338.25

Total

\$65,338.25

* No report for 1928.

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

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Date of Maturity	Water Loan, 1924	Water Loan, 1925	Highway Loan, 1924	Water Loan, 1928 Vesey Street	Water Loan, 1928 Abbey Street	Highway Loan, 1926	Highway Loan, 1920	High School Equip- ment Loan, 1926	Highway Loan, 1928	Refunding Loan, 1907	School Loan, 1925
1929	\$1,200	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$500	\$500	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$2,000	\$1,000	\$5,000
1930						800	1,000	1,000	2,000	1,000	5,000
1931				500	500			1,000	2,000	1,000	5,000
1932									2,000	1,000	5,000
1933									2,000	1,000	5,000
1934										1,000	5,000
1935										1,000	5,000
1936										1,000	5,000
1937										1,000	4,000
1938											4,000
1939											4,000
1940											4,000

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND PAYMENTS FOR 1928

ACCOUNT	Appropriations	From Reserve Fund	Refund	Overdraft	Transferred	Payments	Reduction by State and County	Overdraft	Transferred	Balance	To Revenue
Selectmen	\$1,384.70					\$1,339.18				\$45.52	
Moderator	50.00					50.00					
Accountant	750.00					739.26				10.74	
Treasurer	1,175.00					1,174.76				.24	
Auditors	213.75					196.50					
Tax Collector	4,532.03					2,201.53		17.25		2,330.50	
Assessors	4,037.73	\$125.00				3,016.23				1,144.03	
Finance	175.00					162.50					
Law	1,277.70					585.20				400.00	
Town Clerk	1,200.00		\$2.63		\$267.25	1,468.29					1.59
Election and Regis.	1,250.00	357.77				1,607.77					
Town Office	800.00	100.00	3.35			864.41					38.94
Police	4,392.50	50.06				4,422.48					20.08
Fire Department	6,110.00					5,815.06				294.94	
Forest Fires	800.00	50.00				838.00					12.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	175.00					175.00					
Tree Warden	750.00	16.25				766.25					
Moth Extermination	750.00					748.26					1.74
Health Department	5,175.00	150.00			1,320.00	6,035.56			†267.25	342.19	
Highway Dept.	11,500.00					11,491.04				8.96	
Allen Street	1,000.00					1,000.00					
Centre Street to Main	800.00					799.95				.05	
Centre Street to Mill	800.00					800.00					
Chestnut Street	1,000.00					999.36				.64	
Emeline Street	700.00					699.79				.21	
Fairmount Street	500.00					499.80				.20	
Fowler Street	500.00					499.89				.11	

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND PAYMENTS FOR 1928

ACCOUNT	Appropriations	From Reserve Fund	Refund	Overdraft	Transferred	Payments	Reduction by State and County	Overdraft	Transferred	Balance	To Revenue
Hall Street	1,000.00					999.00					1.00
High Street	1,000.00					998.84					1.16
Highland Avenue	1,000.00					999.87					.13
Lafayette Street	1,200.00					1,165.20					34.80
Maple Street	1,000.00					999.80					.20
Orchard Street	600.00					599.90					.10
Pauline Street	500.00					498.03					1.97
School Street	500.00					499.99					.01
Silver Street	1,000.00					1,000.00					2.00
Stacy Street	3,000.00					2,998.00				85.78	
Canton Street	7,581.65					7,121.60	374.27			7,568.54	
Union Street	36,000.00					28,431.46					
Snow Removal	1,500.00					1,500.00					
Lights	7,732.24					7,104.57					627.67
Land Damage	6,896.00					4,529.00	856.75			1,509.75	.50
Poor Department	4,500.00					4,505.32					4.68
Infirmary	4,200.00	219.92	10.00			4,423.87					.15
Soldiers' Benefits	1,500.00	550.00	4.10			2,020.83					29.17
State Aid	720.00	6.00				726.00					
Military Aid	800.00					300.00					500.00
Schools	86,220.05	125.00	208.54			82,824.54			.01	500.00	1,909.04
Turner Library	450.00					440.05					9.95
Insurance	2,200.00					2,193.22				16.50	6.78
Premiums						20.50					
Town Reports	818.00					818.00					
Unpaid Bills, 1927	1,568.96					1,562.44					6.52

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ACCOUNT	Appropriations	From Reserve Fund	Refund	Overdraft	Transferred	Payments	Reduction by State and County	Overdraft	Transferred	Balance	To Revenue
Printing State Audit	300.00					300.00				300.00	
Memorial Day	300.00					20.00					
Care of Clock	20.00										
Stetson Hall Repairs	8,000.00					14,130.00				670.00	
Water Department	12,966.18					12,684.14				394.00	
Patrolling Great Pond	433.00	250.00									
Abbey Street	2,000.00					1,946.92					138.04
Vesey Street	2,100.00					1,745.17					433.00
Allen Street	1,500.00					725.64					53.08
Mill Street	2,100.00					1,642.33					354.83
Highland Avenue	600.00					567.97					774.86
Interest	9,000.00					8,838.39					457.67
State Tax	6,970.00					6,970.00					32.03
Audit and Mun.	17.62					17.62					161.61
State Highway	742.00					742.00					
Veterans' Exemption				\$22.38		22.38					
County Tax	6,833.33					6,833.33					
Maturing Debt	16,000.00					16,000.00					
Revenue Notes						150,000.00					
Balance, Dec. 31, 1928											
General						24,926.16					
Special						3,716.95					
Refund of 1926 Taxes						16.00					
Total						\$460,121.10					

‡ Expended under Town Clerk's Dept.

‡ Expended under Health Dept.

* Credit from Stetson School Fund.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

	1926		1927		1928	
	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.
Revenue Notes		\$62,000.00		\$80,000.00		\$100,000.00
Overlay—Overdrawn		8,379.90		803.10		1,291.71
Overdrafts		8,520.64		*117.26		†22.38
Unpaid Bills		2,480.64		1,802.96		‡2,512.07
Balance on hand, January 1		7,855.96		3,212.98		1,126.02
Taxes Outstanding	\$92,030.65		\$103,842.57		\$103,702.46	
To be cleared by Tax Titles						251.98
Taxes Overpaid						6.63
Outstanding Water Revenue	2,847.42		1,579.80		2,392.81	
Water Loan Sinking Fund	4,450.36					
Accounts Receivable	6,851.41		6,224.18		4,871.72	
Excess and Deficiency	12,482.29		18,958.29		18,540.75	
Cash on Hand Dec. 31	3,212.98		3,317.00		24,926.16	
Credit Balance		32,637.97		47,985.54		49,223.11
	<u>\$121,875.11</u>	<u>\$121,875.11</u>	<u>\$133,921.84</u>	<u>\$133,921.84</u>	<u>\$154,433.90</u>	<u>\$154,433.90</u>

† Created by the state

‡ \$641.94 of this due Tax Collector owing to insufficient appropriation for salary.

* \$117.26 contracted previous to installation of Town Accountant.

Report of the Water Commissioners

To the citizens of the Town of Randolph:

The forty-third annual report of the Water Commissioners is herewith submitted for the year ending December 31, 1928.

During the past year 85 new services were connected and 96 new meters were installed; 137 old meters were removed, cleaned and repaired. There were 8 leaks in the larger mains supplying the standpipes of Randolph and Holbrook, these being cared for under the Joint Maintenance Account; in the smaller mains there were 9 leaks and 31 leaks in service connections which were cared for under the Randolph Maintenance Account. 36 services were pumped out and cleaned; 4 hydrants were broken by automobiles; 6 hydrants were removed and repaired and 3 hydrants were equipped with new gates.

Again we call the attention of the voters to the large number of hydrants on side streets that are not equipped with gates. When repairs are made on these hydrants, the whole street line must be shut off, causing great inconvenience to the department and to the water users.

NEW EXTENSIONS

During the year, as per instructions from the Town, new extensions were made on the following streets:

Abby Street	700 feet
Vesey Road	700 feet
Allen Street	500 feet

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Mill Street	700 feet
Highland Avenue	200 feet

In installing these extensions we have followed our custom of the last three years by having the work all done under our own Superintendent and by the laborers of the town. In laying these extensions \$3,125.90 was paid out in labor to the people of this town. Had we hired a contractor, this money would all have gone out of town. We think it is much better to give our own town people this work for it means a help to every person doing business in the town. We got a very low price on our pipe and some of the streets were very easy to excavate, and \$1,671.97 was turned back into the Treasury after the work was all completed. We are going to ask the town to appropriate a portion of this money from the Treasury to tie up several dead-ends which exist in different parts of the town. We believe that all the dead-ends of the town should be connected where they could be done without much expense. People living near the end of a pipe on the street where all the corrosion of the pipe collects, do not get very clear water and unless the dead-ends are continually flushed out, the water becomes discolored and not very inviting for either drinking or other domestic purposes.

PUMPING STATION

In the pumping station we have 2 boilers, one of 160 H. P. return tubular boiler installed in 1913 which is in first-class condition, and another boiler of 100 H. P. return tubular installed in 1905. This older boiler does not carry pressure enough to operate the turbine driven pump and cannot drive the reciprocating pump anywhere

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near capacity. At the present time it needs new tubes and other repairs. Your commissioners, together with the Water Commissioners of Holbrook, made an investigation of the conditions at the Pumping Station, and after discussing the possibility of installing an oil burning plant, or using electricity for power, or continuing with steam power, we finally engaged Mr. Fred O. Stevens, Consulting Engineer, to go over the problem for us and advise us as to the proper equipment needed for our Pumping Station. After receiving his report, a joint meeting was held with the Holbrook Commissioners and it was unanimously voted that we ask the towns for an appropriation of \$5,000 to install another 160 H. P. boiler carrying 160 lbs. pressure in place of the old 100 H. P. boiler. Considering that the rest of the machinery at the Pumping Station is in very good condition, and will need only minor repairs, with the installation of this new boiler, we would be well equipped for the next ten or fifteen years.

We again invite the citizens of the town to call at any time and inspect the Pumping Station, where they will be made welcome by Mr. Peterson, our engineer, who will be pleased to show them the station and machinery.

CONDITION OF THE WATER

The condition of the water at the Great Pond is very good, according to the reports received from the State Department of Public Health. Your Water Commissioners have spent considerable time during the past year inspecting the water sheds of Great Pond and its tributaries. Many visits were made to places that seemed likely to cause pollution of the water. The majority of the people visited complied with the requests of the Water

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Commissioners in so far as taking care of cesspools, privies, etc. Many such nuisances were moved to higher ground, and some were removed entirely. Much work remains to be done, and many places, which may be possible sources of pollution, will remain on our water shed until such time as the Water Commissioners of Braintree and Holbrook are willing to contribute to the expense of proper supervision. We had a survey made of one tributary of the Great Pond where there is a great possibility of pollution. Here the water begins to flow at Main Street, in the vicinity of Mt. Pleasant Square, across Belcher Street through some swamp land, then across Liberty Street and on to the pond. A number of dwelling houses are situated near this stream where the ground is low and damp and most impossible to care for the sewerage in the ordinary way. For an expense of \$4,000 this stream could be turned into another stream nearby that runs down through the Broad meadows. We would gladly recommend an appropriation for this work, if we could interest the other towns using the pond for a water supply. There are many other streams leading into the pond that contain the slime, muck and decayed vegetable matter of many years that should be cleaned out and properly supervised at all times.

Our experience leads us to believe that the only way to supervise the water shed properly, is to have an officer continually on the grounds. There are many miles of streams leading into the pond which should be inspected two or three times a week. We do not believe that Randolph should stand the whole expense of this work. During the year we had two persons taken to the District Court where substantial fines were imposed for pollution

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of the water, under the Rules and Regulations adopted at our request by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, June 15, 1926.

The expenditures of the Water Department will be found in the Town Accountant's Report.

Outstanding water rates will be found in the report of the Water Collector.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. McNEILL,
RICHARD F. FORREST.
FRED D. DRISCOLL,

Water Commissioners.

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COLLECTOR OF WATER RATES

Balance Levy 1926 and prior	\$246.88	
Additional Warrants	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$256.88
By water rates paid Treasurer	\$242.48	
By abatements	14.40	
	<hr/>	\$256.88

Randolph, Jan. 24, 1929.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Collector of Water Rates and find same correct as per above statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors.

Norfolk, ss. Jan. 24, 1929.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

Balance Water Levy 1927		\$1,332.92
By water rates paid Treasurer	\$1,018.18	
By abatements	39.00	
Uncollected December 31, 1928	275.74	
	<hr/>	\$1,332.92

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Water Levy 1928		\$18,620.57
By water rates paid Treasurer	\$16,290.78	
By abatements	212.72	
Uncollected	2,117.07	
	<hr/>	\$18,620.57

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RECORD OF PUMPING

To the Water Commissioners of Randolph and Holbrook:

The following is the record of pumping for the year 1928:

			Lbs.	Lbs.
	Gallons Pumped	Daily Av.	Coal Burned	Daily Av.
January	14,438,527	465,759	48,200	1,500.55
February	14,325,745	493,991	45,800	1,500.75
March	15,208,417	490,594	50,200	1,600.20
April	14,932,897	497,763	47,500	1,500.83
May	16,622,562	523,407	51,800	1,600.18
June	17,759,564	591,952	47,900	1,600.
July	16,674,968	537,902	52,400	1,600.90
August	20,912,045	642,324	61,700	1,900.90
September	17,188,614	572,620	54,000	1,800.
October	18,360,190	592,264	50,800	1,600.40
November	17,207,978	573,599	54,000	1,800.
December	15,244,829	491,765	49,100	1,600.
Total	198,876,336	543,779	6,134,400	1,600.80

Largest day's pumping—August 3, 1928: 1,048,648 gallons, 11 hours 30 minutes.

Largest week's pumping ended August 19th, 1928: 4,928,695 gallons.

Respectfully submitted,

AUGUST J. PETERSEN,
Engineer.

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

The following regulations, until further notice, shall be considered a part of the contract with every person who uses water:

1. All applications for use of water must be made at the office of the Water Commissioners, and state fully the purposes for which it is intended to be used. Water will not be introduced to premises except on the written application of the owner thereof, or by a duly authorized agent. The property will in all cases be held responsible for the water rates.

2. All persons taking water must keep their water pipes and fixtures in good repair and protected from the frost at their own expense. They will be held liable for all damages resulting from their failure to do so. They shall prevent all unnecessary waste, and water shall not be left running to prevent freezing. The Water Commissioners or their agents may, from time to time, ascertain the quantity of water used, the manner of its use, and whether there is any unnecessary waste. They and their agents shall have free access to the premises supplied, to examine the apparatus, and if any fixtures are found not to be in good order, they shall direct them repaired, and if not repaired within two days the water shall be shut off and not let on again until such repairs are made, and the sum of two dollars paid for shutting off and turning on the water.

3. The occupant of any premises, when unnecessary waste of water occurs, shall be liable to a fine of two dollars for the first offence, and four dollars for the second

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offence during the same year, and shall be notified thereof in writing; and if such waste is not prevented and the aforesaid paid within two days from the time when the said notice is given, the water shall be shut off the premises, and shall not be again let on for the same occupant until the waste be stopped and the fine paid, together with an additional sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water, and in case of a third or subsequent offence the water shall be shut off, and shall not again be let on except by a vote of the Water Commissioners and the payment of such fine, not exceeding ten dollars, as the Water Commissioners may impose.

4. Any person supplied with water shall not allow another to take water from their fixtures without the written permission of the Water Commissioners. If any tenant having no fixtures, has any use of such fixtures, full rates will be charged for such use by each tenant.

5. All parties using water in stables, for horses or other animals, will be charged scheduled rates for the same, whether it be carried by hand or through hose.

6. All persons using water for building purposes are required to obtain a permit from the Water Commissioners before taking water from any faucet or fixtures connected with the water works, and all water takers are warned not to let any party take water from their premises until they show a permit from the Water Commissioners. Any person furnishing water in violation of this section will be subject to a fine of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and if the same when levied is not paid within three days from the time when the notice thereof is given, the water will be shut off from the premises and will not be let on again until such fine is paid.

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7. All fixtures and water closets and urinals must be of a kind and quality approved by the Water Commissioners, also a vacuum valve must be installed on all pressure range boilers connected with the system.

8. No person shall in any case be allowed to open any fire hydrants except by a written permit from the Water Commissioners; but the Engineers of the Fire Department shall in all cases have control of hydrants at fires and for practice.

9. The Commissioners reserve the right to restrict the use of hose or fountain, to shut off the water in all cases when it becomes necessary to make extensions or repairs, or for violations of any of the regulations, or whenever they deem it expedient.

10. The regular rates for the use of water shall be payable in advance on the first days of January and July of each year, except where water is supplied to manufacturers by special agreement. In all cases of non-payment of the water rates within ten days after same is due, as well as for any violations of these rules and regulations, the supply will be shut off, and payment of the amount due, and payment of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water.

11. The Water Commissioners reserve the right to change the water rates at any time, except in cases of dwelling houses and established special rates.

12. For business requiring large quantities of water, and all supplies not enumerated in the tariff of rates, special rates will be made.

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13. Parties using water for manufacturing or domestic purposes can erect hydrants on their grounds or stand-pipes in their building to be used only as a protection against fire without additional charge for water.

14. All applicants for the introduction of service pipes to premises are required to make written application therefor at the office of the Water Commissioners. And in no case will the main be tapped more than once for the same premises, unless the additional expense is borne by the owner.

Charged as follows:

The following water rates are established until further notice:

No connection made with the main for any purpose for less than	\$6.00
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Dwelling Houses

Occupied by one family, for the first faucet	6.00
Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2.00
Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet for all, each family	5.00
One faucet for each family	6.00
Occupied by one family, for the first faucet	6.00
Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2.00
Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet for all, each family	5.00

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One faucet for each family	6.00
Occupied by one family	6.00
For first bathtub	5.00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4.00
Each additional bathtub	2.00
For first pan or self-acting water closet	5.00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4.00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet	2.00
In no case shall the charge for the use of water by a private family, exclusive of hose and stable, be more than	20.00
Where two faucets are used, one for hot and one for cold water, emptying into the same basin, only one charge shall be made for both.	
Laundry tub	3.00

Boarding Houses and Hotels

First faucet	\$10.00
Each additional faucet	3.00
First bathtub	10.00
Each additional bathtub	3.00
First pan or self-acting water closet	10.00
Each additional pan on self-acting water closet	3.00

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Private Stables

First horse	\$5.00
Each additional horse	3.00
Each cow or ox	1.00

Livery, Express and Boarding Stables

For the first four horses	\$12.00
From five to twelve horses, each	2.00

The above prices to include water for washing carriages.

Offices, Stores, Markets, Barber Shops, Restaurants. When used for ordinary purposes, same as for dwelling houses.

Building purposes. Each cask of lime or cement	.05
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Hose

For sprinkling streets, washing windows and similar uses, 1/4-inch nozzle, to be used only on premises and street opposite, not exceeding two hours per day for six months in the year	5.00
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For any use not herein enumerated, special rates will be made.

Meter Rates Payable at Time of Reading.

For not over 133 cubic feet average per day, per 100 cubic feet	.23
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For over 133 cubic feet and not exceeding 266 cubic feet average per day, per 100 cubic feet	.19
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For over 266 cubic feet average per day	.15
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Provided that in no case where a meter is used shall the annual charge be less than \$7.00.

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Meters may be supplied by the Water Commissioners, for which annual rental will be charged as follows:

Size $\frac{5}{8}$ -inch	\$1.00 per year
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Size $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch	\$1.00 per year
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All needed repairs, damages by frost and heat excepted, will be made at the expense of the town.

RICHARD F. FORREST,
JOHN B. McNEILL,
FRED D. DRISCOLL,

Water Commissioners.

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Assessors' Report—1928

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Chairman, Waldo E. Mann

Associate Members, Frank F. Teed and Henry V. Morgan.

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The Board of Asssesors for the year 1928, submit the following report for the consideration of the Tax-payers of the Town of Randolph.

TAX RATE—\$32.20

Our tax rate of \$32.20 per thousand shows an increase of 60 cents per thousand from the tax rate of the previous year. The total appropriations voted to be raised through the tax levy of 1928 was \$242,203.30, the largest in the history of the town.

INCREASE IN VALUATION—\$345,950.00

By reference to the table of assessed valuation appended hereto, it will be noted that the total assessed valuation of taxable property, indicates an increase of \$345,950.00, making the total valuation \$5,583,200.

TOWN MAPS AND PLANS

Progress was accomplished during the year in the making of plans of the town. The engineers employed have practically completed plans for approximately one-third of the area of the town. The completed plans, be-

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ing made from actual survey, indicate each parcel of land separately, its location, area, boundaries, ownership, and the buildings situated thereon. The plans are advantageous for the intelligent assessment of real estate, for without them, land values in particular, can only be determined on an approximate basis. Assessments based on actual area, as well as location, will necessarily result in a high degree of accuracy in the determination and apportionment of the tax burden.

These plans will provide a basis for taxing all the property all the time, which is rather important when it is considered that at least \$260,000 in omitted land value has been added to the valuation lists in the last five years. The revenue derived from taxing this amount of previously omitted assessments amounts to more in one year than the entire cost of the completed plans will be.

It is, therefore, obvious that the work should be carried through to completion: and to that end, we recommend that the sum of \$1,000 be appropriated at the Annual Town Meeting of 1929, an amount equal to that provided in the previous year.

We have received the hearty co-operation of the Town Officials and the Citizens of the Town for which we are grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

WALDO E. MANN, Chairman
FRANK F. TEED, Clerk
HENRY V. MORGAN.

Board of Assessors.

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ASSESSED VALUATION

Personal Estate	\$877,850.00	
Real Estate—Land	1,275,450.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	3,429,900.00	
Total	<hr/>	\$5,583,200.00

1927

Personal Estate	\$853,450.00	
Real Estate—Land	1,245,050.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	3,138,750.00	
Total	<hr/>	\$5,237,250.00

INCREASED IN VALUATION—1928

Personal Estate	\$24,400.00	
Real Estate—Land	30,400.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	291,150.00	
Total	<hr/>	\$345,950.00

APPROPRIATIONS MADE AT THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING OF 1928, PROVIDED FOR THROUGH CURRENT TAX LEVY, CERTIFIED TO BY TOWN CLERK.

Moderator's Salary		\$50.00
Selectmen:		
Salaries	\$650.00	
Expenses	700.00	
	<hr/>	1,350.00
Auditors:		
Salaries	\$180.00	
Expenses	16.50	
	<hr/>	196.50
Accountant:		
Salary	\$500.00	

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Expenses	250.00	
	<hr/>	750.00
Treasurer:		
Salary	\$900.00	
Expenses (including premium on bond	275.00	
	<hr/>	1,175.00
Tax Collector:		
Salary in form of Commission of 11¼ on Collection (Est.)	2,250.00	
Expenses including Premium on Bond	250.00	
Other expenses	200.00	
	<hr/>	2,700.00
Assessors:		
Salaries	\$1,500.00	
Expenses	475.00	
Town Plans and Maps	1,000.00	
Special Set of Books for Tax Commissioner, 1928	250.00	
	<hr/>	3,225.00
Law Department:		
Expense	\$500.00	
Rosetti Case	400.00	
Article 19	377.70	
	<hr/>	1,277.70
Town Clerk:		
Salary	\$1,100.00	

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Expense	100.00	
Printing Report of State Audit	300.00	
Vital Statistics	375.00	
	<hr/>	1,875.00
Election and Registration:		
Salaries of Registrars	\$150.00	
Expenses of Elections	1,100.00	
	<hr/>	1,250.00
Town Office:		
Expense	\$800.00	
	<hr/>	800.00
Police Department:		
Salary	\$2,000.00	
Expense (including Special Police)	1,200.00	
Expense Operating Lockup	200.00	
Article 16—Repair Lockup	300.00	
Article 21—Beacon Light Lib- erty and No. Main Sts.	292.50	
Article 24—New Closed Ford Automobile	400.00	
	<hr/>	4,392.50
Fire Department:		
Salary—Driver of Trucks	\$1,800.00	
Salary—Engineers	300.00	
Salary—Spare Driver	329.00	
Salaries—Fifteen Firemen at \$75.00 each as full compen- sation	1,125.00	

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Equipment—2 sets double coup- lings	50.00	
New Hose	825.00	
Rubber Boots	56.00	
Coats	75.00	
General Expense	1,000.00	
New Line on North St.	200.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,760.00
Forest Fires—Expense	\$800.00	
	<hr/>	800.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures:		
Salary	\$150.00	
Expenses	25.00	
	<hr/>	175.00
Moth Extermination—Expenses	\$750.00	
	<hr/>	750.00
Tree Warden:		
Salary	\$250.00	
Expenses	500.00	
	<hr/>	750.00
Health and Sanitation		
Health Department	\$3,500.00	
Inspector of Animals—Salary	50.00	
Inspector of Milk—Salary	50.00	
Inspector of Slaughtering—Salary	100.00	
Dog Officer—Salary	100.00	
Employment of Health Nurse— Article 28	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	4,800.00

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Highways

Highway Surveyor—Salary	\$1,500.00	
Highway General	10,000.00	
Article 34—Fowler Street	500.00	
Article 35—Lafayette Street	1,200.00	
Article 37—Chestnut Street	1,000.00	
Article 38—Silver Street	1,000.00	
Article 41—Highland Ave.	1,000.00	
Articles 40 and 48—Allen Street	1,000.00	
Article 42—Maple Street	1,000.00	
Article 43—Centre Street	800.00	
Article 43—Centre Street, between South and Mill Streets	800.00	
Article 44—School Street	500.00	
Article 47—Fairmount Street	500.00	
Article 49—Orchard Street	600.00	
Article 50—High Street	1,000.00	
Article 57—Pauline Street	500.00	
Article 58—Stacy Street	3,000.00	
Article 60—Hall Street	1,000.00	
Article 62—Emeline Street	700.00	
	<hr/>	\$27,600.00
Article 32—Union Street		
Notes \$10,000 Tax Levy	2,000.00	
	<hr/>	2,000.00
Article 33—Canton Street	7,500.00	
To be reimbursed \$5,000.00	<hr/>	2,500.00
Snow Removal	1,500.00	
Street Lighting	6,737.24	
White Ways	665.00	

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Article 64—Centre St.	33.00	
Article 65—Centre St., between Union and Mill	16.50	
Article 66—West St.	33.00	
Article 67—Warren St.	33.00	
Article 68—Highland Avenue	49.50	
Article 69—Oak St.	99.00	
Article 70—Highland Ave.	66.00	
	<hr/>	\$9,232.24

Charities and Soldiers' Benefits

Almshouse:		
Salaries and expenses	\$4,200.00	
Outside Relief:		
Including poor out of almshouse and Mother's Aid	4,500.00	
State Aid	720.00	
Military Aid	800.00	
Soldiers' Relief	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$11,720.00

Schools

Stetson High School Teaching	16,750.00
Teaching Grammar Schools	35,000.00
Fuel	3,500.00
Books and Supplies	4,500.00
Care of Rooms	4,500.00
Transportation	3,700.00
Supt. of Schools	1,400.00
School Physician	100.00
School Nurse	1,250.00
Continuation and Trade Schools	3,500.00

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General Expense	3,500.00	
Equipment	2,000.00	
School Committee Expense	100.00	
New Floors—Belcher School	500.00	
Changes at Prescott School	500.00	
School Committees Salary	300.00	
Article 29—Tower Hill School	600.00	
	<hr/>	81,700.00
Repairs to Belcher School (after fire)		2,756.87
Repairs, Turner Free Library		450.00
Memorial Day Expenses	300.00	
Care of Clock, Congregational Church	20.00	
Printing and Distributing of Annual Town Reports	818.00	
	<hr/>	1,138.00
Claims—Land Damages to be appropriated but not raised by taxation:		
Canton Street	232.00	
Chestnut Street	420.00	
Old Street	99.00	
West Street	200.50	
Warren Street	305.00	
	<hr/>	1,256.50
Claims—Land Damages to be raised by taxation:		
Pond Street	5,624.00	
Centre Street	16.00	
	<hr/>	5,640.00
Insurance		2,200.00

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State and County Taxes

State Tax	\$8,040.00	
State Highway Tax	742.00	
County Tax	6,705.08	
	<hr/>	15,487.08

Public Enterprises

Water Department:

Maintainance	\$4,000.00	
Joint Account	3,637.18	
New Ford Truck	560.00	
Service Construction	2,000.00	
Commissioners Salaries	375.00	
Supt. Salary	2,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$12,572.18

New Construction:

Article 51 Vesey St.	\$2,100.00	
Notes	\$1,000.00	
Tax Levy		1,100.00
Article 52—Allen St.		1,500.00
Article 53—Mill St.		2,100.00
Article 55—Highland Ave.		600.00
Article 56—Abbey St.	2,000.00	
Notes	1,000.00	
Tax Levy		1,000.00
Article 58 Stacy St.	5,000.00	
Notes	5,000.00	

Maturing Debt and Interest

Maturing Debt.	\$16,000.00
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Interest	9,000.00	25,000.00
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Voted that the following amounts
be appropriated from the ac-
count classified as "Unexpend-
ed balances and Deficiency"

Assessors — Printing Poll Tax List	\$324.34
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Water Department:

Patrolling Great Pond	433.00
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\$757.34

Article 7. Voted that the town
raise and appropriate the fol-
lowing sums for Unpaid Bills:

Town Office	60.80
Police Department	46.50
Fire Department	50.23
Board of Health	19.00
Vital Statistics	.75
Street Lights	24.11
Infirmery	166.80
Outpoor	374.58

Schools:

Transportation	4.25
General Expense	169.32
Trade and Continuation	526.64

Water Dept.:

Maintainance	81.68		
Service Construction	21.50		
Joint	22.80	1,568.96	1,568.96

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Article 8. VOTED

Revenue 1925	1,000.00	
Orchard St. Water		
Main Ext. 1926	69.01	
Schools—General	.01	
Auditor's Expenses 1927	17.25	
From Revenue	1,000.00	86.27
For the Reserve Fund		2,000.00

Article 22

Finance Committee	175.00
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Article 27

Remodelling first floor of Stetson Hall Building—Stet- son School Fund	8,000.00	
Unexpended Balances and Deficiency	8,000.00	
Total Amount to be raised by taxes 1928		\$242,203.30

To be raised on Notes:

Highways — Union Street	10,000.00	
Water Department, Stacy Street	5,000.00	
Abbey Street	1,000.00	
Vesey Street	1,000.00	
		\$17,000.00

Amounts to be ex-
pended from
Unexpended Balances
and Deficiency Ac-
count

Land Damages	1,256.00
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Printing Poll Tax List	324.34	
Patrolling Great Pond	433.00	
Article 8	1,000.00	
For remodeling the first floor of the Stetson Hall Building	8,000.00	11,013.34

CREDITS FROM VARIOUS SOURCES INCLUDED IN TAX LEVY—1928

Income Tax—1928	\$27,390.55	
Income Tax Additional Distribution	670.00	
Corporation Tax	4,667.32	
Corporation Tax, Additional Distribution	179.68	
Bank Tax—1928	1,048.49	
Fines	373.77	
Eastern Mass. Street Railway Tax—1928	663.55	
Health and Sanitation	25.00	
Charities	474.99	
Soldiers' Benefits	1,020.83	
Schools, Insurance of	2,756.88	
Dog Tax	1,020.34	
Interest on Deposits	132.77	
Interest on Taxes	2,900.49	
Water Department — Revenue Year 1928	18,100.00	
All Other	3,781.59	
	<hr/>	\$65,206.25

Determination of Tax Rate—1928

Total Appropriations:	
Town	\$226,716.22

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County Tax	6,833.33	
State Tax	6,970.00	
State Tax—Highways	742.00	
State Tax — Auditing Municipal Accounts	17.62	
Total Appropriations		\$241,279.17
Less Credits		
Revenue from Various Sources	\$65,206.25	
Poll Tax	3,574.00	
Total Credits		68,780.25
		<u>\$172,498.92</u>
Plus Overlay to cover Abatements—1924	\$419.46	
Plus Overlay to cover Abatements—1925	929.51	
Plus Overlay to cover Abatements—1926	2,092.70	
Plus Overlay to cover Abatements—1927	926.63	
Plus Overlay to cover Abatements—1928	2,911.82	
Total Amount to be pro- vided for through Tax Levy		\$179,779.04
Total Assessed Valuation		\$5,583,200.00
Tax Rate per \$1,000		32.20

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Tax Levied and Committed to Tax Collector—1928

Warrant—November 1928

Tax on Real and Personal

Estate	\$179,779.04	
Moth Tax	92.50	
Poll Tax	3,574.00	
	<hr/>	\$183,445.54

Warrant—December 1928

Additional Assessments	306.63
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Total Tax Levied	<hr/>	\$183,752.17
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VALUATION OF EXEMPTED PROPERTY

Privately Owned

Religious Organizations:

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Personal Estate	\$5,000.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	40,000.00	
Land, North Main St.	5,000.00	
Land, Pauline St. held for erection of church	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$51,000.00

First Congregational Church

Personal Estate	5,000.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	35,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	45,000.00

First Baptist Church

Personal Estate	5,000.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	30,000.00	

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Land	4,000.00	
	<hr/>	39,000.00
Unitarian Church		
Personal Estate	2,500.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	20,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	27,500.00
Episcopal Church		
Personal Estate	1,500.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	7,000.00	
Land	2,500.00	
	<hr/>	11,000.00
Methodist Church		
Personal Estate	500.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	2,000.00	
Land	500.00	
	<hr/>	3,000.00
Literary Institutions:		
Boston School for the Deaf		
Personal Estate	25,000.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	340,000.00	
Land	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	375,000.00
Ladies Library Association		
As per dictum of Superior		
Court on 1926 tax		
Personal Estate	500.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	2,250.00	
Land	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	4,250.00

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Turner Free Library

Personal Estate	25,000.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	40,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	70,000.00

Charitable Institutions:

Seth Mann, 2nd, Home for Aged Women

Personal Estate	2,500.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	12,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$19,500.00

Randolph Visiting Nurse Association

Personal Estate		500.00
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Cemeteries:

St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery

Real Estate—Vault and Tool Storage Buildings	1,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	6,000.00

Central Cemetery

Real Estate—Vault Building	2,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	7,000.00

Oakland Cemetery

Real Estate—Land		1,000.00
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Total		<hr/> \$659,750.00
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Recapitulation

Religious Organiza-		
tions	\$176,500.00	
Literary Institu-		
tions	449,250.00	
Charitable Insti-		
tutions	20,000.00	
Cemetery Associa-		
tions	14,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$659,750.00

**Valuation of Exempted Property
Owned by the Town of Randolph**

Town Hall:

Personal Estate	\$2,500.00	
Real Estate—Building	37,500.00	
Land	12,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$52,500.00

Schools:

Personal Estate—Equip-		
ment and supplies		50,000.00

Real Estate

Prescott Primary School

Building	8,500.00	
Land	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,000.00

Prescott Grammar School

Building	21,000.00	
Land	4,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$25,000.00

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Chestnut St. Primary School

Building	2,000.00	
Land	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,500.00

N. Randolph Primary School

Building	9,000.00	
Land	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,000.00

Belcher Grammar School

Building	14,000.00	
Land	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$15,000.00

Tower Hill Primary School

Building	4,500.00	
Land	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,000.00

Stetson High School

Building	140,000.00	
Land	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$150,000.00

Fire Department:

Personal Estate

Pumping Engine	2,500.00
Combination Fire Truck	2,000.00
Steam Fire Engine	750.00
Ford Truck with Chemicals	300.00

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Real Estate

Engine House No. 1

Building	4,000.00	
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Land (included with Town Hall Lot)		
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Engine House No. 2

Building	1,500.00	
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Land (rented)	—————	\$11,050.00
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Police Department:

Personal Estate

1 Motorcycle	200.00	
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1 Ford closed Car	500.00	
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Water Department:

Personal Estate

Piping System	200,000.00	
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Machinery, Tools, Equip- ment, Ford Truck, 1/2 in- terest, jointly owned by Town of Holbrook	25,000.00	
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Real Estate

Buildings, o n e - h a l f interest jointly owned by Town of Holbrook (including P u m p i n g Station and Dwelling House)	15,000.00	
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Land, one-half interest jointly owned by Towns of Holbrook and Brain- tree	10,000.00	
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	—————	\$250,000.00
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Vacant Land:

Real Estate

Land, Clark Lot, Union St.	1,500.00	
Lot, North St.	300.00	
Parcel, Park St.	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,800.00

Highway Department:

Personal Estate

1 Ton Tractor	1,400.00	
1 Steam Roller	2,500.00	
New Equipment	600.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,500.00

Almshouse:

Personal Estate	1,500.00	
Real Estate		
Buildings	10,000.00	
Land	2,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$13,500.00

Funds:

Turner High School	
Ref. Fund	1,095.73
Stetson High School Fund	20,699.90
Library Funds	41,392.91
Coddington School Fund	1,900.00
Soldiers' Monument Fund	249.71
Total Value of Exempted	
Property publicly owned	
by the Town of Randolph	\$667,888.25

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Information Contained in the Table of Aggregates
Prepared and Submitted to the
State Commissioner

	1927	1928
Number of residents assessed for property	1930	2068
Number of non-residents assessed for property	824	818
Total number of persons assessed for property	2754	2924
Number of persons assessed for poll tax only	565	584
Total number of persons assessed	3319	3508
Number of male polls assessed	1706	1787
Number of horses assessed	61	55
Number of cows assessed	216	206
Number of neat cattle other than cows assessed	1	2
Number of swine assessed	566	575
Number of dwelling houses assessed	1619	1882
Number of Fowl assessed	4580	5200
Number of automobiles assessed	1070	1083

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Report of the Fire Department

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:
Gentlemen:

We respectfully submit our report of the Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1928.

Department organized May 1, 1928 as follows:

Engineers:

Harold L. Bailey, Chief.

Edmund J. Brady

Harry A. Dolan, Clerk

Company of fifteen men:

Ralph Cartwright, Captain

Frank Forrest, Clerk

Stanley Atherton, Assistant Driver

Thomas H. Good, Assistant Driver

Edmund Tierney, Assistant Driver

This department has responded to sixty-five calls during the year; forty bell alarms and twenty-five still alarms, classed as follows: thirty-nine building fires, ten wood and grass fires, nine automobiles and seven false alarms.

January 2. 10.45 A. M. Still alarm for chimney fire in factory of E. C. Young Box Co., Warren St. No damage.

January 2. 11.45 P. M. Box 52, false.

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January 7. 1.45 P. M. Box 34 for grass fire on land owned by Herbert Jones, North Street.

January 21. 4 P. M. Box 47 for fire in dwelling on Pond Street, owned by Robert Yates and occupied by George Krall. Building damaged \$2,200.00, contents \$800.00. Caused by overheated furnace pipe.

January 24. 2.15 P. M. Box 34 for grass fire on land owned by Percy Crockett, North St.

January 29. 3.15 P. M. Still alarm for chimney fire in residence of Dennis Brennan, Warren St. No damage.

February 3. 12.50 P. M. Box 47 for fire in dwelling on Lawson St. owned by Mrs. Mary C. Downs and occupied by Elery Wylley caused by hot fat spilled on stove. Total loss covered by insurance.

February 3. 3.15 P. M. Still alarm for chimney fire in Porter's Block, No. Main St. No damage.

February 6. 6.40 P. M. Still alarm for fire in automobile owned by E. J. Foley, South St. Damage \$25.00.

February 10. 8.15 A. M. Box 47 for fire in building on No. Main St., owned by Inga Hanson, caused by an overheated stove pipe. Damage \$300.00 covered by insurance.

February 19. 1.10 P. M. Still alarm for chimney fire in building on School St., owned by Dr. A. L. Chase. Damage \$10.00 covered by insurance.

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February 25. 8.45 A. M. Still alarm for chimney fire in dwelling on Mill St., owned by George Lohr. No damage.

February 27. 10.00 A. M. Box 45 for fire on roof of Belcher School, caused by sparks from chimney. Damage to building \$2,500.00, contents \$500.00, covered by insurance.

March 8. 10.10 P. M. Still alarm for fire in automobile owned by Howard Harris, So. Main St. Damage \$10.00 covered by insurance.

March 15. 5.45 P. M. Box 51 for chimney fire in dwelling owned by Edward Ryder, Cross St. No damage.

March 17. 1.00 P. M. Box 26 for fire in building on South Main St., owned by Ernest DeAngelis and occupied by Pasquale DeAngelis. Cause unknown. Damage to building \$2,500.00, contents \$2,000.00, covered by insurance.

March 22. 9.40 P. M. Still alarm for slight fire in building on No. Main St., owned by Abbie McAuliffe. Damage \$25.00. Caused by rats. Covered by insurance.

March 31. 1.30 P. M. Box 26 for grass fire on land on So. Main St., owned by C. W. Jones.

April 1. 11.30 A. M. Box 31 for fire in dwelling on Mill St., owned by Maurice Tucker and occupied by Joseph Rotta, caused by spontaneous combustion. Damage to building \$300.00, covered by insurance.

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April 6. 12.30 P. M. Box 34 for fire in woodland off Liberty St.

April 6. 12.45 P. M. Box 71 for fire in woodland off No. Main St.

April 6. 1.30 P. M. Box 71 for fire in woodland off No. Main St.

April 6. 3.15 P. M. Box 34 for fire in woodland off Oak and North Sts. Small building in woods burned valued at \$50.00.

April 7. 9.10 A. M. Still alarm for slight fire in barn owned by Arthur W. Alden, Union Street. Caused by burning rubbish. Damage \$20.00. Covered by insurance.

April 7. 9.15 P. M. Box 46 for fire in unoccupied building on Oak Street owned by heirs of Frank Simson. Incendiary. Damage \$800.00. Not covered by insurance.

April 21. 9.00 A. M. Still alarm for fire in chicken brooder owned by Frank Fisher, North Main Street. No damage.

May 7. 10.00 P. M. False alarm from Box 34.

May 10. 4.00 P. M. Box 122 for fire in hen-house owned by Norman Elliott, Union Street. Damage \$50.00. Not covered by insurance. Incendiary.

May 12. 9.00 A. M. Still alarm for chimney fire in building on North Main Street owned by Erasmo Camelio. No damage.

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May 12. 7.50 A. M. Box 56 for slight fire in dwelling owned by Martin Nugent, Lafayette Street., caused by lighting match near leaking gas pipe, causing damage of \$25.00. Covered by insurance.

May 15. 5.15 P. M. Still alarm for fire in automobile owned by Charles Kane, West Street. Damage \$100.00. Covered by insurance.

May 31. 4.00 P. M. Box 71 for fire in automobile truck owned by Bernard Geich, No. 8 Blackstone Street, Boston, caused by overheated exhaust pipe. Damage \$35.00. Covered by insurance.

June 2. 5.10 P. M. Box 34 for fire in henhouse on Liberty Street owned by John J. Doyle, caused by children playing with matches. Damage \$50.00. No insurance.

June 17. 6.45 P. M. Box 47 for fire in unoccupied dwelling on Harriman Street, owned by Lillian Terravona. Damage to building \$1,200.00. Insurance on building \$500.00. Cause unknown.

July 4. 12.20 A. M. Still alarm for fire in Holbrook. Henhouse owned by Mary Crow.

July 4. 12.50 A. M. Telephone call for fire on North Street which proved false.

July 4. 2.15 A. M. False alarm from Box 29.

July 4. 4.35 A. M. False alarm from Box 27.

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July 4. 4.45 A. M. Still alarm for fire in automobile owned by Frank Sullivan, caused by firecracker thrown in top. Damage \$150.00. Covered by insurance.

July 11. 10.50 P. M. False Alarm from Box 47.

July 16. 8.45 P. M. Box 34 for fire in dwelling owned by William Akerly, Cedar Ave. Damage \$100.00. Covered by insurance. Incendiary.

July 18. 1.10 P. M. Still alarm for fire in automobile owned by George Morse, 156 Pearl Street, South Braintree, caused by a cigarette. Damage \$10.00. No insurance.

August 4. 12.15 P. M. Box 45 for fire in residence of Richard Hatchfield, Belcher St., caused by an overheated oil stove. Damage \$50.00. Covered by insurance.

August 12. 4.45 P. M. Box 27 for slight fire on roof of dwelling owned by Bernard Powers, Tileston Road, caused by boys shooting matches against chimney. Damage \$40.00. Covered by insurance.

August 18. 8.40 P. M. Box 52 for fire in Randolph and Holbrook Power and Electric Co. building, Warren Street. Damage \$25.00. Covered by insurance. Cause, burned fuse block.

August 22. 11.40 P. M. Still alarm for fire seen in the distance which proved to be in Braintree Highlands.

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September 6. 5.30 A. M. Box 71 for fire in automobile truck owned by U. S. Trucking Corp., Middlesex Ave., Somerville, caused by broken acetylene gas line. Damage to truck \$800.00, contents, \$750.00. Covered by insurance.

September 8. 11.00 P. M. Box 46 for fire in Ford truck owned by William Lambert, Canton Street, caused by broken gas line. Damage \$10.00.

September 15. 8.50 P. M. Box 45 for fire in automobile owned by Mrs. Frank Lowden, Whitman. Cause unknown. Damage \$10.00.

September 23. 8.10 A. M. Still alarm for chimney fire in building owned by Ladies' Library Association. No damage.

September 29. 5.10 P. M. Box 45 for fire in garage owned by Hannah M. Crowley, 15 Wales Avenue, caused by burning rubbish. Damage \$10.00. Not covered by insurance.

October 31. 8.40 P. M. Box 46 for fire in dwelling owned by Alice Burns and occupied by Joseph Burns, Orchard Street. Damage \$100.00. Covered by insurance. Caused by lantern on window sill catching lace curtain.

November 6. 2.05 A. M. Fire in rabbit house owned by Mrs. Lillian A. M. Scott, Orchard Street, Incendiary. Damage to building \$1,800.00. Covered by insurance. Damage to contents \$5,000.00. Not insured.

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November 6. 6.00 P. M. Box 122 for fire in barn on Mill Street, owned by Mary A. Dolan. Incendiary. Damage \$500.00. Partially covered by insurance.

November 17. 1.30 P. M. Box 56 for grass fire on land owned by John Debonski.

November 24. 5.45 A. M. Box 43 for fire in dwelling owned and occupied by Kathryn Saunders, Allen Street. Damage \$1,200.00. Caused by spontaneous combustion.

November 26. 6.20 P. M. Box 31 for fire in barn on Plain Street owned by the heirs of Patrick McDermott. Incendiary. Damage \$2,400.00. Covered by insurance.

November 26. 7.45 P. M. Box 47 for fire in building on North Main Street owned by William Ludlam. Incendiary. Damage \$25.00. Covered by insurance.

December 2. 11.25 P. M. Still alarm for fire in automobile owned by Albert ZJirpolo, 107 Crest Avenue, Beachmont. Damage \$40.00. Covered by insurance.

December 6. 4.45 A. M. Box 46 for fire in buildings on West Street owned by Elizabeth M. Sullivan. Damage to house \$3,000.00, to barn \$1,700.00, to contents \$1,000.00. House and contents covered by insurance. Barn partially covered.

December 12. 8.30 P. M. Still alarm for supposed fire in Prescott School.

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December 13. 5.10 P. M. Still alarm for chimney fire in dwelling on Mill Street owned by Mrs. George B. McAully. No damage.

December 18. 9.15 A. M. Still alarm for fire in tar pot on Union Street.

December 25. 3.05 P. M. Still alarm for fire in residence of George Hollis caused by hot fat. No damage.

Total number of feet of hose used during the year	13,600
Total number of chemical hose used during the year	2,850
Total number of feet of ladder used during the year	475
Total number of gallons pumped from booster tank	1,675
Total number of gallons of chemical used during the year	130
Total number of gallons of foam used during the year	100
Total number of Gas Station permits granted during the year	23
Total number of Oil Heater permits granted during the year	7
Total number of blasting permits granted during the year	4

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Total number of Fireworks permits granted during the year	14
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Total number of Garage permits granted during the year	2
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Personnel and Equipment of the Randolph Fire Department

Three Engineers (one acting as permanent man)
Fifteen call men
One Amoskeag Steam Fire Engine (in reserve)
One American La France combination chemical and
hose (1400 ft. hose body)
One Maxim Pumping Engine with booster tank (1000
ft. hose body)
Fire Report — 8 machine
One Ford Chemical car (500 ft. hose body)
One Ford Hose car (400 ft. body)
Twelve 2½ gallon Fire Extinguishers
Fourteen 5 gallon pump tanks
Five Hundred ft. one-inch chemical hose
Usual supply of minor equipment
Gamewell Fire Alarm
Twenty-six Street Boxes
Gamewell 4 circuit switch board
LeBaron 60 blow air plant located in basement of Stet-
son Hall with 10 inch chime whistle on roof.

Ladder Equipment

One thirty-five ft. extension and one twenty ft. roof
ladder carried on LaFrance.

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One thirty ft. extension and one fourteen ft. roof ladder carried on Maxim pump.

One forty-five ft. ladder in station (sent for if needed)

Hose Equipment

50 ft. single jacket purchased 1916	
150 foot single jacket purchased 1918	
50 ft. single jacket purchased 1922	
200 ft. single jacket purchased 1923	
300 ft. single jacket purchased 1924	
50 ft. double jacket no date (known to be 15 yrs. old)	
500 ft. double jacket purchased 1925	
600 ft. double jacket purchased 1926	
200 ft. double jacket purchased 1927	
800 ft. double jacket purchased 1928	
Total number of single jacket	750 ft.
Total number of double jacket	2,200 ft.
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Total	2,950 ft.

At recent inspections made by the American La France and Maxim Companies, the apparatus was found to be in good mechanical condition. The paint on the pump is in very poor condition and we recommend that it be painted this year.

The fire alarm system is in good condition. We find that it is money well spent to patrol the system every month and we have had this done this past year. New elements have been installed in the batteries and it will not be necessary to replace them again for at least four years.

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As our fire alarm boxes are of a very old type it would be advisable to start to replace them this year with a modern box built to withstand the high voltage that is used on the Electric Light Company lines. The old boxes could be used to fill in on the streets where the boxes are spaced a long distance apart.

A new line will have to be built from the junction of Fowler and West Streets across Fowler Street to Warren, or the town will have to build and maintain a pole line along the present location on West Street.

As we carry twenty-eight hundred feet of hose on the trucks and as we have only twenty-nine hundred and fifty feet, it can readily be seen that in order to reload our trucks with dry hose after a fire we must have not less than a thousand feet more.

It should not be necessary to take the hose off of one truck to load the other in the event of two fires occurring within a day or two of each other, which has happened several times this year thus leaving one truck out of service for the time being.

Several times we have been seriously handicapped this year by not having ladders long enough to reach, it being necessary on one occasion to chop a hole through the roof for the man to get down, due to the ice and the ladder not reaching. As the pump is now paid for we feel that the town should buy a Ladder Truck fully equipped, and appoint a man to run the same.

We wish to express our appreciation for the quick response to our call for aid on April 6, 1928, to the Chief and men of the City of Brockton and the towns of Avon, Braintree and Holbrook.

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Recommendations of Engineers

General expenses	\$1,200.00
Salaries (15 men)	1,125.00
Salaries of Engineers	300.00
Salary, driver of truck	1,800.00
Salaries, spare drivers	329.00
New hose (1000 ft.)	1,200.00
Fire alarm	700.00
(Care and maintenance, 2 new boxes)	
Permanent man	1,600.00
Painting Pump—new tires	500.00
New equipment	100.00
Ladder truck	1,000.00
(Balance of \$6,500.00 to be paid by notes)	

In making these recommendations it is our desire to bring this department up to standard and make it a powerful fire fighting unit.

In conclusion we wish to extend our thanks to the Honorable Board of Selectmen for their co-operation and interest in the welfare of the Fire Department.

The officers and men have our sincere thanks for the faithful manner in which they have performed their duties.

We wish to extend our thanks to all others who have volunteered their services or assisted the Fire Department in any manner.

Respectfully submitted,
HAROLD L. BAILEY, Chief,
EDMUND J. BRADY,
HARRY A. DOLAN, Clerk

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Report of the Trustees of the Turner Free Library

Trustees 1928

Seth T. Crawford	President
Herbert F. French	Vice-President
Frank W. Belcher	Treasurer
William H. Leavitt	Secretary
James H. Hurley	Harold W. MacAuley
Walter F. Stephens	
(Selectmen of Randolph Ex-Officio)	
Mrs. Alice M. T. Beach	Harold F. Howard
Asa P. French	* Marshall W. Leavitt
Frank N. French	Mrs. Helen W. Pratt
Herman W. French	** Albert C. Wilde
Frank C. Granger	
* Resigned.	** Elected to fill vacancy.

PUBLIC LIBRARY

To the Citizens of Randolph:

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 3 of the By-laws of the Turner Free Library this, the fifty-third annual report is submitted, showing the condition of the trust, consisting of the building, library and funds, together with the report of the Librarian and Treasurer and so much of the reports submitted to the Trustees by the various committees as seems of general interest.

The Library Committee reports that the books, charts and furnishings are in good condition. All books be-

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longing to the library were accounted for by the Librarian.

The Building Committee reports that the building is in need of both interior and exterior repairs and an appropriation of \$450 is requested.

The Ethelwyn M. C. Cox Fund given by Mr. Erskine H. Cox is proving a very usefully addition to the resources of the library, the income being used for special purposes in accordance with Mr. Cox's instructions.

The Trustees believe that the use of the library by the public has increased during the past year, and the report of the Librarian indicates that this is true, at any rate, in the case of the pupils of the various schools. The Trustees feel, however, that the opportunities offered might be availed of to a much greater extent and again urge a fuller use of the facilities. There is a wide field of material to select from, both books and magazines.

The Trustees desire to express their appreciation of the faithful and efficient services of Miss Sarah C. Belcher, the Librarian, and Miss Eunice L. Belcher, the Assistant Librarian.

The report of the Librarian showing in detail the doings, management and results of the various departments of the Library, the report of the Treasurer showing the investment of the funds and the receipts and expenditures of the Library, and the report of the Finance Committee are hereunto subjoined.

Respectfully submitted,

SETH T. CRAWFORD,

President, Board of Trustees

Randolph, January 1, 1929

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REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

I have the honor to submit the annual report of the Turner Free Library for the year ending December 31, 1928.

The Library has been open to the public 303 days.

25,654 books have been loaned, also 239 unbound magazines.

305 books have been added to the Library during the year, making a total of 30,362 accessioned volumes.

294 books were added by purchase and 11 received as gifts. Among the latter one "Moon Moths and Wind Flowers" was donated by the author, Mrs. Ernest Bullock, a former resident of Randolph. It was appreciated and duly acknowledged.

The number of pupils, of our town and normal schools, using the reference room, increases each year. We need to purchase more reference books for their use. The reading room is not as much used by the adults as we wish, although we have the daily papers and current magazines on the table. The book-case in the room has many books of travel and adventure to be loaned or read in the reading room.

The younger children are much pleased with the few new books purchased this year. We wish we might have many more for their use the coming year.

The Librarian wishes to express her thanks to her assistant and to the Trustees for their interest and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH C. BELCHER,

Librarian

Randolph, January 1, 1929

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REPORT OF THE TREASURER

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

In compliance with the requirements of the By-laws, I hereby submit the annual report of the Treasurer of the Turner Free Library:

Income Receipts

Turner Fund income	\$ 540.00	
R. W. Turner Fund income	1,054.71	
Boston Elevated Ry. Bonds income	225.00	
Wm. H. Morgan, rent and heat	325.00	
Sale of old counters	50.00	
Fines and collections	141.46	
Randolph Savings Bank, interest	5.94	
Randolph Trust Co., Sav. Acct. int.	29.10	
Randolph Trust Co., Check Acct. int.	5.58	
R. W. Turner Fund, reimburse int.	1.27	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,378.06
Balance income cash on hand,		
Jan. 12, 1928, on deposit in		
Randolph Trust Company		1,317.89
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		\$3,695.95

Disbursements Account Income

Books	\$ 521.59
Periodicals	92.85
Re-binding books	75.60
Librarian, salary	600.00
Assistant Librarian, salary	300.00
Extra help	10.80

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Janitor, salary	300.00	
Electric light and lamps	112.57	
Safe Deposit Box, rent	10.00	
Repairs	41.50	
Fuel	350.79	
Printing	8.50	
Supplies	23.47	
Sundries	31.46	
R. W. Turner Fund, advanced int.	1.27	
Turner Fund, advanced interest, to be reimbursed	19.17	
	<hr/>	\$2,499.57
Balance income cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1928, on deposit in Randolph Trust Company and Randolph Savings Bank	1,196.38	
	<hr/>	\$3,695.95

The Turner Fund is Invested in:

	Par	Book
1 N. Y. Central & Hudson River R. R. Co. Bond, 4%-1934	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
1 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bond, 4%-1956	1,000.00	1,000.00
2 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bonds, 5%-1956	2,000.00	2,000.00
3 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bonds, 5%-1956	300.00	300.00
3 Union Pacific R. R. Co. Bonds, 4%-1947	1,500.00	1,500.00
1 Western Tel. & Tel. Co. Bond, 5%-1932	1,000.00	1,000.00
1 Western Tel. & Tel. Co. Bond, 5%-1932	1,000.00	1,008.76
10 Shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y. Stock, 5%	1,000.00	902.16
10 Shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y. Stock	No par value	
33 Shares Union Pacific R. R. Co. Stock, 4%	3,300.00	3,300.00

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Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	164.08
	\$12,175.00

The Royal W. Turner Fund is Invested in:

	Par	Book
5 American Tel. & Tel. Co. Bonds, 4%-1929	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00
2 Brooklyn-Manhattan Transit Co. Bonds, 6%-1968	2,000.00	1,872.50
2 Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific R. R. Co. Bonds, 4%-1934	2,000.00	1,799.27
5 New York Tel. Co. Bonds, 4 ½ %-1939	5,000.00	5,000.00
2 Rio Grande Western R. R. Co. Bonds, 4%-1949	2,000.00	1,596.01
20 Shares California Packing Corp. Stock, 4%	no par val.	1,247.32
10 Shares Illinois Central R. R. Co. Stock, 7%	1,000.00	1,162.74
10 Shares N. Y. Central R. R. Co. Stock, 7%	1,000.00	1,205.66
10 Shares Southern Railway Co. Stock, 7%	1,000.00	1,067.41
2 Shares N. Y. Central R. R. Co. Stock, 7%	200.00	200.00
2 Shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y. Stock, 5%	no par val.	150.00
2 Shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y. Stock	no par val.	
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank		332.45
		\$20,633.36

The Remaining Funds are Invested in:

	Par	Book
5 Boston Elevated Railway Bonds, 4 ½ %-1937	5,000.00	5,000.00

Royal W. Turner Fund

PRINCIPAL FUND RECEIPTS

Sale of right, N. Y. Central R.

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R. Co.	\$ 5.61	
Withdrawn from Randolph Savings Bank	100.00	
Certificate representing two shares of Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y., no par value		
	<hr/>	\$105.61

PRINCIPAL FUND PAYMENTS

1 Share Capital Stock N. Y. Central R. R.	\$100.00	
Deposited in Randolph Savings Bank	5.61	
	<hr/>	\$105.61

Turner Fund

PRINCIPAL FUND RECEIPTS

1 Bond 3rd Liberty Loan	\$1,000.00	
1 Bond 3rd Liberty Loan	50.00	
Withdrawn from Randolph Savings Bank	1,008.76	
Certificate representing ten shares of Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y., no par value		
	<hr/>	\$2,058.76

PRINCIPAL FUND PAYMENTS

Deposited in Randolph Savings Bank	\$1,050.00	
1 Bond Western Tel. & Tel. Co.	1,008.76	
	<hr/>	\$2,058.76

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK W. BELCHER,

Randolph, January 1, 1929

Treasurer

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REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

Your Committee on Finance submits the following report:

The committee has audited the accounts of the Treasurer for the year 1928, and found them correct. All moneys received have been duly accounted for, and no moneys have been paid out except upon vouchers properly approved.

The committee has examined, also, the securities representing the investments of the funds of the Library, and has found them to be intact, and as represented.

The following changes in the investment of the funds have been made during the year:

Royal W. Turner Fund

Received for rights N. Y. Central R. R. Co.	\$ 5.61
Purchased 1 share Capital stock N. Y. Central R. R. Co.	100.00

Received certificate, representing two shares of Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y., present shares being split up, two for one.

Turner Fund

1 Bond 3rd Liberty Loan, matured	\$1,000.00
1 Bond 3rd Liberty Loan, matured	50.00
Purchased 1 Bond Western Tel. & Tel. Co.	1,008.76
Received certificate, representing ten shares of Con-	

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solidated Gas Co. of N. Y., present shares being split up, two for one.

Respectfully submitted,

ASA P. FRENCH,

Randolph, January 1, 1929

Chairman

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the Turner Free Library and find the same correct, with proper vouchers for all expenses, and have examined the securities and verified cash balances and find same correct, as per statement.

JAMES V. DONOVAN,
M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RALMOND L. MASON,

Jan. 28, 1929

Auditors

Norfolk, ss.

Randolph, Mass.,
January 28, 1929.

Subscribed and sworn to before me.

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public

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Report of the School Committee, 1928

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The annual report of the School Committee of the Town of Randolph for the year 1928 is herewith submitted. We wish, at this time, to extend our thanks to the citizens for the increased interest they have taken this year in the education of our children.

The School Committee recommends that the following sums be appropriated for school expenses for the year-1929:

Stetson High School teaching	\$16,750.00
Teaching Grammar Schools	36,500.00
General school purposes	28,600.00
School Committee's Salary	300.00
	<hr/> \$82,150.00

During the year a few changes have been made in our teaching staff, and at the present time we feel that our organization is working very faithfully and harmoniously.

We desire at this time to call the attention of the citizens to the rapidly increasing enrollment in our schools, more especially in the north part of the town. It will be necessary to provide larger accommodations at North Randolph in the very near future, as the present building was taxed beyond capacity when school opened in September.

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During the summer months several changes and repairs were made in some of the school buildings. At the Prescott School four rooms were newly painted, and ceilings whitened. In two of these rooms new floors were laid and new curtains supplied, and in one of these rooms new furniture was installed, putting the building in first-class condition except in the corridors. We hope it will be possible to repair these during the summer vacation.

At the Belcher School, the entire building was refinished new metal ceilings installed throughout all the rooms and corridors, new floors were laid in the old part of the building, all the rooms painted and the entire roof shingled, all of this work being paid for out of the fire insurance money except \$500.00 appropriated by the town, placing this building in better condition than it has been for many years.

The installation of a heating and sanitation system at the Tower Hill School has placed that building in very good condition, except the floor in the upper classroom, which we hope to replace this next summer. We hope to be able to paint the interior throughout.

We desire at this time to openly thank former Selectman Erskine H. Cox for his generosity in presenting our High School with a Lange Tellurian Globe for the Science Department.

In closing we again wish to thank the citizens for their past support, and invite the parents to visit the

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schools, get acquainted with the teachers, and co-operate with them in the great work of educating the children.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSE S. BEAL, Chairman,
CHARLES R. KILEY,
JOSEPH BELCHER,
School Committee

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Salaries

Appropriation		\$300.00
Jesse S. Beal	\$100.00	
Joseph Belcher	100.00	
Charles R. Kiley	100.00	
	<hr/>	300.00

Balance \$ 00.00

Expense

Appropriation		\$100.00
Jesse S. Beal	\$ 15.00	
Joseph Belcher	39.35	
Olga C. Howard	40.65	
	<hr/>	95.00

Balance \$ 5.00

SUPERINTENDENT

Salary

Appropriation	\$1,400.00
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A. O. Christianson	1,393.32
Balance	<u>\$6.68</u>

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Salary

Appropriation	\$100.00
Dr. George V. Higgins	100.00
Balance	<u>\$ 00.00</u>

SCHOOL NURSE

Salary

Appropriation	\$1,250.00
Jessica V. Mitchell	1,250.00
Balance	<u>\$ 00.00</u>

TEACHING

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Salaries

Appropriation		\$16,750.00
Frederick E. Chapin, Principal	\$2,500.00	
Marshall W. Leavitt	90.00	
Hubert Powderly	1,062.00	
Ellen Pierson	1,500.00	
Madeline E. Coughlin	841.00	
Winifred Brennan	1,500.00	
Jane C. Good	1,500.00	

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Margaret S. Glancy	150.00	
Margaret Banigan	900.00	
Mary Goldmeister	750.00	
Kenneth Clark	1,615.00	
Elizabeth Laughles	1,183.25	
Mildred Humphrey	720.00	
Mrs. Ralph Marble	520.00	
Albert Murphy	560.00	
Margaret Moore	540.00	
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	\$15,931.25	
Walter Scott, athletic instructor	25.00	
Mrs. Sophie Baltzer	85.00	
	<hr/>	\$16,041.25
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Balance		\$708.75

GRADE TEACHERS

Salaries

Appropriation		\$35,000.00
Sarah Powderly	\$1,299.98	
Hannah Hoyer	1,249.82	
Anna K. Good	1,185.52	
Martha Parshley	1,071.06	
Teresa Carlin	1,071.06	
Ethel Chatfield	1,042.02	
Marie Cormey	1,254.89	
Elizabeth (Condon) Tierney	1,043.16	
Ellen McLaughlin	1,220.22	
Rachel McMahon	1,246.54	
Grace Murphy	1,045.98	

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Margaret Donovan	1,121.06
Mary O'Brien	1,128.13
Mary Mullen	1,235.30
Fannie Campbell	1,249.82
Kittie Molloy	1,249.82
Elizabeth Griffin	1,045.98
Mrs. Walter Burbank	1,221.00
Katherine Riley	1,020.90
Pauline Goss	1,200.04
Clara Tolman	1,249.82
Grace Gilgan	1,249.82
Elizabeth Lyons	1,203.78
Alice Belcher	1,211.55
Florence Caples	1,243.50
Bernice Frances	976.31
Dorothy Carney	1,171.00
Dorothy Grant	1,221.00
Eileen Dowd, drawing supervisor	525.60
Rose Hand, supervisor of music	900.00

Substitutes

Mrs. Charles McMahon	230.00
Mrs. Marion Luddington	16.00
Mrs. Ralph Marble	4.00
Mrs. Reubin	6.00
Mrs. S. Baltzer	90.00
Mrs. McSweeney	8.00
Mrs. Duffield	4.00
Mrs. McGerrigle	12.00

\$34,524.68

Balance

\$475.32

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TRANSPORTATION

Appropriation		\$3,700.00
Stephen J. Hart	\$1,075.15	
Eastern Mass. St. Ry. Co.	2,615.50	
	<hr/>	3,690.65
Balance		<hr/> \$ 9.35

FUEL

Appropriation		\$3,500.00
Frank Diauto	\$1,173.05	
Edwin C. Soule	40.00	
C. Esten Soule	72.00	
Michael T. Leahy	1,985.54	
	<hr/>	3,270.59
Balance		<hr/> \$229.41

CARE OF ROOMS

Appropriation		\$4,500.00
John Luddington	\$1,825.83	
Joseph Norris	1,013.21	
Joseph March	393.00	
H. Willie Hayden	630.72	
Martin P. Nugent	380.00	
Mrs. George H. Eddy	248.49	
	<hr/>	4,491.25
Balance		<hr/> \$ 8.75

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TRADE AND CONTINUATION

Appropriation		\$3,500.00
Town of Braintree, Continuation	\$53.76	
City of Quincy	875.00	
City of Boston	2,291.33	
	<hr/>	3,220.09
Balance		<hr/> \$279.91

SCHOOL EQUIPMENT

Appropriation		\$2,000.00
Air-O-Pure Company	\$51.85	
John Black	50.00	
Chandler & Barber Co.	6.50	
Dean-Penney Company	29.38	
Thomas Hill	290.00	
Kenney Bros. & Walkins	520.80	
John Larson	30.50	
Remington Rand Company	315.00	
Frank F. Teed	381.23	
Underwood Typewriter Company	120.00	
E. C. Young Company	20.00	
Industrial Laboratories Company	97.02	
	<hr/>	1,907.28
Balance		<hr/> \$92.72

REPAIRS AT BELCHER SCHOOL

Appropriation		\$3,256.87
Boston Metal Ceiling Co.	\$645.00	

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William Danforth	48.90	
John Dupras	2.50	
Alton C. Hall	528.20	
H. Willie Hayden, extra labor	16.00	
Benjamin Mann	1,055.20	
L. Richmond & Co.	11.65	
George Roel	230.00	
Frank Teed	719.42	
	<hr/>	3,256.87
Balance		<hr/> .00

REPAIRS ON TOWER HILL SCHOOL

Appropriation 1927	\$2,300.00	
Appropriation 1928	600.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,900.00
Expended in 1927, Powers Bros., M. Rota, R. O'Brien and others	646.57	
	<hr/>	\$2,253.43
F. J. Curran	\$705.00	
Frank J. Macauley	4.48	
E. J. Megley	30.00	
G. C. Mellon	34.82	
Martin J. Nugent	3.00	
Robert E. O'Brien	1,079.04	
Marino Rota	195.60	

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Frank Teed	198.49	
	<hr/>	\$2,250.43
Balance		<hr/> \$3.00

Joseph Belcher,
Harold W. Macauley,
Frank N. French,
Committee.

REPAIRS AT NORTH RANDOLPH SCHOOL

Appropriation	\$109.25
John Lunt	70.36
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Balance	\$38.89

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Appropriation	\$4,500.00
Allyn & Bacon	\$3.72
F. M. Ambrose	4.93
American Book Company	696.08
Edward Babb Company	1,749.88
Joseph Belcher, supplies	4.90
John Carter & Company	18.35
Culture Publishing Company	45.90
Oliver Ditson Company	12.00
Dowling School Supply Co.	751.45
Flax Mfg. Company	34.79
Ginn & Company	403.99
Gregg Publishing Company	32.22
J. L. Hammett Company	6.14

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D. C. Heath & Company	94.93	
L. E. Knott & Company	11.50	
Longmans, Green & Company	38.65	
MacMillan Company	64.63	
Samuel Marcus	24.93	
Milton Bradley Company	163.19	
Office Appliance Company	2.50	
Palmer Company	24.25	
Remington Rand Company	3.25	
Ryan & Buker Company	86.70	
Arthur Schmidt Company	5.40	
Benjamin H. Sanborn & Company	11.77	
Student Modern Writing Co.	36.69	
The World Book Company	3.30	
Wm. Welch Mfg. Company	100.01	
Wright & Potter	12.30	
	<hr/>	\$4,448.35
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		\$51.65

GENERAL EXPENSE

Appropriation		\$3,625.00
American Bank Note Company	\$44.55	
Atlantic Clock Company	115.40	
George W. Bailey	4.00	
Joseph Belcher	15.00	
John Black	5.60	
Brockton Gas Light Company	19.71	
Brockton Transportation Co.	1.75	
L. G. Brown	7.00	
Mrs. Walter Burbank	95.00	
Burditt Williams Company	4.53	

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William H. Carroll	9.00
Chandler & Barber	1.20
Frederick E. Chapin	35.73
A. O. Christiansen	146.57
Leon E. Clifford	5.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	25.60
Arthur Conrad	8.40
Marie Cormey	76.00
Earle Crockett	80.50
William Danforth	17.40
James Dowd	18.50
M. F. Ellis & Co.	166.47
George L. Frawley	2.40
John A. Forrest	2.40
C. B. Graves	4.50
J. L. Hammett & Company	.30
Frank W. Harris	53.84
B. F. Hayden	146.05
F. W. Hayden & Company	22.54
H. Willie Hayden	8.40
Walter L. Hickey	159.54
Holland Furnace Company	25.00
J. E. Holland & Company	11.00
Jordan Marsh Company	12.70
Kenney Bros. & Walkins	29.75
John R. Luddington	69.85
John L. Lunt	16.30
Warren L. Mann	107.25
Joseph March	5.00
Martin Diploma Company	16.50
Casper Martin	28.80
Massachusetts State Prison	15.67
R. B. McKim & Company	88.39

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John B. McNeil	25.00	
James Milligan	3.00	
Talmadge Morrow	4.50	
Edward Murphy	100.00	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Company	169.75	
Joseph Norris	8.40	
Martin Nugent	7.20	
Robert E. O'Brien	283.77	
Peerless Motor Company	.75	
Edward R. Pelissier	17.70	
Herbert A. Poole	3.44	
Mrs. Purcell	99.28	
Randolph Hardware Company	57.50	
Randolph and Holbrook Power & Light Company	691.39	
Remington Rand Company	3.50	
L. Richmond & Company	.65	
George Roel	1.00	
Sentry Sales Company	15.19	
Eugene Sullivan	19.00	
Tackamine Corporation	15.00	
Frank Teed	23.70	
Tropical Paint Company	182.40	
Underwood Typewriter Company	10.46	
Warren Pharmacy	19.11	
William Whitecross	85.57	
E. C. Young Company	48.19	
	<hr/>	\$3,624.54
Balance		<hr/> .46

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REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee of Randolph:

Mr. Chairman and Members:

I present herewith my eighth annual report of the public schools of Randolph.

Public Schools were once considered objects of charity. This is not so today. The thinking public has made the public schools what they are today and it is the thinking public today who is wisely shaping the schools of the future. To such a public the support of schools ceases to be a tax and takes on the self-imposed obligation forever due our children.

Great as this cost of education has been and greater still the faith of the people in an ever-expanding public institution, yet all responsibility of training youth cannot be surrendered or placed in the hands of public servants. Education is fundamental, yet never complete, save as its truth and beauty is sweetened and tempered by the influence of the home and the church to the end that it shall find its highest expression in character and service.

ENROLLMENT BY SCHOOLS

	1928	1927	1926	1925
Stetson High School	252	200	217	225
Stetson Junior High	170	168	214
*Prescott Grammar School	277	246	204	287
Prescott Primary School	211	203	205	248
*Belcher School	252	249	221	280
North Randolph School	109	88	87	81

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Tower Hill School	79	76	71	61
West Corners School	41	40	37	31
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	1,391	1,280	1,256	1,213

* Including Grade 7.

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

		1928
High School	Grade 12	46
	Grade 11	43
	Grade 10	61
	Grade 9	101
Junior High	Grade 8	114
	Grade 7	135
	Grade 6	154
Grammar	Grade 5	121
	Grade 4	131
	Grade 3	162
	Grade 2	152
	Grade 1	170
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	Total	1,391

SCHOOL ACCOMMODATIONS

It is not always a pleasant task to remind the town's people of the ever-increasing needs of our schools.

A glance at the enrollment for this year will convince one that our building problem is not over. There is a net increase of one hundred eleven pupils over last year. The fall enrollment in the senior high school will be in the neighborhood of three hundred twenty pupils if our present registration is an index. That will call for

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two additional teachers. This, with the over-crowded condition at the North Randolph school will seriously tax our seating accommodation in September. Every means, however, will be resorted to in order to avoid any part-time school attendance.

It is most urgent that a careful study of our school accommodation be made this year. The growth of our school population for the past few years would indicate that considerable attention must be given to future needs. To build for a period of two or three year expansion only is a waste of public money. Our immediate building program, therefore, should provide for an eight to ten year growth and should include six additional rooms to the high school and a school building of eight to ten rooms in the West Corner—North Randolph district to take care of the expansion at that end of the town. Such a building at this point would also replace the two small buildings now in use and which are unfit for any additions thereto.

HIGH SCHOOL

The objectives and aims of the courses of study printed in the report of last year have been made a further study among the members of the high school faculty. Excellent co-operation is now being given to this project so that we have every reason to believe that this survey will bring about a better distribution of subjects, better time allotment, methods, study periods and continuity of work heretofore lacking. A report of this study with recommendations will be submitted at a later date.

There is, however, great need of a physical director both for boys and girls. In former years when our reg-

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istration was smaller, regular classroom teachers assisted in this activity. Now with our increased enrollment and full periods of instruction throughout the day, teachers cannot give this time.

With a well-defined course of study and a proper allotment of time, there should also be more time given to music and drawing, particularly to mechanical drawing. Extra curricula activities in both of these subjects are encouraged. In music, an orchestra of twenty-two pieces was organized this year. In drawing, several awards for excellence in design have been given to our pupils.

It is necessary at this time to strike a note of warning to pupils in our senior and junior high schools, who do not take the business of school attendance and study very seriously. We are constantly annoyed by this lack of interest. Other school systems are similarly disturbed but that does not excuse us. It is very possible that we need to enrich and motivate our courses of study to hold these pupils, but I am also of the opinion that parents do not know the actual situation and the causes for this great waste of time. I strongly urge parents to interview teachers and principals when these irregularities arise. Rarely have such interviews resulted in failures.

To stimulate and to encourage better academic work among our pupils, there should be a greater recognition of excellence in studies other than that recorded on the regular report cards. High schools generally observe some form of award or classification of their honor pupils. Medals or monetary awards are not necessary although scholarships presented to schools are not discouraged. It is, however, perfectly natural for pupils to respond to

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and thrive under some recognition or citation of work well done. But an honor system of the greatest service should be one in which the progress of the slow child receives its just and true reward with that of his more brilliant classmates.

The high school abounds in beautiful gifts presented by classes. A bronze bust of Col. Lindberg was given by the class of 1928. Two beautiful pictures were recently presented to the school by the class of 1929. A periodical rack for the reference room, a Lincoln picture and a table are other gifts given by loyal and interested pupils to our school.

GRADE SCHOOLS

In my report of last year, I referred to the system of grading and promotion in our schools. This phase of work is still receiving special attention for I am convinced that a great deal of improvement is possible at this point. Standardized tests help in the discovery of individual abilities among pupils but they do not tell us how these abilities were attained nor what to do with the pupils after we have found them. I have grave doubts that the museum idea of classifying special abilities will actually or intelligently solve the grading and promotion problems in schools. I am more interested in the learning process in children than what they actually show by abstract tests. With that in view and in the hopes of organizing a progressive movement throughout the grades, I trust that we may be of greater assistance to our pupils so that they may be permitted to go on as their abilities warrant.

As education is a matter of growth from within and

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not a "pouring-in" process, changes are going on in the classrooms which tend to make instruction more and more individual. This is as it should be for each child is a unit unto himself and to his fellow schoolmates with whom he associates and shares in the day's activities. Self-expression and the love to do and achieve are vital factors in the education of children.

Health Day with physical exercises, field events, plays and games was held on the Stetson high school playground last May. Every class with its teacher was present. The wholesome enthusiasm which the children exhibited in their various exercises was most encouraging. Teachers and pupils are to be congratulated; it was their work.

The report of the school nurse shows a year of intense activity. We are pleased to record the free distribution of milk to needy children. This expense is generously met by various organizations in town. A summary of the report follows:

Schoolroom visits	1,244
Number of home-visits	307
All pupils in schools weighed and measured three times	
Girls sent to Summer Camp, Braintree	2
Boys sent to Summer Camp, Braintree	1
Pupils taken to Braintree for X-ray	6
Tubercular Clinic at the Ladies' Library As- sociation rooms	14
Cases of Pedeculosis	11
Cases of Impetigo	19
State Mental Clinic at Avon	6

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It is gratifying to report at this time the very sincere co-operation of teachers. With the many and varied problems facing teachers today, the task of the public schoolroom instructor is not one of ease. He or she must have tact, resourcefulness, and a great deal of patience. Such are the qualifications of teachers and justly so. We are proud to have teachers who possess them. Yet, were it not for the large percentage of thinking fathers and mothers who still believe in order, obedience and education, the schoolroom task would seem hopeless regardless of such personal merits. This common-welfare situation is but another example of the many public activities in which, when the whole group pulls together for a common purpose, good only can be the result. The problem isn't so much, how bad children are today, as it is our tendency to forget them and leave the task of training to someone else.

I wish to acknowledge once again your whole-hearted interest in our school work. It has been an inspiration to us at all times and one which has left its mark for goods upon our schools.

Respectfully submitted,

A. O. CHRISTIANSEN,

Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

To the School Committee, Randolph, Mass.:

Gentlemen:

My report for the year 1928 does not differ much from former reports.

We were not at any time forced to close our schools

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or lose school sessions, due to any epidemic. And inasmuch as our school enrollment has greatly increased, the number of children sick during the year was about the average or perhaps a degree lower. This I feel free to say is to a very great extent due to the fact that the School Nurse and Teachers in this town are constantly and diligently watching our school children, and never fail to report any suspicious case, and it has been my privilege to observe their earnestness in following such cases. Randolph is very fortunate in having Teachers and School Nurse so faithful regarding the health and welfare of the children. I feel sure that all parents are most grateful for this attention.

We still have, and without question always will have, some cases of Impetigo Contagiosa among the school children, but again the constant watchfulness of the Teacher and Nurse keeps this contagion well under control.

The physical condition of the children, found to be below normal weight, has been corrected as far as it is possible. The School Nurse has followed each case, giving freely her advice to both child and parent. It is gratifying to learn on re-examination of these cases, that very good results have been found in each case.

Twenty-seven children were examined during the year at my office and thirty-five examined at school.

It is my hope that during the coming year, the parents will work, together with the School Nurse, even harder than the past year regarding the health of the school children. Health is the first of all in the school child.

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Rest, exercise, food, fresh air, the first and most essential things to be thought of by the parent. No boy or girl should be permitted to lose his or her required hours of sleep, too often this is neglected and the result is very bad.

The sanitary conditions at the Belcher school are still poor, but at the present time, no way seems open to avoid this condition. And as a matter of fact, let me say, that this condition has in no way whatsoever, anything to do with the spreading of any possible epidemic or contagion. It is unpleasant and all concerned trust it may be remedied in the ner future.

I take this opportunity to thank the Board of Health, our Superintendent, our Teachers, and School Nurse, for their hearty support during the past year.

Respectfully,

GEORGE V. HIGGINS, M. D.

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SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1929-1930

Elementary Schools, Grades 1 to 8

Open Jan. 2, 1929. Close Feb. 15, 1929. 6½ weeks.
Open Feb. 25, 1929. Close April 12, 1929. 7 weeks.
Open April 22, 1929. Close June 18, 1929. 8½ weeks.

Summer Vacation

Open Sept. 3, 1929. Close Dec. 20, 1929. 16 weeks.

Christmas Vacation

Open Dec. 30, 1929. Close Feb. 14, 1930. 7 weeks.

High School

Open Jan. 2, 1929. Close Feb. 15, 1929. 6½ weeks.
Open Feb. 25, 1929. Close June 25, 1929. 17½ weeks.

Summer Vacation

Open Sept. 3, 1929. Close Dec. 20, 1929. 16 weeks.

Christmas Vacation

Open Dec. 30, 1929. Close Feb. 14, 1930. 7 weeks.

Schools will close on the following days

Jan. 1st; Good Friday, March 29th; April 19; May 30th;
Nov. 11th; and Thanksgiving Day and Friday following,
Nov. 28 and 29.

NO SCHOOL SIGNALS

Three blows repeated at

- 7.15 A. M. All schools close.
- 8.15 A. M. No morning session for first six grades.
- 12.30 P. M. No afternoon session for first six grades.

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LIST OF TEACHERS

	Position	Educated at	Year App.
A. O. Christiansen	Superintendent	Brown, A.B.; Harvard, A. M.	1921

High School

Frederick Chapin	Principal	Dartmouth, A.B.	1898
Kenneth M. Clark	Mathematics	Uni. of N. H., B.S.	1927
Albert J. Murphy	History	Bridgewater, B.S. in Ed	1928
Winnifred Brennan	Commercial	Burdett	1918
Jane C. Good	Commercial	Burdett	1925
Elizabeth Laughner	English and French	Worcester Normal, B.S.	1927
Mrs. Mabel Marble	English	Boston Uni., A.B.	1928
Mildred H. Humphrey	Science	Colorado C., A.B.	1928
Ellen V. Pierson	French	Uni. of Maine, A.B.	1927
Margaret M. Moore	Latin	Georgian Court College	1928

Junior High School

Mrs. Sarah Powderly	English	Bridgewater	1914
Hannah F. Hoye	English and Music	Quincy Training School	1888
Martha Parshley	Arithmetic and Drawing	Fitchburg	1926
Anna Good	History and Geography	Bridgewater	1924
Teresa Carlin	Grade 7	Lowell	1926
Mrs. Ethel Chatfield	Grade 7	Farmington Normal	1927

Prescott School

Mrs. Marie Gormey	Principal	Framingham Normal	1925
	Grade 6		
Mrs. E'zabeth Tierney	Grade 6	Bridgewater Normal	1926
Margaret Donavan	Grade 5	Bridgewater Normal	1924
Grace Murphy	Grade 5	Bridgewater Normal	1926
Mary O'Brien	Grade 4	Bridgewater Normal	1921
Rachael McMahon	Grade 4	Bridgewater Normal	1916
Ellen McLaughlin	Grade 3	Bridgewater Normal	1901
Mary Mullen	Grades 3 - 2	Simmons	1923
Fannie Campbell	Grade 2	Notre Dame Academy	1898
Kittie Molloy	Grade 1	Boston Uni. Extension	1888
Elizabeth Griffin	Grade 1	Bridgewater Normal	1925

Belcher School

Mrs. Walter Burbank	Principal	Worcester	1926
	Grade 6		
Dorothy Carney	Grade 5	Bridgewater Normal	1923

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Bernice Francis	Grade 4	Hyannis	1927
Pauline Goss	Grade 3	Castine, Me.	1926
Clara Tolman	Grade 2	Bridgewater	1888
Grace Gilgan	Grade 1	Bridgewater	1917

North Randolph

Mrs. Florence Caples	Principal	Bridgewater	1922
	Grades 1 - 2		
Mrs. Esther Grant	Grades 3 - 4	Lowell	1927

Tower Hill School

Mrs. Elizabeth Lyons	Principal	Quincy Training School	1920
	Grades 1-2-3		
Mrs. Alice Belcher	Grades 4-5-6	Quincy Training School	1923

West Corner School

Katherine J. Riley	Grades 1-3	Harvard Summer School	1926
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Drawing Supervisor

Eileen V. Dowd	All Grades	Emanuel, A. B.	1926
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Music Supervisor

Rose Hand	All Grades	A.S.N.M. Harvard and B. U. Extension	
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School Nurse

Mrs. Jessica Mitchell	All Grades	R. N.	1927
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School Physician

Geo. V. Higgins, M.D.

Resignations

Four resignations from the high school faculty took place last June. Herbert Powderly, Margaret Banigan, Mary Gildermeister and Madeline Coughlin. Mr. Powderly severed his connection with the school after a number of years of very creditable work in the department of history.

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CLASS OF 1928 STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Alden, Grace Madeline	McDermott, Mary Josephine
Bates, Althea May	McLea, Isabelle Mae
Benvie, Edna Frances	Morrow, Alida Catherine
Billingham, Arline Elizabeth	Peterson, Cora Alberta
Bossi, Irene Mary	Pomeroy, Lauretta Rose
Bradley, Mildred Alice	Powers, Hazel
Condon, Mildred Claire	Riley, Margaret Alice
Dolan, William Francis	Sullivan, Margaret Mary
Dixon, Harold Edward	Shrewbridge, Warren Carl
Hewins, Ruth Louise	Sullivan, George Robert
Heney, Hugh William	Swanson, Walter
Iorio, Eleanora Georgette	Teed, Dorothy Laura
Kakshtis, John	Thomas, Sarah Matilda
Loughlin, Joseph Thomas	Tangen, George Henry
Ludlam, Grodon William	Tibbetts, George Harold
Mann, Ethel Lillian	Walsh, Elizabeth Harriett
Mann, Erma Catherine	

GRADUATION PROGRAM

MARCH	(at piano)	Mildred Bradley
	Elizabeth Walsh, Marshal	
INVOCATION	Rev. Eugene S. Philbrook	
OVERTURE—"Diana"	Orchestra	
SALUTE TO FLAG	Led by Hazel Powers	
"Old Ironsides"	Boys' Glee Club	
ADDRESS OF WELCOME	Margaret A. Riley	
CLASS HISTORY	Grace M. Alden	
"Lincoln's First Inaugural"	Warren C. Shrewbridge	
PRESENTATION OF CLASS GIFT	Walter Swanson	
ADDRESS OF FAREWELL	Hugh W. Heney	
"A Dream Boat Passes By" (E. H. Lemare)	Mixed Chorus	
ADDRESS	Senator David I. Walsh	
	Introduction by Mr. Joseph Belcher	

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PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

Principal Frederick E. Chapin

HISTORY AND TYPEWRITING MEDALS

"America"

School and Audience

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

JUNE 15, 1928

BOYS

Anderson, Arvid Lawrence
Arneson, Albert
Boyer, Gilbert Robert
Cavanaugh, Edward Harris
Condlin, John William
Coyle, Frederick
Crovo, Charles
Cullen, William Joseph
Curran, John Francis
Daly, Daniel Edward
Driscoll, Eustace Vesey
Evans, Daniel Robert
Finch, Francis Joseph
Foley, William James
French, Lloyd Wentworth
Grover, Edward Hamilton
Guidice, Lawrence Joseph
Hallgren, Allan
Harris, George
Heger, Charles Emil
Hicks, Charles Richardson
Johnson, Harry Edward
Madan, Alonzo Leonard
Maguire, Alan Walker
Mather, Lee Wilson
Mahoney, William Patrick
Marconi, Joseph Francis
McDonald, Earle Russell
Moore, Edward Leroy
Nadelli, Henry
Nelson, Stanley Albion
Neilsen, John William
O'Neil, Francis Anthony
Payne, Keith Ainslie
Pelissier, Edward Robinson
Peterson, Lester Oberg

GIRLS

Allen, Evelyn Marie
Baldner, Elizabeth
Bono, Angelina Catherine
Brennan, Helen Alisha
Cochrane, Violet Pearl
Cohen, Ellen Bernice
Condon, Mildred Marguerite
Churchill, Marjorie Alden
Creutz, Edith Louise
Crowell, Marguerite Elizabeth
DeAngelis, Josephine Lucy
Doherty, Louise Claire
Dolan, Mary Louise
Downes, Mary Frances
Eaton, Dorothy Elizabeth
Faunce, Rose Amelia
Gaynor, Josephine Louise
Gaynor, Kathryn Veronica
Ginnetty, Grace Marguerite
Goody, Erma Louise
Gould, June Elizabeth
Heney, Marjorie Mary
Hylan, Elsie Margaret
Hopkins, Alice Belle
Jambard, Hilda Edith
Jones, Helen Rosalie
Lacey, Dorothy Burnice
Landberg, Evelyn Jennie Dor'thy
LaPietro, Mary Rita
Lokitis, Helen Rose
Lutton, Phyllis
Malukas, Rose Anna
Mann, Emma Margaret
Merchant, Alice Leona
McCarty, Helen Elizabeth
McGrory, Mary Alice

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Poole, Albert Carlton
Powers, Warren Wentworth
Pignatelli, Victor
Rowe, Joseph Alfred
Shea, Joseph Charles
Soule, William Frederick
Starsick, Walter Robert
Swallow, Russell Ralph
Thorne, Charles Herbert
Townes, Edward Irving
Tucker, Ernest
Wist, William Frederick
Wright, Roy James

McKenna, Dorothy Margaret
McLea, Doris Margaret
Mulvey, Eleanor Margaret
Murphy, Margaret Rose
Nelson, Rita Agatha
Porter, Helen
Powers, Claire
Rousseau, Cecile Irene
Shirley, Dorothy Agnes
Slincy, Agnes Mary
Swanson, **Thelma**
Teed, Mildred Ella
Tokes, Helen Margaret
Vose, Marilla Grace
Yates, Gladys Annie
Young, Winifred Roeslin

HONOR ROLL—PERFECT ATTENDANCE

It has been the custom for years to publish in the Town Report the names of pupils who have successfully completed one or both school terms without an absence, tardy or dismissal record against them. It is a single honor of no small importance. Punctuality and strict observance of school business are excellent traits in our pupils and are here evaluated as they will be in the business world outside. Many a good name could have been added to this list had not sickness intervened and robbed the child of his prized goal.

Junior High School

Edward Pelissier 2
Joseph Shea 2
Harry Johnson 1
Henry Wadelli 1
Charles Hicks 2
Francis Archer 1
Barbara Heney 1
June McDonald 2
Mary Barrett 1

Dorothy McKenna 1
Katherine V. Gaynor 1
George Harris 1
Everett Hoeg 2
Gerald Leary 2
Gertrude Buckley 1
Tony Rignatelli 1
John Mellon 1
Marion Sears 1

Prescott School

Vincent Dolan 2
Clara Boothby 2

Chester Diaute 1
Glenda Shea 1

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Mabel Jope 2
Marjorie Bowley 1
Leonard Merchant 2
Barbara Dolan 2
Florence Ferraro 2
Rena Hoeg 2
John White 1
Ruth Pendleton 1
Lawrence Haskell 1
Cynthia Burrell 1
Lillian Vaughan 2
Thelma Hennigar 2
Francis Hart 1
Alton Briscoe 1
Roy Drysdale 1
John Watson 1
Joseph Harkins 1
Harry Meaney 1
James Sullivan 1

Dorothy Baxter 1
Nellie Magnussen 1
Arthur Anderson 1
Leo Hart 1
Harold Heney 1
Marguerite Bossi 1
Dorothy Connolly 1
Sarah Coyle 1
Charles Mather 1
Gertrude Hartley 1
Joseph Cannizzaro 1
James Ginity 1
Herbert Pelissier 1
Gladys Pelissier 1
Geraldine Buckley 1
Clifton Crockett 1
Charles Hess 1
Charles Moore 1
John Sliney 1

Belcher School

Wallace Coolidge 1
Wilma Cameron 1
Dorothy Genereux 1
Ernest Grout 1
Dennis Keane 1

George Condon 1
Priscilla Grover 1
Ralph Gardner 1
Ardolph Kakshtis 1
Louise Doyle 1

North Randolph School

Helen Baxter 2
Mary Godfrey 1
Charles Olsen 1
Harry Morrissey 1
Catherine Taylor 1
Charles Webber 1

Lester Whynot 2
Margaret Doyle 1
Florence Penny 1
Barbara Kelly 1
William Olsen 1
Frances Gray 1

Tower Hill School

Arthur Connors 2
Walter Halloran 1
Tage Wallin 1
William Strickland 1
Edward Strickland 2
Ruth Brown 2
Lillian Macauley 2
John Welch 2
Annie Lemienovitch 1

George Kourafas 2
Tore Wallin 1
William Messere 1
Catherine Halloran 1
Robert Bennett 1
Richard Johnson 1
Alex Kourafas 1
Sotoras Kourafas 1
Angelina Kourafas 1

West Corner School

Nellie A. Gurnis 2

Lewis D. Grout 1

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Report of Collector of Taxes

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR FOR 1927

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes, Jan. 1, 1928	\$79,791.94	
Interest collected for 1928	1,987.77	
	<hr/>	\$81,779.71

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Taxes collected for 1928	\$64,532.81	
Abatements for 1928	1,789.02	
Interest for 1928	1,987.77	
Uncollected, Jan. 1, 1929	13,470.11	
	<hr/>	\$81,779.71

Respectfully submitted,

ROGER T. PERKINS,

Collector for 1927

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR FOR 1928

To the Citizens of the Town of Randolph:

Again, I submit to you my annual report, on levies committed to me. Also you will find reports of your Auditors.

Randolph, Mass., January 23, 1929.

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Levy 1922

Dr.

December 31, 1928:

By Taxes uncollected	\$221.27
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Cr.

December 31:

By Taxes paid Treasurer	\$ 25.25
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By Abatements	109.18
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By Taxes uncollected	86.84
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	<hr/>	\$221.27
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Randolph, Mass., Jan. 25, 1929

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1922, and find that he has paid the Town Treasurer \$25.25 for taxes collected for this year, but do not find any record of interest paid the Town Treasurer on this amount.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,

Auditors

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

WALDO E. MANN,

Justice of the Peace

My commission expires May 4, 1934

Randolph, Mass., January 25, 1929

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1923, and submit the following statement:

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Levy 1923

Dr.

December 31, 1928:

By taxes uncollected	\$1,082.81	
By interest collected	15.18	
	<hr/>	\$1,097.99

Cr.

December 31, 1928:

By taxes paid Treasurer	\$560.69	
By abatements	528.75	
By interest paid Treasurer	15.18	
	<hr/>	\$1,104.62

The Tax Collector has overpaid to the Town Treasurer on taxes, \$6.63. We find no record of interest paid to the Town Treasurer for taxes paid him on Nov. 30, 1928, amounting to \$506.90.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

WALDO E. MANN,
Justice of the Peace

My commission expires May 4, 1934

Randolph, Mass., January 28, 1929

Levy 1924

Dr.

December 31, 1928:

By taxes uncollected	\$2,829.57
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By interest collected	109.74	
	109.74	\$2,939.31

Cr.

December 31, 1928:

By taxes paid Treasurer	\$1,269.48	
By abatements	1,390.66	
By interest paid Treasurer	109.74	
By taxes uncollected	169.43	
	1,969.31	\$2,939.31

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1924, and find same correct as per above statement. We find no record of interest paid to Town Treasurer for taxes for the year 1924, on November 30, 1928. Taxes paid, \$859.55.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,

Auditors

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

WALDO E. MANN,

Justice of the Peace

My commission expires May 4, 1934

Randolph, Mass., January 23, 1929

Levy 1925

Dr.

December 31, 1928:

By taxes uncollected	\$4,132.44	
By interest collected	184.02	
	4,316.46	\$4,316.46

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Cr.

December 31, 1928:

By taxes paid Treasurer	\$1,142.37	
By abatements	1,286.24	
By interest paid Treasurer	184.02	
By taxes uncollected	1,703.83	
	<hr/>	\$4,316.46

Randolph, Mass., January 23, 1929

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1925, and find same correct as per above statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
Auditors

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

WALDO E. MANN,
Justice of the Peace

My commission expires May 4, 1934

Randolph, Mass., January 23, 1929

Levy 1926

Dr.

December 31, 1928:

By refunded abatements	\$ 64.00	
By taxes uncollected	15,784.44	
By interest collected	1,112.29	
	<hr/>	\$16,960.73

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Cr.

December 31, 1928:

By taxes paid Treasurer	\$11,320.20
By abatements	1,411.98
By interest paid Treasurer	1,112.29
By taxes uncollected	3,116.26
	<hr/> \$16,960.73

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1926, and find same correct as per above statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
Auditors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,
WALDO E. MANN,
Justice of the Peace

My commission expires May 4, 1934

Randolph, Mass., January 21, 1929

1928 Levy

Dr.

December 31, 1928:

Nov. 14, tax levy	\$183,445.54
Dec. 28, omitted levy	306.63
Dec. 31, interest collected	26.55
	<hr/> \$183,778.72

Cr.

December 31, 1928:

By taxes paid Treasurer	\$97,045.87
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By abatements	1,550.31	
By interest paid Treasurer	26.55	
By taxes uncollected	85,155.99	
		—————\$183,778.72

Norfolk, ss.

Randolph, January 23, 1929

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1928, and find same correct as per above statement

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JOHN B. McNEILL,

Justice of the Peace

My commission expires Sept. 27, 1929.

NOTE:—In reference to interest on the amount of taxes, mentioned in the report of the Auditors for the years 1922, 1923 and 1924, your Tax Collector for those years has this to say: That he could not pay interest in uncollectible taxes or on illegal assessments which were placed in the levy, committed to him for collection.

Thanking you again for your kindly thought of me as your Tax Collector, believe me, I am still your friend,

Yours sincerely,

WALTER H. LYONS,

Elected eleven consecutive years. Collector of Taxes

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Report of the Board of Health

The following cases of contagious disease were reported to this Board during the year.

Measles	55
Mumps	15
Scarlet Fever	27
Whooping Cough	11
Chicken Pox	5
Pulmonary Tuberculosis (with 2 deaths)	10

WALTER F. STEPHENS,
HAROLD W. MACAULEY,
JAMES H. HURLEY,

Board of Health.

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Report of the Inspector of Milk

Randolph, Mass., January 7, 1929.

Board of Health, Randolph, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I am giving you below my report for the year ending December 31, 1928:

Milk Licenses issued	65
Oleomargarin Licenses issued	9

The total receipts were \$37.00, divided as follows:

Milk Licenses	\$32.50
Oleomargarin Licenses	4.50

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM MAHADY,

Inspector of Milk.

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Report of the Inspector of Animals

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

During the year ending Dec. 31, 1928, the following animals were inspected:

Cattle	248
Swine	761
Goats	4

And 72 stables housing these animals were inspected, improvements being recommended in 15. Six (6) rabid dog cases were also handled by this department.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. TRUELSON,

Inspector of Animals.

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Report of the Inspector of Slaughtering

January 10, 1929.

To the Board of Selectmen,
Randolph, Mass.

During the year ending Dec. 31, 1928 the carcasses of
the following animals were examined:

Swine	149
Calves	6
Goats	7

All animals free from disease.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM A. CLARK,
Inspector of Slaughtering.

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Report of the Tree Warden

Jan. 1, 1929.

To the Citizens of the Town of Randolph
Greetings:

The following is a report of the department for the year ending Dec. 31, 1928:

The condition of your shade trees is very good, but there still remains a number of trees that will have to be trimmed or removed this year. **Two applications for the removal of trees are pending and a hearing will have to be called on the same.**

The rebuilding of Union Street required considerable **work in order that the construction** of the street could be carried on without injuring the trees.

Roadside trimming will have to be done to a greater **extent this year.**

Some provision ought to be made for new equipment and money should be raised for an expense account besides the regular appropriation.

No money was raised last year for the planting of new shade trees. I would recommend the raising of money each year for the planting of new trees.

The severe ice storm the first of the season caused considerable damage which required an overdraft of my appropriation.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. MOORE,
Tree Warden.

Report of the Local Moth Superintendent

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:
Gentlemen:

The Gypsy Moth situation in the town is not in as good condition as it was at the close of the 1927 season.

The small amount of money raised in 1928 is not sufficient to **do the work** and make any progress against the spread of the pest.

The northwest section of the town is badly infested and they have covered a larger territory than a year ago.

This year the spraying machine will have to be repaired and new hose purchased for which a sum of money should be raised to pay the same. The amount raised last year was not enough to pay for half of your town, and unless more money is raised the town will be as badly infested as it was a few years ago.

The unsightly tent caterpillar is still to be found and something should be done about this pest. The usual practice of creosoting the egg clusters in the Fall was not done last year owing to the lack of money for the same.

I would recommend that the Town raise the whole assessment so asked for by the State Forester.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. MOORE,
Local Moth Superintendent.

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Reports of Committee on Alterations and Repairs at Town Hall

Early in April, your Committee appointed at the annual Town meeting, consisting of the Trustees of the Stetson Fund and the Selectmen, met and organized with Joseph Belcher, Chairman, and Charles R. Kiley, Clerk.

The Committee then proceeded to elect by unanimous vote Mr. John Edmund Kelley of Randolph, supervising Architect. Discussions as to the extent and completeness of alterations and new construction followed. Many suggestions were offered. Finally Mr. Kelley was instructed to prepare plans embodying the principal changes and improvements that had been brought out. This he proceeded to do, and after the plans had been studied, altered, and finally adopted, specifications were prepared and bids solicited.

Contracts were finally awarded and bills contracted as follows:

	Amounts
Walter H. Barker	\$12,504.26
Robert E. O'Brien	3,522.00
M. B. Foster Electric Co.	678.00
Bloom, South & Guerny, Inc.	35.00
Quincy Window Cleaning Co.	53.00
T. F. McGann & Sons Co.	170.00
John T. Boyle	163.70
Elmer Burchell	2.75

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James Dowd	9.00	
Timothy Kelleher	21.00	
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	\$17,158.71	
Appropriation		\$17,000.00
Expenditures		17,158.71
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Overdrawn		\$158.71

It will be noted that the architect's fee is not included in the above schedule.

This fee of 6% on the total expenditure amounted to \$1,017.90. Of this sum, Mr. Kelley very generously donated \$517.90 to pay for redecorating the town hall. This work was done by Mr. John T. Boyle and both he and Mr. Kelley deserve the grateful thanks of us all for the beautiful appearance which the hall not presents.

The first plan called for no changes beyond the eastern wall of the old schoolroom, but when the officers and members of Lieutenant Thomas W. Desmond Post, A. L., asked for quarters your Committee voted to put the room which had been used as a kitchen in first-class condition for their use as a meeting place, and to have the balance of the corridor made to conform to the front part. In order to carry out this new undertaking, the Trustees voted an additional one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars.

The Committee hope and believe the people of Randolph are satisfied and delighted with the results accomplished, and they, although called upon to contribute considerable time and effort to the work have been amply repaid as they saw the old, dingy, cluttered conditions giving place to beautiful, convenient, artistic foyer, cor-

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ridors and offices under the skilled direction of the architect. They have a real pride in having had a part in bringing about these long needed changes and in furnishing the town with rooms that compare favorably in beauty and convenience with those of other towns in this vicinity.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH BELCHER,
CHARLES R. KILEY,
JESSE S. BEAL,
HAROLD W. MACAULEY,
WALTER F. STEPHENS,
JAMES H. HURLEY,
Committee.

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Report of the Highway Surveyor

To the Citizens of Randolph:

I herewith present my report for 1928. We recommend on the usual spring repairs which are necessary each year in May and accomplish results.

General repairs were attended to and four new streets were built and every year the expense is getting heavier, due to the tarvia which is expensive at the rate of thirteen and a half cents a gallon, costing about two hundred dollars for a thousand gallons.

The town will have to pay attention to the drainage at once and an appropriation made for both drainage and sidewalks.

The equipment of the Highway department at the present time is as good as ever in the history of the town.

During the past year we have lived within our appropriations.

I wish to thank the citizens for the co-operation they have given and the assistance they have rendered when called upon.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES LYNCH.

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Sealer of Weights and Measures

To the Board of Selectmen, Randolph:

During the year 1928 I have sealed:

Scales	110
Weights	169
Liquid measures	114
Gasoline pumps	51
Kerosene pumps	4
Oil pumps	22
Molasses pumps	1
Yard sticks	5

There were re-tested:

Gasoline pumps	5
Scales	4

Inspections:

Pedlars' licenses	4
Pedlars' scales	4

Fees collected and turned over to Town

Treasurer		\$57.60
Equipment purchased	\$14.25	
Expenses	10.75	
Salary of Sealer	150.00	
		\$175.00
Appropriation		\$175.00

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL P. LYONS,
Sealer of Weights and Measures

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Report of Police Department

Randolph, January 1, 1929.

To the Board of Selectmen.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit report of the work done by the Police Department of the Town of Randolph for the year ending December 31, 1928.

Calls answered and investigatins made	1261
*Summons served	128
Cases settled out of Court	194
*Arrests	180
Arraignments in court	189
Bound over to Grand Jury	3
Pending in District Court	1
Fount guilty in District Court	160
Appealed to Superior Court	9
†Found guilty in Superior Court	9
Pending in Superior Court	2
Acquitted	4
Placed on file	23
Placed on probation	44
Fined	77
Committtd to House of Correction	6
Committed to State Prison	1

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Committed to Sherborn	1
Committed to Shirley Industrial School for Boys	1
Committed to Lancaster Industrial School for Girls	1
Stolen property recovered	\$4480
Net returns paid to Town Treasurer from fines over and above expenses of prosecution	\$536.63

Respectfully submitted,

PATRICK T. McDONNELL,
Acting Chief of Police.

*Some arrests and summonses were served for out of town police.

†Includes 3 cases bound over to the Grand Jury, all of which were convicted in Superior Court.

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Jury List

Allen, Charles E., North Main St.	Carpenter
Baker, Arthur C., Roel St.	Clerk
Brown, Linwood G., North Main St.	Carpenter
Burchell, Elmer L., Fairmount St.	Accountant
Belcher Edmund K., South Main St.	Retired
Beers, Edgar F., Union St.	Salesman
Cutting, Robert S., Morse St.	Plumber
Clark, John E., North St.	Shoeworker
Condon, Frank M., Union St.	Shoeworker
Crockett, Percy, North St.	Contractor
Cushman, Lewis W., North Main St.	Retried
Diauto, Fred, Warren St.	Coal Dealer
Driscoll, Frederick J., North Main St.	Builder
Fahey, Edward F., Silver St.	Insurance
Fardy James, North St.	Retired
Foley, James E., Cottage St.	Retired
Flynn, Patrick J., South Main St.	Caretaker
Gould, Allen B., Mill St.	Carpenter
Gabel, C. William, Canton St.	Caterer
Good, David J., Mill St.	Retired
Harris, Joseph B., Fairmount St.	Salesman
Hanley, John P., Ward St.	Carpenter
Heney, Charles L., Union St.	Shoeworker
Hurley, James H., North Main St.	Real Estate
Hayden, Arthur C., South Main St.	Radio Supplies
Hubbard, William D., South Main St.	Caterer
Harkins, Frank, Cottage St.	Shoeworker
Kiernan, Thomas F., North St.	Shoeworker

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Leavitt, William H., North Main St.	Accountant
Linnehan, John E., Depot St.	Salesman
Lynch, James, North St.	Street Superintendent
Lyons, Daniel P., Cross St.	Salesman
Lyons, C. Fred, Wales Ave.	Retired
Mahoney, William H., West St.	Shoeworker
Mahoney, John J., Warren St.	Bookkeeper
Madden, John, Hillgarde St.	Paperhanger
Mayo, George M., Union St.	Machinist
Merrill, Carl B., Norfolk Road	Salesman
McMahon, Joseph J., South St.	Salesman
McMahon, Joseph H., South St.	Retired
Morgan, Henry V., Warren St.	Insurance
Murphy, Edward F., Short St.	Shoeworker
O'Brien, Thomas S., South St.	Shoeworker
O'Leary, Timothy M., Plain St.	Shoeworker
Powderly, Edward A., Union St.	Shoeworker
McAuliffe, Robert T., Union St.	Merchant
Potash, Louis J., Canton St.	Builder
Pelissier, Edward R., North St.	Shoeworker
Shedd, Arthur H., North St.	Bookkeeper
Schultz, Fredrick W., Hall St.	Musical Supplies
Shepard, William H., Warren St.	Shoeworker
Smith, Norman, High St.	Fireman
Stetson, Walter P., Center St.	Carpenter
Thompson, Percy H., North Main St.	Shoeworker
Walsh, Albert E., North Main St.	Builder
Wilber, Herbert C., North Main St.	Machinist
Webber, Albert C., Canton St.	Painter

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1929-Town Meeting Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts
you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants
of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in
elections therein, to meet at the polling places in their
respective precincts, to wit:

**Polling place in Precinct No. 1,
STETSON HALL, IN SAID TOWN**

**Polling place in Precinct No. 2,
North Randolph Improvement Association Hall,
in said Town,**

**On MONDAY, THE FOURTH DAY OF MARCH, 1929
at 5.45 o'clock in the forenoon**

then and there to bring in to the Wardens of their respective Precincts their votes on the official ballot for a Town Clerk for one year, Town Treasurer for one year, a Moderator for one year, three Selectmen and Overseers of Public Welfare for one year, one member of the School Committee for three years, one member of the Stetson School Fund for three years, one Col-

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lector of Taxes for one year, one Assessor for three years, one Water Commissioner for three years, three Auditors for one year, one Tree Warden for one year, one Highway Surveyor for one year, and seven Constables for one year.

THE POLLS WILL BE OPENED AT FIVE FORTY-FIVE O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON AND WILL BE CLOSED AT TWO O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON.

You are further directed to notify and warn said inhabitants qualified to vote as aforesaid to meet at the TOWN HALL in said Randolph on Monday, the 18th day of March, 1929, at seven-thirty P. M., then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1929, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article 2. To see if the Town will appoint the Selectmen to be the agents and attorneys of the Town, to prosecute, defend and compromise any and all suits in which the Town may be in any manner interested as a party or otherwise, except in so far as the same relate in any manner to the water supply, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Article 3. To see if the Town will authorize and

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appoint the Water Commissioners to be the agents and attorneys of the Town to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the Town may be interested as a party or otherwise, so far as the same in any manner relates to the preserving, taking and use of the water of Great Pond, or to the construction of the water works, either jointly or separately, as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money to defray the general Town Expenses for the current year, under the following headings:

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Moderator,	Salary
Selectmen,	Salaries and Expenses
Auditors,	Salaries and Expenses
Accountant,	Salary and Expenses
Treasurer,	Salary and Expenses (including Treasurer's Bond)
Tax Collector,	Salary and Expenses (including Tax Collector's Bond)
Assessors,	Salaries and Expenses
Law Department,	Expenses
Finance Committee,	Expenses
Town Clerk,	Salary and Expenses
	Vital Statistics
Election and Registration,	Salaries and Expenses (including Registrars of

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Town Office,	Voters) Expenses
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PROTECTION OF PROPERTY

Police Department,	Salaries and Expenses (including Traffic Signs and Beacons)
Fire Department,	Salaries, Expenses, Fire Alarm System and New Equipment
Forest Fires.	Salaries and Expenses
Sealer of Weights and Measures	Salary and Expenses
Moth Extermination,	Salary and Expenses
Tree Warden,	Salary and Expenses

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health Department,	Salaries and Expenses
Inspector of Animals,	Salary
Inspector of Milk,	Salary
Inspector of Slaughtering,	Salary
Health Nurse,	Salary

HIGHWAYS

Highway Surveyor's Salary
General Maintenance and Repairs
New Construction
Sidewalks, etc.
Snow Removal
Street Lights
Street Signs

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CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Overseers of Public Welfare, Salaries and Expenses
Infirmery, Salaries and Expenses
Outside Relief (including Medical Attendance of Poor,
 Poor out of Infirmery, Poor of Other Towns, and
 Mothers' Aid)
State Aid
Military Aid
Soldiers' Benefits

SCHOOLS

Salaries and Expenses (including Conveyance of Pupils,
 Employment of School Nurse, etc.)
Special Appropriations

TURNER LIBRARY

Repairs

UNCLASSIFIED

Memorial Day
Care of Clock in First Congregational Church
Printing and Distributing Town Reports
Claims (Land Damages, etc.)
Insurance, Fire, and Workmen's Compensation
Other Items

PUBLIC ENTERPRISES

Water Department,	Maintenance
	New Construction
	Service Construction
	Joint Account
	Main Extensions
	Other Items

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MATURING DEBT AND INTEREST

Maturing Debt

Interest: General

Article 5. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money for the Reserve Fund for extraordinary or unforeseen emergencies as per Section 6, Chapter 40, General Laws.

Article 6. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover unpaid bills of 1927 and 1928 in the following departments:

Tax Collector—Salary and expenses (1926 and previous)

Board of Health

Town Office

School Department

Infirmary

Highway Department

Election and Registration (Salaries)

Land Damages

Fire Department

Tax Collector (1927)

Water Department

Assessors

Outside Relief

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$122.38 to cover the following overdrafts:

Inspector of Animals (1927)	\$50.00
Inspector of Slaughtering (1927)	50.00
Veterans' Exemption (1928)	22.38

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Article 8. To hear and act on the reports of the Town Officers.

Article 9. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint a Special Officer or Officers to enforce the laws.

Article 10. To see what action the Town will take relative to the abatement of taxes, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 11. To see if the Town will authorize the Tax Collector to use the same means which a Town Treasurer may use when acting as Tax Collector.

Article 12. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the pay of Town laborers and others hired by the day or hour.

Article 13. To hear and act on the report of any committee, and choose any committee the Town may think proper.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to revise and amend the Town by-laws.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for professional services, to pay James H. Dunphy.

Article 16. To see what action the Town will take in regard to raising and appropriating money for the employment of a District Nurse, as provided for by

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Chapter 40, Section 5, General Laws, as amended by Chapter 371, Section 1, Acts of 1921.

MISCELLANEOUS

Article 17. To see what action the Town will take relative to paying land damages on Canton Street and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 18. To see what action the Town will take relative to the settlement of the suits of Hanley v. The Inhabitants of Randolph and Carroll v. The Inhabitants of Randolph, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 19. To see what action the Town will take relative to drainage problems in the town and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 20. To see what action the Town will take relative to installing new equipment at the pumping station, under the direction of the Water Commissioners, in conjunction with the Water Commissioners of Holbrook, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to appoint an additional police officer, and according to the Civil Service rules and regulations, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned by William S. Condon, Eugene McAuliffe, F. W. Hayden, and others.

Article 22. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Water Commissioners to appoint any of their

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number to another office or position under their control, and fix the salary of such person, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 36, Acts of 1929, or to take any action relative thereto.

Article 23. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to appoint any of their number to another office or position under their control, and to fix the salary of such person, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 36, Acts of 1929, or to take any action relative thereto.

Article 24. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Fire Engineers to appoint any of their number to another office or position under their control, and to fix the salary of such person, in accordance with Chapter 36, Acts of 1929, or to take any action relative thereto.

Article 25. To see what action the Town will take relative to raising and appropriating the sum of three hundred dollars to purchase athletic equipment for the Stetson High School; that said sum, if voted, shall be placed in the hands of a faculty manager of athletics at the Stetson High School, said person to be named by the School Committee. The School Committee shall instruct the appointed person to make an annual report of the money expended. As petitioned for by H. Franklin Porter, E. P. Vaughn, J. R. Luddington, and others.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money to continue the work of surveying

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the Town and the making of maps, as petitioned for by Frank F. Teed, Waldo E. Mann, James V. Donovan, and others.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00, to provide a drainage system for Fairmount Street, as petitioned for by Elmer L. Burchell, Martin E. Young, Harold W. Macauley, and others.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the placing of two hydrants on Old Street, as petitioned for by Geo. A. Wescott, Albert W. Williams, Margaret Hanley, and others.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00, to defray the expenses of an Armistice Day celebration, as petitioned for by Francis G. Keith, F. L. Hand, Sumner G. Moody, and others.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$450.00, to purchase and place in Stetson Hall, a Bronze Honor Roll, as petitioned for by Francis G. Keith, Roy W. Drysdale, Peter Paul Camelio, and others.

Article 31. To see what action the Town will take to relocate and bound a private way in the vicinity of Russ Street, and raise and appropriate money for a survey thereof, as petitioned for by Wm. G. Shanks, S. W. Powers, Royal L. Mann, and others.

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Article 32. To see what action the Town will take relative to raising and appropriating money to pay for the furnishings in the Town Offices.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money to defray the expense of painting the exterior of Stetson Hall.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for replacing the fence on North Main Street at Depot Street.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to make necessary renovations in the room of the G. A. R., and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 36. To see if the Town will adopt a temporary zoning law, or act in any manner thereon as an administrative method of protecting our homes and areas, as petitioned for by Helen M. Haney, Mary A. Kiley, Andrew Maguire, and others.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$658.71, representing unpaid bills in connection with the remodeling of the lower floor of Stetson Hall, as petitioned for by the Building Committee.

ACCEPTANCE OF STREETS

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a town way Marion Street, so-called, as laid out by the Selectmen, as petitioned for by James H. Hurley, James Lynch, and others.

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Article 39. To see if the town will vote to accept as a town way Woodlawn Road, so-called, as laid out by the Selectmen, as petitioned for by Albion L. Roode, Joseph Latlippe, Edward Pratt, and others.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a town way Warren Avenue, so-called, as laid out by the Selectmen, as petitioned for by John J. Sullivan, Frank J. Laninger, John B. Whitney, and others.

ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

Article 41. To see what action the Town will take in regard to rebuilding Canton Street, in conjunction with the County and State, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to repair Depot Street, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 therefor, as petitioned for by Miss Elizabeth Linnehan, Geo. A. Sullivan James H. Hurley, and others.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to repair Fairview Street, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for the same, as petitioned for by Chester E. Claff, John F. Finn, Carl A. Moeller, and others.

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00, for the purpose of reconstructing Oak Street with a taryia surface, beginning at the West Corners (so-called), and continuing along Oak Street in an easterly direction, as far as the money will go, as petitioned for by W. L. Mann, Harry A. Hopkins, Mary A. Eaton, and others.

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Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 to finish Mill Street as a permanent street, as petitioned for by William A. Clark, Mrs. Stephen J. Hart, Horace L. Porter, and others.

Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,200.00, for the repair of Maitland Avenue, as petitioned for by Samuel Damiano, Chas. W. Tucker, Thos. H. Carpenter, and others.

Article 47. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00, to repair Highland Avenue, starting at Cole's Terrace and proceeding in a northerly direction as far as the money will go, as petitioned for by Raymond E. Lyons, Ralph K. Corliss, Geo. E. Pyne, and others.

Article 48. To see what action the Town will take relative to repairing Ward Street, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Marion F. Hammond, Lawrence G. Juidice, William W. Langley, and others.

Article 49. To see what action the Town will take relative to repairing Pleasant Street, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Julia E. Mahoney, Alonzo E. Madan, L. Maria Desmond, and others.

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00, to continue repairs

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on Chestnut Street, as petitioned for by Chas. H. Truelson, Mrs. John H. Pace, F. O. Evans, and others.

Article 51. To see what action the Town will take relative to the permanent construction of Pond Street in conjunction with the County and State, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Frank M. Downes, Herman H. Smith, J. M. Gladback, and others.

Article 52. To see if the Town will vote to repair Belcher Street, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Frank W. Billingham, John E. McDonald, Arthur E. Meserve, and others.

Article 53. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00, to rebuild and properly surface Norfolk Road from South Main Street to Highland Avenue, as petitioned for by James Donovan, C. B. Merrill, J. J. O'Neil, and others.

Article 54. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00, to repair and improve Old Street, from Main Street to Chestnut Street, as petitioned for by Gordon R. Teed, Geo. A. Smith, Albert Williams, and others.

Article 55. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00, to finish Mill Street as a permanent street, as petitioned for by Paul Kachele, Geo. W. Butter, Walter Ballantyne, Jr., and others.

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Article 56. To see if the Town will vote to repair and drain from No. 50 Grove Street to Cross Street, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by N. Frank Randall, William Ludlam, Joseph Belcher, and others.

Article 57. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00, for the purpose of repairing Warren Avenue, as petitioned for by John J. Sullivan, Frank J. Laninger, Lincoln Gibson, and others.

Article 58. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00, for the purpose of repairing Woodlawn Road, as petitioned for by Mrs. Sela T. Johnson, Charles M. Buzzell, William B. Eichele and others.

Article 59. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild Marion Street for a distance of about 800 feet, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by James H. Hurley, James Lynch, Leslie Claff, and others.

WATER EXTENSIONS

Article 60. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main from the corner of North Main and Stacy Streets, along Stacy Street to High Street, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Royal L. Mann, John T. Trefry, Frederick A. Sullivan, and others.

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Article 61. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water main on North Main Street from its present terminus (at or near Waldo Street) to Russ Street, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Albert C. Webber, John J. Madden, Frank M. Downes, and others.

Article 62. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main along Centre Street 800 feet in a westerly direction from the present dead end near the residence of Clarence Rowe, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by George Harris, Walter J. Good, Clarence Rowe, and others.

Article 63. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to install water mains on Highland Avenue in a southerly direction from the present dead end near the residence of Major Crafts, a distance of 800 feet, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by William Corrigan, George E. Young, E. B. Cole, and others.

Article 64. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to lay the water main along Chestnut Street from the present dead end to the residence of John Stevenson, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by James Hunter, John Stevenson, Chas. S. Brown, and others.

Article 65. To see what action the Town will take relative to extending the water main from the dead end on Grove Street a distance of 600 feet, and raise

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and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Oren Reynolds, Robt. A. Yates, Annie M. Yates, and others.

Article 66. To see what action the Town will take relative to the extension of the water main on Pauline Street westerly a distance of 709 feet, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Frederick A. Sullivan, Jesse C. Dunbar, M. C. Downes, and others.

Article 67. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main from its present terminus on North Main Street in a northerly direction to a point on Hill Street, a distance of 600 feet, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Waldo E. Mann, Royal L. Mann, Ervin L. Black, and others.

Article 68. To see what action the Town will take relative to laying a water main on Woodlawn Road from South Main Street to the Holbrook line, with connections at each side street, so that a smaller pipe can be connected to it, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Frank Marsicano, John A. Del Vecchio, Joseph Savina, and others.

Article 69. To see what action the Town will take relative to extending the water main on Vesey Road, a distance of 300 feet from its present terminus, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Frederick D. Driscoll, Henry V. Morgan, Frank F. Teed, and others.

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Article 70. To see what action the Town will take relative to extending the water main from its present terminus on Oak Street, easterly along Oak Street, a distance of 550 feet, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Warren A. Eaton, L. E. Smith, Harry A. Hopkins, and others.

Article 71. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for connecting dead ends on the water mains, as petitioned for by the Water Commissioners.

ELECTRIC LIGHT EXTENSIONS

Article 72. To see if the Town will vote to install two additional lights on Warren Street, between the railroad crossing and Silver Street, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Margaret J. Kelliher, Mary E. Pope, William H. Shepard, and others.

Article 73. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the placing of two street lights on Old Street, as petitioned for by Geo. A. Westcott, Albert W. Williams, Margaret Hanley, and others.

Article 74. To see if the Town will vote to install one street light on Woodland Parkway, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Henry M. Elworthy, Ellen M. Fowler, William J. Guider, and others.

Article 75. To see if the Town will vote to install two street lights on Center Street, near the residence of

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John H. Marcille, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by John H. Marcille, Walter J. Good, Geo. W. Campbell, and others.

Article 76. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money to install four street lights on Highland Avenue in a southerly direction, starting at Major Crafts' residence, as petitioned for by William Corrigan, Geo. A. Young, Geo. E. Pyne, and others.

Article 77. To see if the Town will vote to install two street lights on Amelian Road, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Wm. Sargent, Herman H. Smith, Wilfred P. Doyle, and others.

Article 78. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the purpose of installing five street lights on Hall Street, between North Main and Mitchell Streets, as petitioned for by Frederick W. Schultz, Ervin L. Black, Frederick A. Sullivan, and others.

Article 79. To see if the Town will vote to install an electric light at the junction of North Main and Roel Streets, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by James H. Hurley, Leslie A. Claff, William J. O'Connor, and others.

Article 80. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$181.50 for eleven (11) electric lights on Union Street, between Crawford Square and the Holbrook station, as petitioned for by Jesse S. Beal, Peter Madigan, Charles R. Hollis, and others.

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Article 81. To see what action the Town will take relative to installing seven (7) additional White Way lights between Crawford Square and Warren Street.

Article 82. To see if the Town will vote to place two (2) electric lights on Marion Street, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by James H. Hurley, Mary A. Thompson, John B. McNeill, and others.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said Town seven days, at least, before the day and hour for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, on or before the day and hour appointed for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, this eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1929.

WALTER F. STEPHENS,
HAROLD W. MACAULEY,
JAMES H. HURLEY,

Selectmen of Randolph.

A True Copy:
Attest:

Constable

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Town of Randolph



For the Year Ending December 31
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of the

Selectmen and Overseers of Public Welfare, Assessors,
Board of Health, Fire Department, Highway
Suveyor, Police Department, School Committee,
Tax Collector, Town Accountant, Town
Clerk and Town Treasurer

of the

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

together with the reports of

The Trustees of the Stetson School Fund

The Trustees of the Turner Free Library

Water Commissioners

Animal Inspector

Milk Inspector

Moth Superintendent

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Slaughtering Inspector

Tree Warden

For the

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1929

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TOWN OFFICERS, 1929

Elected

Moderator (elected annually)—James F. Kennedy.

Town Clerk and Treasurer (elected annually)—John B. McNeill.

Selectmen and Overseers of the Public Welfare (elected annually)—Walter F. Stevens, Harold W. Macauley, James H. Hurley.

Assessors (elected for 3 years)—Frank F. Teed, term expires 1931; Waldo E. Mann, term expires 1930; James P. Duffy, term expires 1932.

School Committee (elected for 3 years)—Jesse S. Beal, term expires 1930; Charles R. Kiley, term expires 1931; William J. O'Keefe, term expires 1932.

Trustees of Stetson School Fund (elected for 3 years)—Jesse S. Beal, term expires 1930; Charles R. Kiley, term expires 1931; William J. O'Keefe, term expires 1932.

Water Commissioners (elected for 3 years)—Fred D. Driscoll, term expires 1930; John B. McNeill, term expires 1931; Richard F. Forrest, term expires 1932.

Tax Collector (elected annually)—Walter H. Lyons.

Highway Surveyor (elected annually)—James Lynch.

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Tree Warden (elected annually)—John T. Moore.

Constables (elected annually)—Louis J. Courtney, Joseph J. Dench (resigned), John A. Forrest, Martin E. Young, George M. Brewster, Carl L. Macauley, George L. Frawley.

Board of Health (by Section 1, Chapter 41, General Laws) the Selectmen act in this capacity.

Auditors (elected annually)—Raymond L. Mason, James V. Donovan, Michael F. Cunningham.

Appointed by Selectmen

Registrars of Voters (appointed for 3 years)—Joseph J. Dench, term expires 1930; Walter L. Hickey, term expires 1931; Carlton B. Lyons, term expires 1932; John B. McNeill, Town Clerk, ex officio.

Chief of Police—Patrick T. McDonnell.

Chief of Fire Department—Harold L. Bailey.

Forest Warden—Harold L. Bailey.

Warden of Infirmary—John H. Marcille; Matron, Mrs. Stella Hughes.

Keeper of the Lock-up (appointed annually)—Timothy Kelleher.

Special Police to serve without pay—Edward J. Dolan, Wm. S. Condon, Wm. Mahady, John A. Forrest, George Frawley, Percy H. Thomson, Wm. C. Mann, Stephen J. Hart, Patrick J. Flynn, Timothy Kelliher, W. Stanley Atherton, Thomas H. Good, Edmund J. Brady, Nicholas Moore, Frank L. Hiller, Francis T. Hann (Milton

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Police), James J. Dalton (Milton Police), Daniel P. Lyons, Frank M. Condon, George Lohr, Patrick T. McDonnell, Constable, E. Clifton Payne, Constable.

Special Police to serve in emergencies without expense to the town—Members of American Legion: Walter H. Billingham, Wm. E. Buck, M. D., C. Lloyd Claff, Leon Crothers, Wm. F. Cunningham, Frank L. Hand, George V. Higgins, M. D., Irving S. Hill, Francis G. Keith, Ellis H. Mann, Raymond L. Mason, Sumner G. Moody, Alfred W. Myrick, M. D., Harold B. Whitehouse, Wm. R. Yundt, Charles R. Main.

Fence Viewers—Frank C. Wales, William Mahady, Chas. H. Truelson.

Surveyors of Wood and Bark—Robert E. O'Brien, Charles D. Hill, N. Frank Randall, Charles H. Truelson.

Field Drivers—John T. Wales, Wm. H. Carroll, Lincoln Stetson, Frank H. Walsh.

Public Weighers—Michael Diauto, Clara Diauto, Dominick Diauto, Frank Esposito, M. E. Leahy, H. B. Mann, Ellen Reilly, John White, Dennis Murphy, Patrick Hoye (Deceased).

Burial Agent for Board of Health—John B. McNeill
Inspector of Animals—Charles Truelson.

Inspector of Slaughtering—William A. Clark.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—Daniel P. Lyons.

Moth Superintendent—John T. Moore.

Dog Officer—Frank M. Condon.

Inspector of Milk—William Mahady.

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COMMITTEES

Committee of seven including one Selectman and one member of School Board to investigate and recommend on the school situation:

William J. O'Keefe	Frank M. Downes
Frederick E. Knebel	Francis G. Keith
Harold W. Macauley	Charles R. Kiley
Frederick W. Schulz	

Committee of five, two to be Town Officers, to compile proposed list of amendments and additions to Town By-laws:

John P. McCarthy	Timothy Lyons, Jr.
John B. McNeil	James H. Hurley
William C. Low	

Committee of five (Board of Health and two other citizens) to study Town Drainage Problems:

Walter F. Stephens	James P. Duffy
Harold W. Macauley	J. Dorrence Anderson
James H. Hurley	

Committee of five to recommend new method of selecting Finance Committee:

Arthur C. Hayden	Edward R. Long
Joseph T. Leahy	Edmund Derocher
Ernest S. Bossi	

Committee of five to recommend on the adoption of a temporary Zoning Law:

Helen M. Haney	James A. Mullen
Mrs. Jessie C. Dunbar	John J. Madden
John R. Luddington	

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Committee of five to purchase double-bank motor-driven Ladder Truck:

Walter F. Stephens

Harold L. Bailey

Carl S. Gove

Henry Campbell

Edward A. Powderly

(Signed) JAMES F. KENNEDY,

Moderator 1929.

On the above School Investigating Committee, Harold W. Macauley, Charles R. Kiley and Wm. J. O'Keefe resigned and the following were appointed to fill the vacancies: Herbert C. Wilbur, Thomas F. Carroll, and Benjamin F. Crowell.

On the committee to recommend a new method of electing a Finance Committee, Arthur C. Hayden resigned and John P. McCarthy was appointed to fill the vacancy.

On the Zoning Committee, Miss Helen M. Haney was residing out of town and Edgar B. Cole was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Finance Committee (appointed for 3 years)—Joseph Belcher, Henry V. Morgan, Walter F. Stephens (terms expire 1930 ; James P. Duffy, Arthur L. Mann, Wm. S. Condon (terms expire 1931) ; Timothy O'Leary, Royal L. Mann, Robert E. O'Brien (terms expire 1932).

**Representative to General Court from 9th Norfolk
Representative District**

Everett C. Crane, Avon

**Representative to Congress from 14th Congressional
District**

Richard B. Wigglesworth, Milton.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Report of the Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING—1929

Election of Officers

Total number of ballots cast for Town Officers: Precinct 1—1,402; Precinct 2—229; Total, 1,631.

MODERATOR (1 year)

	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Total
James E. Foley	688	71	759
James F. Kennedy	648	141	789
Blanks	66	17	83

TOWN CLERK (1 year)

John B. McNeill	1205	203	1408
Blanks	197	26	223

TOWN TREASURER (1 year)

John B. McNeill	1156	195	1351
Blanks	246	34	280

SELECTMEN AND OVERSEERS OF PUBLIC WELFARE

(1 year)

James H. Hurley	996	149	1145
Harold W. Macauley	958	177	1135
John P. McCarthy	466	51	517
Walter F. Stephens	860	182	1042
Blanks	926	128	1054

ASSESSORS (3 years)

James P. Duffy	682	144	826
James E. Foley	656	68	724
Blanks	64	17	81

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SCHOOL COMMITTEE (3 years)

	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Total
William J. O'Keefe	1128	190	1318
Joseph Belcher	2		2
Blanks	272	39	311

TRUSTEE STETSON SCHOOL FUND (3 years)

William J. O'Keefe	1107	182	1289
Joseph Belcher	2		2
Blanks	293	47	340

TAX COLLECTOR (1 year)

Walter H. Lyons	1197	206	1403
Roger Perkins	3	1	4
Blanks	202	22	224

WATER COMMISSIONER (3 years)

Richard F. Forrest	645	95	740
Arthur L. Mann	391	101	492
Nicholas Moore	310	22	332
Blanks	56	11	67

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR (1 year)

John J. Bowen	95	1	96
John A. Frederickson	48	59	107
James Lynch	898	75	973
Charles H. Truelson	282	84	366
Blanks	79	10	89

TREE WARDEN (1 year)

John T. Moore	1047	176	1223
Blanks	355	53	408

AUDITORS (1 year)

Michael F. Cunningham	926	147	1073
James V. Donovan	853	99	952
Raymond L. Mason	753	144	897
S. William Swain	588	122	710
Blanks	1086	175	1261

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CONSTABLES (1 year)

George M. Brewster	635	99	734
Louis J Courtney	630	89	719
Joseph J. Dench	656	109	765
Fred O. Evans	559	132	691
John A. Forrest	872	137	1009
George L. Frawley	666	109	775
Carl L. Macauley	621	140	761
William Mahady	565	88	653
William C. Mann	578	73	651
Joseph Rudderham	506	66	572
Martin E. Young	877	130	1007
Blanks	2659	421	3080

A true copy of record: Attest

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

SPECIAL PRIMARY ELECTION, 1929

Randolph, October 22, 1929.

A Special Primary Election was held October 22, 1929, at 2 o'clock P. M., to fill the vacancy in the Norfolk Senatorial District.

Whole number of votes cast: Republican 41; Democratic, 10.

John D. Mackaye	Republican	Fifteen	15
Everett R. Prout	Republican	Twenty-one	21
John F. Scott	Republican	One	1
Philip H. Sullivan	Republican	Three	3
Wendell Phillips Thore	Republican	None	0
Blanks	Republican	One	1
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Philip H. Sullivan	Democratic	Six	6
Joseph McMahon	Democratic	One	1
Blanks		Three	3
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SPECIAL ELECTION TO FILL VACANCY

Norfolk Senatorial District

November 5, 1929

Polls were open from 11.45 a. m. to 6.30 p. m. at which time 53 votes were cast: John D. Mackaye receiving 48 and Blanks 5.

A true copy of the record of election.

Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, 1929

You will find all of the appropriations made at the Annual Town Meeting in the Town Accountant's Report taken from an attested list made by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. It was voted unanimously that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money from time to time, in anticipation of revenue of the financial year, January 1 to December 31, 1929, both dates inclusive, and to issue a note or notes therefor, and the indebtedness incurred by reason of the issuance of said note or notes to be provided for from the revenue of said financial year, January 1 to December 31, 1929.

Article 2. It was voted that the town appoint the Selectmen to act in the capacity of agents and attorneys of the Town, to prosecute, defend and compromise any and all suits in which the Town may be in any manner interested as a party or otherwise, except insofar as the same relate in any manner to the water supply, and to employ counsel if necessary.

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Article 3. It was voted that the Water Commissioners be authorized and instructed to act in the capacity of agents and attorneys of the Town, to prosecute and defend any and all suits and proceedings in which the Town may be interested as a party or otherwise, so far as the same in any manner relates to the preserving, taking, and use of the water of Great Pond, or to the construction of the water works, either jointly or separately, as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Article 9. It was voted that the Selectmen be instructed to appoint a Police Officer, the salary of which is provided for under Article 4.

Article 12. It was voted that the laborers employed by the town be compensated as follows:

Snow Removal Work

Day work between the hours of 7 A. M. and 5 P. M.

Laborers—Sixty (60) cents per hour.

Horses—Fifty (50) cents per hour.

Nightwork between the hours of 5 P. M. and 7 A. M.

Laborers—Time and one-half; viz., at (90) ninety cents.

Horses—Time and one-half; viz., at (75) seventy-five cents per hour.

Laborers employed for all other purposes:

Sixty (60) cents per hour straight time for day and night work.

Only residents of Randolph and naturalized citizens of the United States are to be employed in any Department.

Article 13. It was voted that a committee of five (5) be appointed by the Moderator to consider and report on a better means of electing a Finance Committee.

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Article 14. It was voted that a committee of five (5), two of which shall be Town Officers and three (3) private citizens of the town, be appointed by the Moderator to compile a report of the existing town by-laws with a proposed list of amendments and additions thereto.

Article 19. It was voted that a committee of five (5) be appointed, composed of the Board of Health and two (2) citizens, to be appointed by the Moderator, to make a study of the drainage problems in the Town and that the sum of \$300 be raised and appropriated to the use of the committee and for other purposes.

Article 21. It was voted that the Town instruct the Selectmen to appoint an additional police Officer according to the Civil Service rules and regulations.

Article 22. It was voted that the Water Commissioners be authorized to appoint any of their number to another office or position under their control and fix the salary of such person, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 36, Acts of 1929.

Article 36. It was voted that a new committee be appointed by the Moderator to report at the next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 38. It was voted that Marion Street be accepted as a Town Way as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 39. It was voted that the Town accept Woodlawn Road as a Town Way as laid out by the Selectmen, a distance of 1,300 feet to Sherwood Avenue, provided that the persons having any claim for land damage arising out of taking and construction of same, waive their right of damage within three months from this date.

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SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

April 1, 1929.

Article 1. It was voted that the Selectmen be instructed to lay out and bound a public way in the vicinity of Russ Street through North Main Street to Pond Street and that \$300.00 be raised and appropriated to pay the expense of same.

Article 2. It was voted to authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of seven (7) citizens including one (1) member of the School Committee, one (1) member of the Board of Selectmen to study and investigate the school situation in the Town, and make a report with their recommendations at a subsequent Town Meeting, but not later than the Annual Town Meeting of 1930.

Article 3. It was voted that the Town accept the provisions of Sections 42, 43 and 44 of Chapter 48 of the General Laws, relative to Fire Department and the act supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof.

Article 4. It was voted that there be appropriated the sum of \$8,000.00 for the purpose of purchasing a double bank motor-driven ladder truck under the direction of a committee of five citizens to be appointed by the moderator, and that \$1,500.00 of said amount be raised this year, and for the purpose of paying the remainder of this appropriation, the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow \$6,500.00, and to issue a note or notes of the Town therefor, payable with the provisions of Section 19 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, and amendments thereto, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than five (5) years from the date of issue of the first note, or at such earlier date as the Selectmen and Treasurer may determine.

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SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

April 8, 1929.

Article 1. It was voted that we accept the provisions of Sections 32 to 47 inclusive of Chapter 147 of the General Laws which acceptance would permit the licensing of boxing matches in the Town of Randolph.

Article 2. It was voted that we accept the provisions of Chapter 406 of the Acts of 1928, an act approved by the people at the State Election, November 6, 1928, an act pertaining to certain sports and games on the Lord's Day.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

April 26, 1929.

Article 3. It was unanimously voted that the Town accept the provisions of Chapter 41, Section 97 of the General Laws, and of Acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof, relative to the establishment of a police department.

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BIRTHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1929

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
Jan.	Margaret Kendall	F	Arthur P., Gertrude R.—Gaffey
	Charles Wadsworth Eagles	M	Chas. King, Ada—Wadsworth
	Thomas Francis Messere	M	Thomas, Edith E.—Curry
	Benjamin Perry	M	Benjamin S., Jennie—Kramer
	Edith Caroline Huey	F	Wm. T., Pearl H.—Frost
	Grace Bertram	F	Walter R., Alice—Blakeley
	Robert Hurley	M	Wm. Leo., Joanna—Mulcahey
Feb.	Joseph Pentleton, Jr.	M	Joseph, Margaret—Short
	Beverly L. Briscoe	F	Walter E., Harriet—Linnell
	Mabel Emaline Hansen	F	Wm. P., Hilda J.—Tavares
	James Theo. Wilson, Jr.	M	Jas. T., Grace A.—Shanks
	Raymond Ellsworth Beale, Jr.	M	Raymond E., Alice S.—Ryala
	Grace Sullivan	F	Dennis J., Esther—Hasenfus
	John Cannizzaro	M	Silvio, Amelia—Paulicelli
Mar.	Robert Arthur Mitchell	M	Albert H., Mary E.—McCoubrey
	Richard Gould Harris	M	Chas. Wm., Sophie V.—Jandrew
	John DiPasqua	M	Ignatio, Mary—Minutile
	William Boutin	M	Lawrence F., Ada—MacPherson
	Robert Wm. Geist	M	Willie, Rosa W.—Petersen
	Ellen Jane Churchill	F	Gordon B., Edith—Harris
	George Harold Eddy	M	Harold H., Aimee—Sherwood
Apr.	Robert Allen Corey	M	Leo A., Madeline M.—Keenan
	Robert Brennan	M	Arthur J., Anna—Corey
	Earl Dean Borden	M	Roy F., Christina—Mellish
	Dorothy Jane Smith	F	Wm. Russell, Carrie—Brown
	Dorothy Doyle	F	John J., Louise R.—Sass
	Frederick Arthur Hopkins	M	Harry A., Loretta M.—Akerley
		F	

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Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
	Cecilie Mann	F	Wm. Henry, Alida—Morrow
9	Robert Lee Stewart	F	Todd Hans, Elizabeth A.—McDonald
15	Dorothy Mary Reid	M	Benjamin B., May E.—Howlett
16	Louille Marie Johnson	F	Chas. H, Lela T.—Phelps
25	John Ernest Wrisley	F	Luke C, Marion—Power
May	Gladys Dorothy Myrtle Coates	M	Harry S., Gladys H.—Stoddard
3	Richard Stanley Palmer	F	Otis Lorne, Rilla—Goodblood
5	Richard Stanley Palmer	M	Warren A., Mary A.—McLean
7	Retea Louise Eaton	F	Walter N., Annie G.—Nangle
8	Bernard Osborne	M	Roland E., Doris—True
9	Shirley Alice Gale	F	John F., Mary E.—Fagan
10	Esther Teresa Cullen	F	Wm. W., Alice L.—Frank
11	Barbara Hicks	F	Harold R., Beatrice M.—Peasley
13	Joan Doris McWilliams	F	Charles J., Mary E.—O'Leary
17	Richard Cunningham	M	Clifford, Doris—Fletcher
23	Clifford Wallace Sampson	M	William, Stella—Tambake
23	Constance Papouleas	F	Whitman C., Annie B.—Hanley
24	Beatrice Louisa Whynot	F	Albert W., Lillian E.—Wallace
26	Ethel Mae Rhodes	F	George, Edna G. B.—Rhodes
June	George Richard Hollis	M	Arthur, Sadie C.—Gary
6	George Hoag	M	Robert P., Helen L.—Tweedie
9	Janet Elizabeth Norman	F	Harold B., Eunice I.—Sawyer
10	Lillian Isabelle Anderson	F	Marino G., Pearl O.—Cassani
15	Virginia May Rota	F	J. Marshall, Mae A.—Stowe
18	Milton Jacob Phillips	M	George N., Mildred—Hollihan
28	George Richard Welch	M	Chester S., Bertha E.—Young
6	Wm. Randolph Taylor	M	Gilbert F., Arlene—Parker
7	Edwina Frances Smith	F	Paul, Mary—Bennett
10	Wm. Gabriel Hackett	M	Paul, Mary—Bennett
10	Marie Louise Hackett	F	Cornelius J., Ellen—Maxwell
15	Joseph David McGonagle	M	

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BIRTHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1929

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
15	Hanna Dorothea Pease	F	Clarence Wm., Catherine E.—Hanlon
19	Lorraine Harriet Hawkins	F	William, Bertha E.—Teed
24	Edward David Johnston	M	Edward T., Gertrude E.—Tarrant
27	Constance Joan Person	F	Carl A., Elfrieda—Emery
Aug. 1	Elizabeth Jean Hendrick	F	Thomas P., Laura L.—Wilkinson
5	Henrietta Claire McElroy	F	Theodore C., Catherine M.—Lyman
6	Victor Damiano	M	Nunzio, Mary—Felaccio
8	Marion Lois Driscoll	F	Chester V., Hannah—Bell
11	Anne Marie Schneider	F	Albert J., Irene L.—Gaynor
15	Thomas Robert Clegett	M	John J., Anna M.—Currie
30	Richard Dana Harris	M	Prescott W., Helen—Berg
30	Ronald Arthur Chatfield	M	Ernest G., Nora—Hodges
31	Margaret Louise Gabriel	F	Vincento, Beulah—Smith
31	Anita Mary Burrill	F	Edward F., Irene D.—Thibeault
Sept. 3	Louise Mary Blakely	F	Charles F., Lillian—Donovan
4	William James Gaffey	M	James E., Amelia—Santos
14	James Henry Brooks	M	W. Laurence, Phyllis—LeQuesne
14	Daniel Maxwell Brooks	M	W. Laurence, Phyllis—LeQuesne
20	Eleanor Margaret Meaney	F	Wm. H., Helen—Shannon
22	Almira Belle White	F	Harold, Marion—White
25	Norman Paul Dean	M	Thomas J., Hazel L.—Lord
Oct. 1	Adele Constable Crafts	F	Addison F., Ella—Constable
2	Patricia Ann Hammond	F	George, Marion—Fraser
3	Charles Albert White	M	Charles A., Edna—Erickson
4	Joan Marsters	F	Rupert Wm., Persis H.—Jenkins
6	Thomas William Evans	M	George T., Janette—Hollis
7	David Joseph Kenney	M	David J., Emily Durand—Hall
18	Robert Thomas Brewster	M	Joseph F., Mary A.—LaPhelle
21	William Wickstrom	M	George, Marion—Phillips
26	Margaret Holmes	F	Elmer S., Madeline—Shaw
27	Lawrence Francis Murphy, Jr.	M	Lawrence F., Katherine M.—McDowell

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BIRTHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1929

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
Nov.	3 Patrick Thomas McDonnell	M	Patrick T., Anastasia C.—Kane
	5 Barbara Louise Larsen	F	Lawrence, Dorothy—Goss
	5 George Bruce Sanders	M	George, Ruth—Levangie
	9 Viola May Willis	F	Sherman B., Victoria M.—Carmichael
	12	F	
Dec.	14 Allen Tedford Warnock	M	John, Edith—Phillips
	15 Edward Joseph Cottam, Jr.	M	Edward J., Josephine—Marks
	23 Douglas Allison Sperry	M	Percy Arthur, Hazel A.—Rafus
	28 James Joseph Webb	M	James, Nora—Donovan
	2 John Joseph Connell	M	John J., Helen F.—Cahill
	2 Irene Gladys Jacobson	F	Jacob, Edith M.—Finch
	3 James Lawrence Messere	M	Joseph, Edith E.—Curry
	6 John Francis Diauto	M	Dominic F., Mary F.—Doyle
	10 Jean Elaine Backius	F	Gustave, Jeanette—Youngren
	11 ——— Cokinos	F	Constantine, Mary C.—Karambella
	12 Clarence Gustafson	M	Clarence S., Lydia E.—Williams
	12 Joyce Elita MacCombie	F	Albert L., Gladys M.—Palmer
	16 Virginia Katherine Conklin	F	John J., Clara E.—Schworm
	24 Robert Haynes Mason	M	Ivan, Helen—Haynes
	27 Walter Lincoln Hess	M	Frank, Ervena L.—Rhoades

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May	17 Marjorie Ann Steele	F	Lester B., Hilda Lundberg
Dec.	12 Barbara Shirley Brigham	F	Robert MacF., Sarah E.—Allen
	15 Francis Dockerdorff	M	Solomon J., Rose—Jennings
	22 William Bruce Harriman	M	Bruce, Florence—Beatty
	25	F	

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MARRIAGES RECORDED—1929

Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
Jan.	13 Cosmo Fiestole	Somerville
	Rose Eleanor Camelio	Randolph
	13 John T. Callahan	Holbrook
	Ruth M. Jope	Randolph
	19 Alexander Berwick	Randolph
	Margaret L. Witham (Bowden)	Randolph
Feb.	4 Charles N. Beale	Randolph
	Ethel M Densen	Brockton
	9 Carl George Hylen	Randolph
	Madeline Anna Roberts (Bunn)	Norwood
	13 Theodore E. Frederick	Randolph
	Eleanor Beale	Randolph
Mar.	22 Rufus H. Lovering	Woburn
	Dorothy Rhena Mann	Randolph
	31 Oiva Tikkanen	Quincy
	Lillian M. Hylen	Randolph
Apr.	2 John Eugene Lynch	Quincy
	Grace Marie Gilgan	Randolph
	6 Carmine Salvucci	Quincy
	Georgianna Mary Foti	Randolph
	12 Lawrence Francis Boutin	Randolph
	Ada Viola MacPherson	Randolph
May	15 Arthur William Kane	Randolph
	Helen Josephine Murphy	Wollaston
	9 Herbert A. Bagley, Jr.	Roxbury
	May A. Beale	Roslindale
	11 Arthur H. Frawley	Brockton
	Adeline J. Cozzatti	Randolph

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21 George J. SeymourBrighton
Olive Lillian MorganRandolph

21 Daniel Joseph CoyleRandolph
Bernice Edna WilleyRandolph

June 5 Charles J. MurphyRandolph
Helen I. BreenSomerville

6 Francis William KnightsRandolph
Elizabeth GrahamCambridge

8 Gustave Adolph SchultzBoston
Karla Andrea DahldorffRandolph

12 Edward Raymond LongRandolph
Alice Beatrice FallonWest Bridgewater

16 Ralph Emerson SmithPlymouth
Ruth Lee MillerWest Newton

16 Charles H. SaundersBrockton
Minnie J. Pease (Sampson)Brockton

21 Harold Wilder VarneyEast Bridgewater
Eleanor Isabelle ErnestHolbrook

23 Charles M. LedigRandolph
Ninon M. PannerotHyde Park

26 Edward James O'BrienRandolph
Catherine ClearyBrockton

26 Ralph C. CowingHingham
Ruth L. RoelRandolph

29 Will Andrew WillisRandolph
Mildred B. MagnussenRandolph

July 2 Abe BarberCambridge
Nettie F. Goldberg (Cohen)Randolph

3 William Thomas LonerganRandolph
Helen Louise FarrellRoxbury

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14	Avery MacPherson	Randolph
	Emma Mae Penney	Randolph
27	Clinton Lloyd Allen	Waltham
	Anna Ella Wells	Waltham
28	Kenneth William Robbins	Randolph
	Cecile Alvina Caya	Hyde Park
31	Harold Oscar Holbrook	Randolph
	Marion Abbie Wilbur	Holbrook
Aug. 3	Walter G. Gladback	Providence, R. I.
	Margot I. G. Patz	Randolph
4	Ernest Studer	Roxbury
	Victoria Loretta Carmichael	Randolph
9	Sumner David Mitchell	Eastport, Maine
	Blanche Emily Smith	Eastport, Maine
10	Elwin L. Hennessey	Brunswick, Maine
	Audrey L. Butler	New York City
11	Ormie V. Erickson	Dorchester
	Evelyn V. Calkins	Boston
17	James M. Corey	Randolph
	Mildred Carlton Reed (Haskins)	Dighton
21	Charles Albert White	Randolph
	Edna E. Canonito (Erickson)	Randolph
26	William Monroe Corey	Randolph
	Lillian Aderene Montgomery	North Abington
31	John Joseph Sullivan	Randolph
	Mary Hazel Walsh	Randolph
Sept. 11	William Michael Hughes	Cambridge
	Rose Josephine O'Keefe	Randolph
14	Melvin Chester Eagles	Canton
	Ruth Randall Powers	Randolph

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15	John Camelio	Randolph
	Ann R. Rowan	Brockton
18	Douglas Silver Risser	North Cambridge
	Helen Asbell Fisher	Randolph
22	William John Burns	East Braintree
	Clara Cynthia Diauto	Randolph
Oct. 1	Frank M. O'Neill	Brockton
	Margaret E. Brewster	Randolph
3	Bertram Alfred Kidder	Plymouth
	Susan Veronica Mackedon	Randolph
5	Edward Russell Murphy	Boston
	Vesta Anna Strout	Dorchester
5	Thomas Francis O'Keefe	Randolph
	Anna C. O'Donnell	Bridgewater
12	David James Good	Randolph
	Barbara Theresa Purcell	Randolph
22	Dennis William Buckley	Stoughton
	Mary Agnes Leahy	Randolph
26	Robert C. Stephens	Randolph
	Margaret E. Peardon (Young)	Wollaston
26	Anton Bolin	Rutland, Vermont
	Pearl Lewis	Randolph
26	Elwin Gay	Randolph
	Anna Evelyn Allen	Randolph
30	Louis Fratus	Quincy
	Mildred Irene Simmons	Randolph
Nov. 27	Francis X. McDonald	West Quincy
	Elizabeth C. Griffin	Randolph
28	John P. Beshong	Brockton
	Sarah C. Patten	Randolph

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DEATHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1929

Date of Death	Name	Age		Cause of Death	Birthplace
		Y.	M.		
Jan.	1 Mary E. Hagney	75	3	21 Valvular Heart Disease	Randolph, Mass.
	4 Patrick J. Whalen	75	—	— Exposure	Randolph, Mass.
	9 Eugene E. Ahlfont	46	4	— Lobar Pneumonia	Sweden
	10 Luigi Crovo	91	—	— Senile Pneumonia	Genoa, Italy
	12 Hannah McMahon	82	—	— Apoplexy	Ireland
	12 Jeremiah McCarthy	83	—	— Chronic Myocarditis	Ireland
	13 Humphrey D. Hammond	78	10	13 Cerebral Hemorrhage	Westport, Mass.
	14 Raffeele Serriello	75	7	3 Carcinoma of Intestine	Italy
	16 Clarence E. Beal	66	—	— Influenza	Randolph, Mass.
	18 Charles H. Thorne	50	10	17 Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Brooklyn, N. Y.
Feb.	19 John P. Kane	70	10	23 Cerebral Hemorrhage	Medway, Mass.
	22 Edward M. Bracken	50	10	20 Intestinal Hemorrhage	Randolph, Mass.
	23 Margaret A. Nugent	46	9	— Chronic Myocarditis	Ireland
	24 Annie Kourafas	3	—	— Broncho Pneumonia	Randolph, Mass.
	26 Clarence U. Gove	69	1	19 Lobar Pneumonia	Hollis, Maine
	29 Julius Fischer	79	6	5 Lobar Pneumonia	Germany
	30 Emma Corinne Petersen	1	8	21 Lobar Pneumonia	Granby, Conn.
	4 Franklin J. Taylor	83	2	17 Broncho Pneumonia	Boston, Mass.
	7 F. Joseph Camelio	12	4	17 Lobar Pneumonia	Randolph, Mass.
	8 Michael J. O'Connell	83	—	26 Oedema of Brain	Boston, Mass.
Mar.	11 Grace Sullivan	—	—	1 Broncho Pneumonia	Boston, Mass.
	11 Charles E. Bump	72	7	3 Mitral Stenosis	Randolph, Mass.
	13 Esther Sullivan	33	—	— Double Lobar Pneumonia	Needham, Mass.
	15 James Power	76	7	10 Bronchial Asthma	Randolph, Mass.
	20 Mary Lina Roberts	69	2	17 Chronic Gastritis	Milton, Mass.
	23 Alice B. Finn	57	—	— Myocarditis	Randolph, Mass.
	1 Rev. Francis P. Hanniwan	74	11	— Chronic Myocarditis	Lynn, Mass.
	3 Mary F. Christie	65	—	22 Diabetes Mellitus	Boston, Mass.

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Date of Death	Name	Y.	M.	D.	Age	Cause of Death	Birthplace
6	Josephine Goeres	88	7	7	—	Arterio Sclerosis	Ireland
8	Mary A. Hanley	59	—	22	—	Cerebral Hemorrhage	St. John, N. B.
11	John Ingram McLeod	50	—	11	—	Chronic Valvular Disease	Halifax, N. S.
11	Mary A. Proctor	7	2	—	—	Septicemia	Boston, Mass.
11	William T. Huey	53	6	11	—	Lobar Pneumonia	Damariscotta, Maine
13	Enoch Olsen	84	2	4	—	Acute Melancholia	Norway
19	William F. O'Keefe	76	72	21	—	Erysipelas	Boston, Mass.
19	Ellen Jane Churchill	—	—	2	—	Intracranial Hemorrhage	Boston, Mass.
3	Henry F. Rodenhizer	61	6	27	—	Arterio Sclerosis	Portland, Maine
8	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
9	Joseph S. Allen	52	—	—	—	Lobar Pneumonia	Roxbury, Mass.
12	Arthur Monroe Dyer	72	4	20	—	Lobar Pneumonia	Randolph, Mass.
18	Susan Flavell	70	3	21	—	Arterio Sclerosis	Boston, Mass.
21	Elizabeth Webber	81	11	21	—	Acute Bronchitis	England
24	Peter E. Moore	83	10	27	—	Acute Bronchitis	Ireland
May	Esther J. McWilliams	23	3	11	—	Tuberculosis of Kidney	Scotland
1	Eva Frost	78	5	7	—	Carcinoma	Natick, Mass.
2	Hannah E. Eddy	93	1	2	—	Parotitis	North Easton, Mass.
9	Margaret A. McMahon	70	3	22	—	Intestinal Carcinoma	Lanesville, Mass.
17	Paul H. Teed	—	7	—	—	General Septicemia	Randolph, Mass.
18	James M. Jones	84	2	7	—	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph, Mass.
25	Dorothy Doyle	—	1	23	—	Infantile Atrophy	Randolph, Mass.
26	P. Henry Crimmins	61	3	24	—	Heart Disease	Brockton, Mass.
June	Dennis E. Kelliher	74	5	27	—	Periculous Anemia	Randolph, Mass.
7	Peter Quinn	81	10	28	—	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph, Mass.
7	John Henry Walsh	32	5	3	—	Lobar Pneumonia	Randolph, Mass.
8	Alice M. Holden	65	8	—	—	Chronic Myocarditis	Sheepstown, Ireland
12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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Date of Death	Name	Age		Cause of Death	Birthplace
		Y.	M.		
23	Margaret T. Hafferty	56	—	Oedema of Brain	Boston, Mass.
25	Arthur J. Evans	30	5	Acute Lobar Pneumonia	Boston, Mass.
July	J. Joseph Mahoney	38	8	Acute Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Randolph, Mass.
	Emma P. Lockyear	83	8	Carcinoma	England
	Margaret Ann Hearn	69	—	Acute Melancholia	St. John, N. B.
	Thomas J. Uniac	78	—	Chronic Myocarditis	Ireland
	Emily S. Hunt	89	11	Chronic Bronchitis	Randolph, Mass.
	Eli Farrar	60	—	Automobile Accident	England
	Walter Munroe Howard	67	11	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph, Mass.
Aug.	George D. McAllister	78	3	Carcinoma	Johnstown, N. Y.
	John J. Corcoran	68	2	Broncho Pneumonia	Ireland
	Hannah Butler Belcher	77	1	Carcinoma	Sandwich, Mass.
	Emma Leonard	75	—	Myocarditis	Wolverhampton, England
	Catherine M. Boyle	73	—	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph, Mass.
	Annie F. Field	64	1	Coronary Thrombosis	Boston, Mass.
	James Corey	68	4	Automobile Accident	Colchester, Conn.
Sept.	Rhoda A. Slader	78	6	Cerebral Embolism	Randolph, Mass.
	Bridget Riley	48	—	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Ireland
	Sarah M. Coburn	75	8	Carcinoma	Randolph, Mass.
	Ethel May Rhodes	—	3	Accidental Asphyxiation	Brockton, Mass.
	Arthur D. McCarthy	24	3	Lymph-Sarcoma	Randolph, Mass.
Oct.	Walter R. Cartwright	59	4	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph, Mass.
	Clarence Wm. Pease	2	3	Skull Fracture	Randolph, Mass.
	Loretta E. Curley	42	—	Hydrosalpinx	Boston, Mass.
Nov.	Hannah Moore	76	—	Embolus	Ireland
	John J. Boucher	71	—	Carcinoma	Derby, England

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Date of Death	Name	Age		Cause of Death	Birthplace
		Y.	M.		
6	Olive A. Cody	79	—	Broncho Pneumonia	Randolph, Mass.
8	Mildred M. Lightfoot	26	7	Lobar Pneumonia	Randolph, Mass.
13		—	—		
16	Richard Condon	66	1	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Ireland
19	Augustus Forrest	83	1	Chronic Myocarditis	Boston, Mass.
22	Mary Elizabeth Reilly	80	1	Oedema	Randolph, Mass.
24	Helmer G. Skonberg	63	10	Automobile Accident	Sweden
26	Joseph B. McMahon	53	8	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph, Mass.
29	John J. Sullivan	64	2	Chronic Myocarditis	Randolph, Mass.
Dec.	Annie L. Pellissier	72	4	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Charlestown, Mass.
	Ferdinand T. Harding	63	—	Arterio Sclerosis	Prospect, Maine
	Patrick M. Ryan	65	11	Chronic Myocarditis	Ireland
	Patrick H. Hoyer	69	3	Prostatic Carcinoma	Randolph, Mass.
	Catherine Mayur	42	—	Carcinoma	Roumania
	Frank Clark Granger	80	8	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph, Vermont
	David Pope	89	9	Chronic Myocarditis	Ireland
	Mabel F. Knights	9	11	General Peritonitis	Randolph
	Helen Teresa Crovo	12	7	Septic Sore Throat	Randolph, Mass.
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INTERMENTS IN RANDOLPH IN 1929

of persons dying elsewhere

Date	Name	Y.	M.	D.	Age	Place of Death
Jan. 9	Alonzo H. Leonard	85	4	18		Boston
14	Mary J. Hanley	70	—	—		Brockton
16	Raymond J. Purcell	26	4	23		Quincy
24	William F. Toomey	60	—	—		South Boston
28	James E. Harkins	70	—	—		Quincy
28	William Kelliher	83	—	—		Boston
29	Catherine Bugby	44	—	—		Holbrook
29	Julius Fisher	79	6	—		Brockton
30	Arthur L. Levangie	43	5	14		Braintree
30	Helen Magnussen	—	3	—		Tewksbury
31	Frank Dolan	34	—	—		Dorchester
4	Henry A. Pratt	71	4	13		East Weymouth
20	Mrs. Herbert Briggs	79	9	11		Prince Edward Island
21	John L. Gallivan	49	—	—		Springfield
26	Alfred T. Morgan	25	2	7		Brockton
28	Abbie E. Woodman	90	5	10		Somerset
28	Eugene O. McCarthy	58	—	—		Avon
2	Margaret Easton	67	—	—		Boston
3	Frances E. Smith	78	—	—		Brighton
7	Jennie M. Morse	69	11	7		Avon
12	Sarah Hughes	70	—	—		South Braintree
18	Peter Starr	82	11	6		Holbrook
19	Ellen F. Sullivan	68	—	—		Roxbury
25	Mary E. Burns	—	2	9		Brockton
30	Jane Mary Moran	66	—	—		Melrose
3	Mary Gertrude Duggan	26	8	17		Holbrook
4	Emma R. Towns	86	8	2		Groveland
6	Wm. Dexter Clark, M. D.	46	—	13		Jamaica Plain

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INTERMENTS IN RANDOLPH IN 1929

of persons dying elsewhere

Date	Name	Age		Place of Death
		Y.	M.	
May	Lillian M. Thompson	70	—	Malden
	Martin Dillon	39	—	Philadelphia, Pa.
	Peter C. Jensead	73	2	East Bridgewater
	Eunice E. Small	88	5	South Braintree
	Redmond P. Barrett	72	7	Stoughton, Mass.
June	Elizabeth Eggleston	87	—	New York
	Joseph M. Cram	62	8	Hull
	Frederick B. Wood	7	8	Plymouth
	Alice G. Cook	68	3	Boston
	Marjorie Louise James	2	6	Braintree
July	Frank S. Oliver	86	—	Westport Point, R. I.
	Andrew Nightingale	80	—	Tewksbury
	Metta Macaulay	53	7	Holbrook
	Mary Keough	60	—	Holbrook
	Charles F. Wilde	74	—	Quincy
Aug.	Annie Mary Moran	38	2	Weymouth
	Joseph LaFleur	78	2	Brockton
	Ruth J. Kane	30	—	Quincy
	Hannah Crowley	79	—	Holbrook
	Martha A. Hunt	77	—	Avon
Sept.	Thomas J. Dee	73	1	Brockton
	Elizabeth Hanson	53	1	Holbrook
	Leo Francis Sullivan	40	—	New York
	John E. Fealy	72	—	Hyde Park
	Mary A. Holbrook	82	—	Warren, R. I.
Oct.	David Bennett	62	7	East Braintree
	Rufus Irving Jones	84	—	Stoughton
	Mabel A. Rice	63	1	Milton

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INTERMENTS IN RANDOLPH IN 1929

of persons dying elsewhere

Date	Name	Age		Place of Death
		Y.	M. D.	
8	Mildred M. Lightfoot	26	7	Brockton
12	Bridget McGinty	73	10	Quincy
18	Margaret Morrissey	70	11	Brockton
24	Herbert W. White	71	—	Roxbury
27	Joseph O. Allen	43	9	Boston
28	Wm. H. Donovan	87	—	Brockton
1	Wm. G. Dore	62	4	Brockton
4	Stillborn	—	—	South Braintree
13	Chas. H. Richardson	48	11	Braintree
25	Elizabeth T. Mahoney	58	5	Holbrook
29	Mabel F. Knights	9	11	Brockton
30	Rose Mary Sullivan	61	1	New Haven, Conn.

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CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES

Intestinal Hemorrhage, Intracranial Hemorrhage, Exposure, Accidental Asphyxiation, Influenza, Asthma, Lymph-Sarcoma, Skull Fracture, Hydrosalpinx, Septic Sore Throat, Mitral Stenosis, Chronic Gastritis, Diabetes, Parotitis, Infantile Atrophy, Pernicious Anaemia, Embolus, Coronary Thrombosis, Cerebral Embolism, Erysipelas, General Peritonitis.

One each	21
Heart Disease	5
Myocarditis	11
Carcinoma	10
Oedema	3
Acute Melancholia	2
Stillborn	2
Prematurity	5
Cerebral Hemorrhage	6
Pneumonia	18
Tuberculosis	4
Acute Bronchitis	3
Arterio Sclerosis	10
Septicemia	2
Auto Accident	2
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TABLE OF VITAL STATISTICS, YEAR 1929

	Intentions of Marriage	Marriages	Births	Deaths
January	4	3	12	18
February	2	4	5	9
March	3	1	10	11
April	1	4	9	8
May	7	4	14	7
June	8	11	6	7
July	6	6	10	9
August	7	9	10	5
September	9	5	7	8
October	3	10	10	3
November	5	2	9	10
December	3	0	16	9
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	58	59	118	104

Whole number of births recorded:

Males 64

Females 54

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Parents both native born 84

Parents 1 native born, 1 foreign born 19

Parents both foreign born 15

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Whole number of marriage intentions 58

Whole number of marriages 59

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STATEMENT OF LICENSES ISSUED AND FEES RETAINED BY THE TOWN CLERK

Dog Licenses to December 31, 1929:

463 males @ \$2.00 each	\$ 926.00
144 females @ \$5.00 each	720.00
38 females (spayed) @ \$2.00 each	76.00
1 Breeder's License @ \$25.00 each	25.00
7 Transfers @ \$.20 each	1.40

\$1,748.40

Cash to County Treasurer	\$1,616.00
Cash on hand	2.00
Fees retained	130.40

\$1,748.40

Hunting, Fishing and Trapping Licenses:

144 Resident Citizens' Sporting Licenses @ \$2.25 each	\$ 324.00
11 Resident Trapping Licenses @ \$2.25 each	24.75
18 Minors' Trapping Licenses @ .75 each	13.50
4 Duplicate Licenses @ .50 each	2.00

\$364.25

Cash paid Massachusetts Division of Fisheries and Game	\$321.00
Fees Retained	43.25

\$364.25

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

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Report of Town Treasurer

John B. McNeill, Town Treasurer, in account with the
Town of Randolph, year 1929:

Dr.

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1929	\$24,926.16	
Received during year (see Town Accountant's report)	402,762.70	
	<u> </u>	\$427,688.86

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Paid sundry persons as per Warrants	\$419,317.31	
Balance		
Special Fund	\$3,895.56	
On Deposit	4,475.99	
	<u> </u>	8,371.55
	<u> </u>	\$427,688.86

Randolph, January 23, 1930.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Town Treasurer and have reconciled his bank balances and verified his cash and find same correct as per balance at end of the year 1929.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors.

Norfolk, ss. January 23, 1930.

Subscribed and sworn to before me:

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

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John B. McNeill, Town Treasurer, in account with the
Town of Randolph:

SPECIAL FUND

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1929	\$3,716.95
Interest on Deposit, Randolph Trust Co.	178.61
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Dec. 31, 1929 (Balance on deposit Randolph Trust Co.)	\$3,895.56

SOLDIERS' MONUMENT FUND

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1929	\$249.71
Interest on Deposit	12.29
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Dec. 31, 1929 (Balance on deposit Randolph Trust Co.)	\$262.00

SPECIAL SCHOOL PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT FUND

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1929	\$50.00
Interest	1.81
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Dec. 31, 1929 (Balance on deposit Randolph Trust Co.)	\$51.81

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 20, 1930.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph have this day examined the Coddington Fund, amounting to \$1,900, on deposit in the Randolph Savings Bank also the Special Fund, amounting to \$3,895.56 on deposit in the Savings Department of the Randolph Trust Co., also the Soldiers' Monument Fund amounting to Two Hundred Sixty-two dollars on deposit in the Randolph Savings Bank, also Special School Equipment Fund amounting to \$51.81 on deposit in the Randolph Trust Co., and find

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same to correspond with the accounts of the Town Treasurer.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
Auditors.

Norfolk, ss.

Jan. 23, 1930.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

Report of the Town Accountant

Last year the Finance Committee's Report contained an article relative to your Town Accountant which was misleading and which your Finance Committee knew at the time was misleading and was inserted with a certain purpose. The article I refer to was in reference to OVERDRAFTS, and for the benefit of those citizens who are not familiar with the difference between overdrafts and unpaid bills I am making this explanation.

Overdrafts means "BILLS PAID IN EXCESS OF THE APPROPRIATION" and are created in three or four different ways, among which are bills paid on orders of Court Judgments and over which your Town Accountant has no control, debits from the Commonwealth and which are deducted by the Commonwealth from the credits due the Town or City and over which the Town Accountant has no control, and bills approved in excess of appropriations over which he does have control. An unpaid bill is a bill created in excess of appropriation by a department head and over which the Town Accountant has no control. The first year your present Town Accountant was in office he created an overdraft of one cent for which he was to blame; the second year none and the third year (1929) \$95.29 on the Poor Department's appropriation for which he was to blame. Had there not been an overdraft in this department, the unfortunates of this town would have suffered.

I am pleased to report a substantial reduction in the Town's debt since installation of the present system of bookkeeping. Since January 1st, 1927, the outstanding notes (including Anticipation of Revenue notes) has been

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reduced from \$171,600 to \$148,300 unpaid bills from \$20,000 to approximately \$2,000 annually and surplus revenue increased from \$12,500 to \$24,000. Several small debits reduces the above items by about \$6,000, which leaves a net better financial standing of about \$48,000.

This condition is due to several reasons, among which is the early commitment of Tax Levy's, the different department heads working in conjunction with your Town Accountant to live within their appropriations and all departments working together for the benefit of the town.

A difference of \$56.88 will be noted between the Tax Collector's report of 1927 and your Accountant's report, This was caused by the Tax Collector being credited with a Tax Sale and which was found to be an illegal sale and was not brought to the attention of your Accountant until after his books were closed. This amount will be charged against the Collector during the coming year and so raise his debit this additional amount.

I herewith respectfully submit my report for the year 1929.

ELMER L. BURCHELL,
Town Accountant.

RECEIPTS

General Revenue

TAXES

Current Year:

Poll	\$2,126.00	
Personal	19,515.10	
Real Estate	85,934.56	
	<hr/>	\$107,575.66

Previous Years:

Poll	\$1,656.00
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Personal	4,194.00	
Real Estate	69,513.18	
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Current Year:		
Excise Tax	8,728.70	
	<hr/>	8,728.70
Special Assessments:		
Moth Tax (previous years)	\$52.00	
Current Year	74.50	
	<hr/>	126.50

LICENSES AND PERMITS

Liquor	\$1.30	
Junk	75.00	
Pedlars	57.00	
Pool and Billiards	10.00	
Milk	34.00	
Gasoline	8.50	
All other	87.50	
Permits (all other)	18.00	
	<hr/>	291.30

FINES

Court	\$525.20	
	<hr/>	525.20

GRANTS AND GIFTS

From County:		
Dog License	\$1,160.67	
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COMMERCIAL REVENUE: DEPARTMENTAL

Town Clerk	\$2.25	
Town Hall	3.00	
	<hr/>	5.25
Fire Dept. (all other)	6.00	
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Inspection (Sealer of Weights and Measures)	80.81	
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Health (Tuberculosis)	147.86	
Killing Dogs	11.00	
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Highways:		
General (Sale of old material)	340.00	
Construction (State)	9,077.25	
Construction (County)	7,221.76	
	<hr/>	16,639.01
Infirmary:		
Sale of Produce	\$57.97	
Board (Inside)	265.00	
Board (Outside)	53.00	
	<hr/>	375.97
Charities:		
Reimbursement (Individuals)	\$52.75	
Cities and Towns	1,393.82	
State	830.42	
	<hr/>	2,276.99
Soldiers' Benefits:		
State Aid	\$726.00	
Military Aid	155.00	
Soldiers' Burials	96.00	
Soldiers' Relief	248.99	
	<hr/>	1,225.99
Schools:		
Tuition (State Wards)	\$1,598.40	
Other Tuition	2,654.73	
Sale of Books and Supplies	10.00	
All Other	94.20	
	<hr/>	4,357.33
Unclassified:		
Tax Title Redemption	\$38.06	
Tax Collectors' Costs	184.68	
	<hr/>	222.74

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Public Service: (Water Dept.)

Fixture Rates	\$4,496.27	
Rental and Meter Rates	13,526.86	
Others	1,573.71	
Sale of Materials	4.50	
Joint Insurance	18.75	
	<hr/>	19,620.09

Commercial Revenue (Interest)

General	\$457.16	
Special	178.61	
Taxes	3,150.93	
	<hr/>	3,786.70

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Temporary Loans:

Anticipation of Revenue	\$100,000.00	
General Loans (Canton St.		
Construction)	5,000.00	
(Fire Ladder Truck)	6,500.00	
Enterprise Loans (Water)	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$116,500.00

AGENCY, TRUST AND INVESTMENT

Private Trust (Stetson School Fund)

\$2,595.00	
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REFUNDS AND TRANSFERS

Refunds:

School	\$57.15	
Outside Relief	100.00	
Soldiers' Benefits	8.25	
	<hr/>	165.40

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1929

(General)	\$24,926.16	
(Special Fund)	3,716.95	
	<hr/>	28,643.11

\$423,793.30

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PAYMENTS

General Government

EXPENDITURES—APPROPRIATIONS

	Expenditures	Appropriations
Selectmen:		
Salaries		\$650.00
Expense		500.00
Salaries	\$650.00	
Clerk	139.00	
All Other	14.90	
Stationery and Postage	59.50	
Printing and Advertising	42.00	
Carfares	66.50	
Telephone	82.00	
All Other	25.00	
To Revenue	71.45	
	<hr/>	1,150.00
Moderator:		
Salary		\$50.00
Accounting Department:		
Salary	\$750.00	
Expenses	150.00	
	<hr/>	900.00
Auditing Department:		
Salaries		\$180.00
Expenses		17.25
Salaries	\$180.00	
Traveling Expenses	17.25	
	<hr/>	197.25
Treasurer's Department:		
Salary		\$900.00
Expenses		350.00
Salary	\$900.00	
Stationery and Postage	53.13	

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Printing and Advertising	29.80	
Telephone	63.67	
Bond	120.00	
Certifying Notes	46.00	
All Other	37.40	
	<hr/>	1,250.00

Collector's Department:

Salary		\$2,250.00
Balance		2,318.27
Expenses (Balance)		12.23
Expenses (Revenue)		450.00
Tax Title Expenses		1,000.00
Salaries	\$3,673.59	
Stationery and Postage	210.30	
Printing and Advertising	383.23	
Bond	240.00	
Deeds	614.85	
All Other	9.10	
To Revenue	4.50	
Balance to 1930	1,536.87	
	<hr/>	6,672.44

Assessors' Department:

Salaries		\$1,500.00
Expenses		500.00
Transfer of Deeds		300.00
Adding Machine		90.00
Printing Poll Tax List		324.34
Maps and Plans		1,000.00
Maps and Plans (Balance)		819.69
Salaries	\$1,500.00	
Clerks	334.95	
Others	5.00	
Stationery and Postage	103.33	
Printing and Advertising	286.57	
Carfares	141.20	
Telephone	54.25	

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Transfer of Deeds	177.47	
All Other	105.25	
To Revenue	6.12	
Balance to 1930	1,154.69	
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		4,534.03
Finance Committee:		
Expenses		\$300.00
Clerks	\$46.24	
Stationery and Postage	4.42	
Printing	223.00	
To Revenue	26.34	
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		300.00
Drainage Committee:		
Expenses	\$183.75	
To Revenue	116.25	
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		300.00
Law Department:		\$300.00
Town Counsel	\$165.00	
Special Attorney	100.00	
Physician's Testimony	25.00	
To Revenue	10.00	
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		300.00
Court Judgments:		\$285.00
Overdrawn		466.00
Expenses	\$751.00	
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		751.00
Town Clerk:		
Salary		\$1,100.00
Expenses		100.00
Vital Statistics		375.00
Salary	\$1,100.00	
Recording Fees	305.50	
Stationery and Postage	62.74	
Printing and Advertising	4.35	
Telephone	13.46	
All Other	15.70	
To Health Department	69.50	

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To Revenue	3.75	
		\$1,575.00
Election and Registration Dept.:		
Salaries		\$150.00
Expenses		725.00
From Reserve Fund		122.00
Salaries	\$150.00	
Election Officers	390.00	
Clerical Work	110.00	
Janitor	86.00	
Stationery and Postage	22.21	
Printing and Advertising	138.00	
Meals	74.00	
All Other	26.67	
To Revenue	.12	
		\$997.00
Town Office (Expenses) :		\$1,200.00
Janitor	\$411.00	
Other Labor	14.40	
Fuel	358.00	
Lighting	364.16	
Janitor's Supplies	3.75	
All Other	48.68	
To Revenue	.01	
		\$1,200.00
Police Department:		
Salary (Permanent Officer)		\$2,000.00
Salary (Additional Officer)		1,800.00
Expenses		1,200.00
Traffic Signals		1,100.00
Traffic Signals (From Reserve Fund)		100.00
Lockup Expense		200.00
Lockup Repairs		100.00
Salaries	\$2,566.95	
Special Police	128.10	
Janitor	99.96	
Auto Repairs	360.15	

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Motorcycle Repairs	45.75	
Gasoline and Oil	365.86	
Maintenance of Buildings:		
Repairs	129.60	
Garage Rent	50.00	
All Other	10.53	
Other Expenses:		
Printing and Stationery	28.66	
Telephone	164.48	
Signal Lights	796.34	
All Other	63.96	
Balance to 1930	547.66	
To Revenue	1,031.71	
	<hr/>	\$6,500.00
Fire Department:		
Salaries—Engineers'		300.00
Driver of Truck		1,800.00
Permanent Man		1,600.00
Extra Driver		329.00
Firemen		1,500.00
Expenses:		
Fire-alarm System		700.00
New Hose		3,000.00
Painting Pump		500.00
New Equipment		100.00
Ladder Truck		8,000.00
General Expense		1,200.00
Salaries:		
Engineers'	99.99	
Truck Driver	1,800.00	
Permanent Man	1,056.27	
Spare Driver	100.00	
Firemen	1,350.00	
Chief's Salary	66.67	
Other Employees'	50.40	
Expenses:		
Ladder Truck	8,000.00	

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Apparatus Repairs	194.58	
Gasoline and Oil	72.08	
Garage Rent	15.00	
Equipment for Men	17.50	
Fire Alarm System	699.72	
New Hose	2,960.00	
All Other	95.69	
Equipment	77.18	
Fuel	224.28	
Lighting	112.55	
Telephone	74.71	
Printing and Stationery	4.00	
Repairs to Building	369.41	
Furnishings	46.75	
All Other	21.61	
Tfd. to Schools	500.00	
To Accounts Payable	356.00	
To Revenue	664.61	
	<hr/>	19,029.00
Forest Fires:		800.00
Fighting Fires	328.00	
Apparatus Repairs	106.90	
New Hose	59.40	
Gasoline and Oil	47.63	
Building Repairs	94.44	
All Other	4.90	
To Revenue	158.73	
	<hr/>	800.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures:		
Salary		150.00
Expenses		25.00
Salary	150.00	
Auto Hire	6.48	
All Other	18.52	
	<hr/>	175.00
Tree Warden:		
Salary		\$250.00

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Expenses		500.00
Planting New Trees		100.00
Salary	250.00	
Labor	439.80	
Trucks	102.50	
Trees	12.00	
Tools	8.20	
All Other	6.25	
To Revenue	31.25	
	<hr/>	850.00

Moth Extermination:

Expenses		\$750.00
Repairs		80.00
Labor	439.20	
Trucks	130.00	
Repairs to Apparatus	17.06	
Insecticides	81.88	
Tools	5.90	
All Other	4.75	
To Revenue	151.21	
	<hr/>	830.00

Health Department:

Inspector of Animals		\$100.00
Inspector of Milk		50.00
Inspector of Slaughtering		100.00
Dog Officer		100.00
Health Nurse		1,000.00
School Nurse (App. under School Dept.)		1,237.50
School Physician (App. under School Dept.)		100.00
Vital Statistics (App. under Town Clerk)		69.50
Expenses		3,500.00
Salaries:		
Health Officers	60.00	
School Nurse	1,237.50	
Health Nurse	1,000.00	
School Physician	100.00	
Inspector of Animals	100.00	

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Inspector of Milk	50.00	
Inspector of Slaughtering	100.00	
Dog Officer	100.00	
Stationery and Postage	2.89	
Printing and Advertising	52.50	
Nurses	30.00	
Medical Attendance	349.00	
All Other	29.00	
Norfolk County Hospital		
Assessment	1,664.44	
Norfolk County Hospital		
Treatment	488.80	
Brockton Hospital Treatment	25.75	
Mass. Homeopathic Hospital		
Treatment	171.00	
Ambulance	40.00	
Vital Statistics:		
Births	55.25	
Deaths	13.00	
Other Expenses:		
Killing Dogs	12.00	
Burial of Animals	39.00	
Refuse Labor	205.55	
All Other	18.00	
To Accounts Payable	6.00	
To Revenue	307.32	
	<hr/>	6,257.00
Highway Department:		
Salary		\$1,500.00
General Maintenance		7,500.00
Surveyor's Salary	1,500.00	
Telephone	41.43	
All Other	.50	
Labor	2,774.85	
Trucks	76.57	
Highway Material	3,781.76	
Equipment and Repairs	529.02	

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Gasoline and Oil	224.24	
All Other	65.74	
To Revenue	5.89	
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		9,000.00
Canton Street		25,000.00
Balance from 1928		85.78
Contract	18,489.39	
Labor	62.40	
Castings	42.00	
Advertising	23.60	
Highway Material	387.40	
Reduction by State and County	4,511.51	
Balance	1,569.48	
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		25,085.78
Union Street—Balance from 1928		\$7,568.54
Contract	5,190.68	
Bill for Damages	40.00	
Reduction by State and County	2,148.10	
Balance	189.76	
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		7,568.54
Belcher Street		\$300.00
Labor	232.80	
Pipe	41.40	
Catch Basins	20.00	
All Other	5.00	
To Revenue	.80	
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		300.00
Chestnut Street		\$1,000.00
Labor	524.96	
Trucks	77.62	
Highway Material	318.06	
Equipment and Repairs	9.00	
Gasoline and Oil	59.65	
All Others	10.00	
To Revenue	.71	
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		1,000.00

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Depot Street		\$1,000.00
Labor	455.95	
Trucks	122.62	
Grates	15.50	
Road Material	386.05	
Gasoline and Oil	9.88	
All Others	10.00	
	<hr/>	1,000.00
Fairview Avenue		\$1,000.00
Labor	512.50	
Trucks	121.50	
Road Material	315.00	
Gasoline and Oil	38.38	
Tools	2.25	
All Others	10.00	
To Revenue	.37	
	<hr/>	1,000.00
Grove Street		\$500.00
Labor	406.80	
Pipe	90.61	
All Others	1.50	
To Revenue	1.09	
	<hr/>	500.00
Highland Avenue		\$700.00
Labor	446.95	
Trucks	101.25	
Road Material	143.80	
Gasoline and Oil	2.90	
All Others	5.00	
To Revenue	.10	
	<hr/>	700.00
Maitland Avenue		\$800.00
Labor	271.70	
Trucks	36.00	
Road Material	485.10	
All Others	7.20	
	<hr/>	800.00

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Marion Street		\$750.00
Labor	592.10	
Trucks	119.00	
Road Material	38.50	
Revenue	.40	
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		750.00
Mill Street		\$1,800.00
Labor	1,022.30	
Trucks	213.75	
Highway Material	452.90	
Grates	26.50	
Gasoline and Oil	32.97	
All Others	51.43	
To Revenue	.15	
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		1,800.00
Norfolk Road		\$1,500.00
Labor	364.10	
Road Material	975.40	
Gasoline and Oil	79.05	
Tools	27.55	
All Others	15.00	
To Revenue	38.90	
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		1,500.00
Oak Street		\$2,000.00
Labor	846.83	
Trucks	262.75	
Highway Material	724.69	
Gasoline and Oil	63.75	
Equipment Repairs	79.70	
All Others	10.00	
To Revenue	12.28	
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		2,000.00
Old Street		\$1,000.00
Labor	550.38	
Trucks	151.88	
Highway Material	289.29	

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Gasoline and Oil	8.19	
To Revenue	.26	
	<hr/>	1,000.00
Pleasant Street		\$2,500.00
Labor	838.44	
Trucks	339.76	
Road Material	1,239.62	
Gasoline and Oil	60.85	
Truck Repairs	10.00	
All Others	10.00	
To Revenue	1.33	
	<hr/>	2,500.00
Ward Street		\$1,500.00
Labor	624.70	
Trucks	180.00	
Road Material	409.00	
Gasoline and Oil	61.61	
Tools	26.40	
All Others	23.30	
To Revenue	174.99	
	<hr/>	1,500.00
Street Signs		\$150.00
Signs	136.95	
Labor	12.20	
Express	.80	
To Revenue	.05	
	<hr/>	150.00
Snow and Ice Removal		\$3,000.00
Equipment		450.00
Labor	1,018.79	
New Plow	410.00	
Horse Plows	261.92	
Outside Plows and Tractors	847.13	
Plow Repairs	158.80	
Tractor Repairs	554.61	
Gasoline and Oil	142.73	

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All Other	15.60	
To Revenue	40.42	
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		3,450.00
Street Lights		\$7,120.32
Warren Street		33.00
Old Street		33.00
Centre Street		33.00
Highland Avenue		66.00
Hall Street		66.00
Roel and North Main Streets		33.00
Union Street		181.50
Marion Street		33.00
Lighting	7,556.07	
To Revenue	42.75	
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		7,598.82
Russ Street Layout		\$300.00
Laying Out	85.00	
To Revenue	215.00	
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		300.00
Land Damages:		
Pond Street (Balance)		\$1,239.00
Canton Street (to be reimbursed by County)		54.00
Center Street (Balance)		16.00
Claim Settlements:		
Pond Street	550.00	
Center Street	10.00	
Canton Street	54.00	
Balance	695.00	
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		1,309.00
Charities:		
Outside Relief		\$4,000.00
From Reserve Fund		1,242.00
Refunds		100.00
Overdraft		95.29
Cash Payments	\$2,968.85	
Groceries and Provisions	1,372.28	

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Fuel	556.15	
Rent	156.00	
Clothing	23.80	
Moving	20.00	
Medicine	17.50	
Relief by Other Cities	23.00	
Relief by Other Towns	39.00	
Relief by State	260.71	
	<hr/>	5,437.29
Infirmary		\$4,000.00
Transferred From Printing State Audit		263.50
Repairs and Equipment		300.00
Superintendent's Salary	1,009.98	
Other Employees'	365.00	
Groceries and Provisions	1,224.15	
Dry Goods and Clothing	68.60	
Repairs to Buildings	482.17	
Fuel and Light	724.38	
Grain and Feed	198.90	
Telephone	39.10	
Burial of Dependent	85.00	
Ice	45.23	
Repairs to Farm Wagons	31.70	
All Other	232.01	
To Revenue	57.28	
	<hr/>	4,563.50
Soldiers' Benefits:		
State Aid		\$726.00
From Reserve Fund		36.00
Soldiers' Relief		2,250.00
From Reserve Fund		500.00
Military Aid		300.00
Refunds		8.25
Cash Benefits	2,678.00	
Groceries and Provisions	159.57	
Fuel	49.00	
State Aid	750.00	

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All Other	8.40	
To Revenue	175.08	
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		3,820.25
School Department:		
Salaries:		
School Committee		\$ 300.00
Superintendent		1,400.00
Nurse		1,300.00
Physician		100.00
High Teaching		16,750.00
S. H. S. Fd.		
High Teaching		395.00
Grammar Teaching		36,500.00
Books and Supplies		4,500.00
Trade and Continuation		3,500.00
Transportation		3,700.00
Transferred From Fire Dept.		150.00
Care of Rooms		4,500.00
Fuel		3,500.00
Equipment		2,000.00
General Expense		4,300.00
From Fire Dept.		350.00
Refunds		57.15
Prescott Repairs		500.00
School Committee Expense		100.00
Committees' Salaries	\$ 300.00	
Superintendent's Salary	1,435.56	
Committees' Expense	53.75	
Truant Officer	392.00	
Printing and Stationery	202.01	
Telephone	229.53	
Traveling	142.47	
Census	50.00	
Clerks	71.23	
All Other	200.23	
High Teaching	16,257.75	
Elementary Teaching	37,289.24	

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Supervision	268.80	
Trade and Continuation	3,340.92	
Books—High	1,255.01	
Books—Elementary	798.18	
Supplies—High	827.74	
Supplies—Elementary	996.14	
Equipment—High	670.28	
Equipment—Elementary	1,556.18	
Transportation	4,131.15	
Janitor—High	1,779.17	
Janitors—Elementary	2,736.54	
Fuel—High	837.18	
Fuel—Elementary	1,588.04	
Lights—High	550.03	
Lights—Elementary	184.08	
Nurse's Supplies	24.39	
Athletic Supplies	93.50	
Rent of Building	400.00	
Maintenance of Buildings:		
High—Repairs	716.79	
High—Janitor's Supplies	56.00	
High—All Other	291.82	
Elementary—Repairs	691.00	
Elementary—Janitor's Supplies	38.55	
Elementary—All Other	464.64	
Furniture—High	48.00	
Furniture—Elementary	1.50	
Accounts Payable	731.85	
To Revenue	863.40	
School Nurse (Expended under		
Board of Health)	1,237.50	
School Physician (Expended under		
Board of Health)	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$83,902.15
Turner Library Repairs		\$450.00
Repairs	449.60	
To Revenue	.40	
	<hr/>	450.00

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Unclassified:		
Insurance		\$3,800.00
Payments	3,765.45	
To Revenue	34.55	
	<hr/>	3,800.00
Town Reports:		
Printing and Distributing		\$802.90
Printing	\$774.90	
Distributing	28.00	
	<hr/>	802.90
Printing State Audit		\$300.00
Printing	36.50	
Transferred to Infirmary (263.50)		300.00
Office Furniture		\$3,343.60
Payments	3,320.31	
To Revenue	23.29	
	<hr/>	3,343.60
Memorial Day		\$300.00
Payments	300.00	
	<hr/>	300.00
Armistice Day		\$200.00
Expenses	200.00	
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Renovating G. A. R. Quarters		\$400.00
Repairs	400.00	
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Care of Clock, Congregational Church		\$20.00
Payments	20.00	
	<hr/>	20.00
Unpaid Bills 1928		\$2,500.34
Special Expenses		318.00
Under Water Department		53.22
Payments	2,848.86	
To Revenue	22.70	
	<hr/>	2,871.56
Painting Stetson Hall Exterior		\$750.00
Payments	601.68	

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To Accounts Payable	5.00	
To Revenue	143.32	
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Fence, Main and Depot Sts.		\$200.00
Construction	168.80	
Painting	30.00	
To Revenue	1.20	
	<hr/>	200.00
Stetson Hall Repairs:		
(Town Offices)		\$658.71
Balance from 1928		670.00
Transferred from Stetson School Fund		2,200.00
Contract Payments	3,528.71	
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Water Department:		
Commissioners' Salaries		\$ 375.00
Superintendent's Salary		2,000.00
Maintenance		4,000.00
Administration:		
Commissioners' Salaries	375.00	
Superintendent's Salary	2,000.00	
Clerks	35.80	
Labor	10.20	
Stationery and Postage	144.24	
Printing and Advertising	22.00	
Telephone	86.18	
Traveling	28.00	
Reading Meters	118.80	
All Others	55.16	
General:		
Labor	1,368.88	
Truck Repairs	76.52	
Pipe and Fittings	137.50	
Meters and Fittings	1,718.83	
Gasoline and Oil	96.54	
Freight	11.84	
Tools	24.07	

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Hydrant Base	9.50	
To Revenue	6.68	
All Others	49.26	
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		\$6,375.00
Service Construction		\$2,000.00
Labor	\$661.80	
Pipe and Fittings	908.62	
Gasoline and Oil	65.89	
Tools	33.36	
All Other	148.38	
To Revenue	181.95	
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		\$2,000.00
Joint Account		\$3,500.00
Labor	\$691.36	
Oil	95.52	
Coal	1,258.07	
Repairs on Buildings	118.57	
Chlorine—Gas	55.82	
Insurance	552.77	
Steam Fitting	83.10	
Plumbing	101.92	
Valves	37.07	
Repairing Pump	30.35	
Tubing	66.58	
Blacksmith Supplies	74.85	
Telephone	60.65	
Freight	18.49	
Hytemtite	41.58	
Cement	31.35	
Reboring Steam Chest	63.63	
Charts	16.84	
Lighting	10.36	
Manhole Ring	13.00	
All Others	77.22	
To Revenue	.90	
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		\$3,500.00
New Gate at Station		\$394.00

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Labor	\$76.80	
Check Valves	316.49	
To Revenue	.71	
	<hr/>	\$394.00
Old Street Hydrant		\$150.00
Labor	\$19.20	
Pipe	75.84	
Gate Valve	4.85	
To Revenue	50.11	
	<hr/>	\$150.00
Gasoline Engine		\$1,500.00
To Revenue	\$1,500.00	
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North Main St. Extension		\$1,500.00
Labor	\$616.20	
Gate Valves	120.15	
Pipe	644.08	
Tools	5.50	
Freight	84.41	
All Others	29.66	
	<hr/>	\$1,500.00
Old Street Extension		\$750.00
Labor	\$318.00	
Pipe	352.30	
Freight	48.19	
All Others	26.10	
To Revenue	5.41	
	<hr/>	\$750.00
Stacy St. Extension		\$5,000.00
Labor	\$2,026.60	
Gate Valves	233.94	
Pipe	1,137.39	
Packing	69.52	
Hydrants	211.20	
Tools	68.31	
Freight	150.90	
Truck Repairs	16.11	

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Gasoline and Oil	78.14	
All Others	66.21	
Balance to 1930	941.68	
	<hr/>	\$5,000.00
Vesey Road Extension		\$750.00
Labor	\$307.90	
Pipe	188.62	
Gate Valves	35.20	
Packing	9.72	
Tools	24.28	
Freight	27.22	
Gasoline and Oil	27.54	
Hytemtite	10.00	
Use of Compressor	12.00	
All Others	28.20	
To Revenue	79.32	
	<hr/>	\$750.00
Interest		\$9,000.00
Anticipation of Revenue Notes	\$5,216.67	
School Loans	2,355.00	
Highway Loans	664.00	
Water Loans	140.76	
Refunding Loans	382.50	
To Revenue	241.07	
	<hr/>	\$9,000.00
Municipal Indebtedness		\$155,200.00
Anticipation of Revenue Notes	\$140,000.00	
Maturing Debt:		
School Loans	\$6,000.00	
Water Loans	3,200.00	
Highway Loans	5,000.00	
Refunding Loans	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$155,200.00
Agency:		
State Tax	\$7,310.00	
State Highway Tax	1,855.00	
Snow Removal Tax	236.90	

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County Tax	7,219.99	
Veterans' Exemption Tax	22.38	
	<hr/>	\$16,644.27
Refunds		\$173.14
Taxes (General)	\$3.20	
Excise Tax	155.65	
Water Tax	11.00	
Bank Tax	3.29	
	<hr/>	\$173.14
Balance—Cash Dec. 31, 1929		\$8,371.55
General	\$4,475.99	
Special Fund	3,895.56	
	<hr/>	\$8,371.55
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		\$423,793.30

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MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Temporary Loans

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1929		\$100,000.00
Notes issued during year:		
Anticipation of Revenue		100,000.00
Maturities paid during the year:		
Anticipation of Revenue	140,000.00	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1929	60,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$200,000.00

INDEBTEDNESS INSIDE STATUTORY LIMIT

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1929		\$43,350.00
Contracted during year		11,500.00
Maturities paid during year:		
Refunding Loan	\$1,000.00	
High School Loan	1,500.00	
High School Equipment Loan	1,000.00	
Highway—Union Street	2,000.00	
“ —1926	1,000.00	
“ —1920	1,000.00	
“ —1924	1,000.00	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1929	46,350.00	
	<hr/>	\$54,850.00

INDEBTEDNESS OUTSIDE STATUTORY LIMIT

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1929		\$43,650.00
Contracted during year		5,000.00
Maturities paid during year:		
Water Loan—1924	\$1,200.00	
“ “ —Vesey Street	500.00	
“ “ —Abbey Street	500.00	
High School Loan	3,500.00	
Water Loan—1926	1,000.00	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1929	41,950.00	
	<hr/>	\$48,650.00

BORROWING CAPACITY

(Inside Statutory Limit of Indebtedness)

Valuation April 1, 1927		\$5,237,250.00
Less Abatements, 1927	\$168,591.00	
Valuation 1928		5,583,200.00
Less Abatements, 1928	136,147.00	
Valuation 1929		6,053,105.00
Less Abatements, 1929	53,500.00	
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	\$358,238.00	\$16,873,555.00
Net Valuation for three years		\$16,515,317.00
3% of same, total Bond capacity		\$165,153.00
Less Indebtedness (Inside Statutory Limit) Outstanding Dec. 31, 1929	46,350.00	
Net Borrowing Capacity (Inside Debt Limit) Dec. 31, 1929	118,803.00	
	<hr/>	\$165,153.00

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TOWN OF RANDOLPH BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1929

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Cash General	\$4,475.99	Taxes:	\$119.10
Special	3,895.56	1923	332.13
Taxes:		1924	42.88
1926	980.80	1925	60,000.00
1927	459.73	Revenue Loans	4,691.46
1928	17,774.29	Departmental Revenue	2,556.76
1929	68,332.40	Water Revenue	
Excise Tax	5,273.63	Overlays:	
Accounts Receivable, Departmental:		1923	634.84
Town Officers	414.90	1929	296.15
State and Military Aid	750.00	Overlay Surplus	699.57
Health Department	277.29	Excise Tax Revenue	5,273.63
Poor Department	1,381.60	Tax Title Revenue	4,313.46
School Department	1,867.67	Welcome Home Fund	3,895.56
Accounts Receivable, Commercial Revenue:		Excess and Deficiency	24,198.97
Land Damages	810.75	Tax Collector's Salary	1,536.62
Water Rates:		Tax Collector's Expense	.25
1928	373.50	Assessors, Maps and Plans	1,154.69
1929	2,183.26	Law Department, Rosetti Case	400.00
Overlays:		Traffic Signals	547.66
1924	264.62	Highways:	
1925	37.52	Canton Street	1,569.48
1926	115.60	Union Street	189.76
1927	844.06	Land Damage:	
1928	455.33	Pond Street	689.00
Tax Titles	4,313.46	Center Street	6.00
Court Judgments	466.00	West and Warren Streets	254.75

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Inspector of Animals	50.00	Honor Roll	500.00
Inspector of Slaughtering	50.00	Water Department:	
Outside Relief	95.29	Stacy Street	941.68
		Accounts Payable	1,098.85
Total	<u>\$115,943.25</u>		<u>\$115,943.25</u>
		High School Equipment Loan	2,000.00
		Abbey Street Water Loan	500.00
		Vesey Street Water Loan	500.00
		Stacy Street Water Loan	5,000.00
		High School Loan	51,000.00
		Refunding Loan	8,000.00
		Highway Loan—Union Street	8,000.00
		Highway Loan—1926	800.00
		Highway Loan—1920	1,000.00
		Highway Loan—Canton Street	5,000.00
Net Funded Debt	\$88,300.00	Fire Department, Ladder Truck	6,500.00
Total	<u>\$88,300.00</u>		<u>\$88,300.00</u>
Trust Funds:			
Cash and Securities			
		Trust Funds:	
		Coddington School Fund	\$1,900.00
		Stetson School Fund	13,363.48
		Turner Reference Fund	1,197.36
		Library Funds	41,795.70
		Soldiers' Monument Fund	262.00
		Playground Fund	51.81
Total	<u>\$58,570.35</u>		<u>\$58,570.35</u>

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BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

Date of Maturity	Water Loan, 1928 Vesey Street	Highway Loan, 1921	Water Loan, 1928 Abbey Street	Highway Loan, 1926	High School Equip- ment, 1926	Highway Loan, 1928 Union Street	Water Loan, 1929 Stacy Street	Fire Equipment, 1929 Ladder Truck	Highway Loan, 1929 Canton Street	Refunding Loan, 1907	School Loan, 1925
1930	\$500	\$1,000	\$500	\$800	\$1,000	\$2,000	\$1,000	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$5,000
1931					1,000	2,000	1,000	1,500	1,000	1,000	5,000
1932						2,000	1,000	1,500	1,000	1,000	5,000
1933						2,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	5,000
1934							1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	5,000
1935										1,000	5,000
1936										1,000	5,000
1937										1,000	4,000
1938											4,000
1939											4,000
1940											4,000
	\$500	\$1,000	\$500	\$800	\$2,000	\$8,000	\$5,000	\$6,500	\$5,000	\$8,000	\$51,000
											37,300
											\$88,300

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND PAYMENTS FOR 1929

ACCOUNT	Appropriations	From Reserve Fund	Refund	Raised and to be Assessed by	Overdraft	Transferred	Payments	Reduction by State and County	Overdraft	Transferred	Balance	To Revenue
Selectman	\$1,150.00						\$1,078.55				\$71.45	
Moderator	50.00						50.00					
Accountant	900.00						895.73				4.27	
Treasurer	1,250.00						1,250.00					
Auditors	197.25						197.25					
Tax Collector	6,672.44						5,131.07				1,536.87	4.50
Assessors	4,534.03						3,373.22				1,154.69	6.12
Finance	300.00						273.66					26.34
Drainage	300.00						183.75					116.25
Law	300.00						290.00					10.00
Court Judgments	285.00						751.00					
Town Clerk	1,575.00			466.00			1,501.75			69.50		3.75
Election and Regis.	875.00	122.00					996.88					.12
Town Office	1,200.00						1,999.99					.01
Police	6,400.00	100.00					4,920.63					1,031.71
Fire Department	19,029.00						17,508.39			500.00	547.66	664.61
Forest Fires	800.00						641.27				\$356.00	158.73
Sealer of Weights and Measures	175.00						175.00					
Tree Warden	850.00						818.75					31.25
Moth Extermination	830.00						678.79					151.21
Health Dept.	4,850.00					1,407.00	5,943.68				\$6.00	307.32
Highway Dept.	9,000.00						8,994.11					5.89

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND PAYMENTS FOR 1929

ACCOUNT	Appropriations	From Reserve Fund	Refund	Raised and to be Assessed by	Overdraft	Transferred	Payments	Reduction by State and County	Overdraft	Transferred	Balance	To Revenue
Canton Street	25,085.78						19,004.79	4,511.51			1,569.48	.80
Union Street	7,568.54						5,230.68	2,148.10			189.76	.71
Belcher Street	300.00						299.20					
Chestnut Street	1,000.00						999.29					
Depot Street	1,000.00						1,000.00					
Fairview Avenue	1,000.00						999.63					
Grove Street	500.00						498.91					.37
Highland Avenue	700.00						699.90					1.09
Maitland Avenue	800.00						800.00					.10
Marion Street	750.00						749.60					.40
Mill Street	1,800.00						1,799.85					.15
Norfolk Road	1,500.00						1,461.10					38.90
Oak Street	2,000.00						1,987.72					12.28
Old Street	1,000.00						999.74					.26
Pleasant Street	2,500.00						2,498.67					1.33
Ward Street	1,500.00						1,325.01					174.99
Snow Removal	3,450.00						3,409.58					40.42
Street Signs	150.00						149.95					.05
Street Lights	7,598.82						7,556.07					42.75
Russ Street Layout	300.00						85.00					215.00
Land Damages:												
Pond Street	1,239.00						550.00				689.00	
Canton Street							54.00					
Center Street	16.00						10.00				6.00	
Outside Relief	4,000.00	1,242.00	100.00		95.29		5,437.29					

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND PAYMENTS FOR 1929

ACCOUNT	Appropriations	From Reserve Fund	Refund	Raised and to be Raised by Assessors	Overdraft	Transferred	Payments	Reduction by State and County	Overdraft	Transferred	Balance	To Revenue
Infirmary	4,300.00					263.50	4,506.22					57.28
State Aid	726.00	36.00					750.00					12.00
Soldiers' Relief	2,250.00	500.00	8.25			200.00	2,895.17					63.08
Military Aid	300.00									200.00		100.00
Schools	82,950.00		57.15			†895.00	80,969.40			1,337.50	‡731.85	863.40
Turner Library	450.00						449.60					.40
Insurance	3,800.00						3,765.45					34.55
Town Reports	802.90						802.90					
Printing State Audit	300.00						36.50			263.50		
Office Furniture	3,343.60						3,320.31					23.29
Memorial Day	300.00						300.00					
Armistice Day	200.00						200.00					
G. A. R. Quarters	400.00						400.00					
Care of Clock	20.00						20.00					
Unpaid Bills 1928	2,871.56						2,848.86					22.70
Painting Stetson Hall Ext.	750.00						601.68				‡5.00	143.32
Fence—Main and Depot Streets	200.00						198.80					1.20
Stetson Hall Repairs	1,328.71					*2,200.00	3,528.71					189.53
Water Dept.	11,875.00						11,685.41					.71
New Gate	394.00						393.29					50.11
Old St. Hydrant	150.00						99.89					

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND PAYMENTS FOR 1929

ACCOUNT	Appropriations	From Reserve Fund	Refund	Raised and to be Assessed	Overdraft	Transferred	Payments	Reduction by State and County	Overdraft	Transferred	Balance	To Revenue
Gasoline Engine	1,500.00						1,500.00				1,500.00	
North Main St. Ext.	1,500.00						744.59					5.41
Oak St. Ext.	750.00						4,058.32				941.68	
Stacy St. Ext.	5,000.00						670.68					79.32
Vesey Road Ext.	750.00						15,200.00					
Maturing Debt	15,200.00						8,758.93					
Int. and Discount	9,000.00						7,310.00					
State Tax	6,970.00			340.00			1,855.00					
State Highway Tax	742.00			1,113.00			236.90					
Snow Removal Tax				236.90			7,219.99					
County Tax	6,833.33			386.66					22.38			241.07
Veterans' Exemption	22.38											
Revenue Notes							140,000.00					
Refund of Taxes							173.14					
Balance Dec. 31, 1929							4,475.99					
General							3,895.56					
Special Fund												
Total							\$423,793.30					

¶ To be reimbursed by County.

* From Stetson High School Trust Fund.

† \$395 of this amount from the Stetson High School Trust Fund.

Shown under Accounts Payable.

Report of the Water Commissioners

To the citizens of the Town of Randolph:

The forty-fourth annual report of the Water Commissioners is herewith submitted for the year ending December 31, 1929.

Organziation of the Board of Water Commissioners for the year 1929 was effected as follows:

John B. McNeill	Chairman
Frederick D. Driscoll	Clerk
Richard F. Forrest.....	Superintendent

During the past year, 56 new services were connected and 107 new meters were installed; 60 old meters were removed, cleaned and repaired; 22 frozen meters removed and repaired. There were 9 leaks in the larger mains supplying the standpipes of Randolph and Holbrook, these being cared for under the Joint Maintenance Account; in the smaller mains there were 3 leaks and 37 leaks in the service connections which were cared for under the Randolph Maintenance Account; 42 services were pumped out and cleaned; 4 hydrants were broken by motor cars and were removed and repaired.

NEW EXTENSIONS

During the year, as per instructions from the Town, new extensions were made on the following streets:

North Main Street	8 in. pipe	600 feet
Vesey Road	6 in. pipe	300 feet
Oak Street	6 in. pipe	550 feet
Stacey Street	6 in. pipe	1720 feet

Two new hydrants were installed on the North Main Street extension; three on Stacey Street; one new hy-

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drant was installed on Old Street as per vote of the Town.

In installing these extensions we have followed our custom of the last four years by having the work all done under our own Superintendent and by the laborers of the town.

PUMPING STATION

Conditions at the Pumping Station remain the same as last year. In our Annual Report of 1928, page 112, we thoroughly described the conditions at the Pumping Station and asked the town for an appropriation to install a new boiler. The Finance Committee recommended an appropriation of \$1,500 to install a gasoline engine as a standby-unit, which appropriation was made by the town. The commissioners of Holbrook, however, would not consent to the installation of a gasoline engine, therefore, conditions are no better than one year ago.

CONDITION OF THE WATER

The condition of the water at the Great Pond remains much the same according to reports received from the State Dept. of Public Health. Your Water Commissioners have given considerable time to the inspection of the watersheds of Great Pond and together with the Water Commissioners of Braintree and Holbrook voted to hire a man to patrol the pond and its tributaries during June, July, August and September of 1929 for a salary to be paid equally by the three towns. Mr. Daniel P. Lyons, Cross St., Randolph, was engaged to do the work.

Many places that seemed to be a possible cause of pollution of the water were visited and in all cases such causes were removed by the owners of the property. There has been much more accomplished by a man being on the job at all times when he can get at the cause of pollution at the very start and this is the only way that

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the watershed of the pond can be properly taken care of, and in the opinion of a great many, a man should be on this job continually the year around.

We have installed at the pumping station a machine to test the water in order to determine the exact amount of chlorine which is needed to kill any bacteria there may be. As the amount of chlorine needed in the water varies, from time to time, we found that by putting a stated amount in every day, that sometimes it would not be enough and at other times it would be too much, making the taste of the water obnoxious to some people. With the new machine, our engineer tests the water twice a day, and now we can say that the water is being treated in a scientific manner.

The expenditures of the Water Department will be found in the Town Accountant's Report.

Outstanding water rates will be found in the report of the Water Collector.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD F. FORREST.

JOHN B. McNEILL,

FRED D. DRISCOLL.

Water Commissioners.

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COLLECTOR OF WATER RATES

Balance Levy 1927	\$275.74
Additional Warrants	1.51
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	\$277.25
By water rates paid Treasurer	\$210.98
By abatements	66.27
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	\$277.25

Randolph, Mass. January 16, 1930.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Collector of Water Rates and find same correct as per above statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors.

Norfolk, ss. January 23, 1930.

Subscribed and sworn to before me:

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public

Balance Water Levy 1928	\$2,117.07
By water rates paid Treasurer	\$1,697.99
By abatements	45.58
Uncollected December 31, 1929	373.50
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	\$2,117.07

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January 23, 1930

Subscribed and sworn to before me:

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Notary Public

Water Levy 1929	\$20,063.22
By water rates paid Treasurer	\$17,711.12
By abatements	168.84
Uncollected	2,183.26

\$20,063.22

Randolph, Mass.

January 16, 1930

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TOTAL WATER COLLECTIONS OF YEAR 1929

Meter Rates	\$12,562.61
Meter Rentals	964.25
Fixture Rates	4,496.27
Water at Braintree Highlands	1,021.46
Insurance	18.75
All other	556.75

\$19,620.09

Due January 1, 1930

On Levy 1928

373.50

On Levy 1929

2,183.26

\$2,556.76

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Collector of Water Rates

STATEMENT

Joint Account of Randolph and Holbrook

Paid by Holbrook

Payrolls	\$1,955.00
Legal Advice	150.00
Coal	1,413.64
Advertising	3.40
Consulting Engineers	50.00
Randolph & Holbrook Power	
& Electric Co.	1.13
Material and Supplies	155.60
Repairs to Buildings	131.61
Patrolling Pond	281.78
Truck Hire, 1925-6-7-8	235.50

\$4,377.66

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Joint Account Paid by Randolph

Labor and Superintendent	\$1,052.51
Material and Supplies	253.36
Repairs to Machinery and Station	183.72
Repairs to House	303.59
Travel	6.00
Coal	1,258.07
Chlorine	55.82
Oil, etc.	- 82.92
Gate Valves	21.69
Truck	44.50
Freight and Express	18.49
Insurance	552.77
Telephone	60.95
Lights	10.36
Check Valve	183.12
City of Brockton—cutting in valve	133.37
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	\$4,221.24
Total Joint bills paid by Holbrook	4,377.66
Total Joint bills paid by Randolph	4,221.24
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	\$8,598.90
One-half to be paid by Holbrook	4,299.45
One-half to be paid by Randolph	4,299.45
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	\$8,598.90
Joint bills paid by Holbrook	4,377.66
Amount to be paid by Randolph to	
Holbrook to balance Joint Account	78.21
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	\$4,299.45

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RECORD OF PUMPING

To the Water Commissioners of Randolph and Holbrook:
The following is the record of pumping for the year 1929:

	Gallons Pumped	Daily Av.	Lbs. Coal Burned	Lbs. Daily Av.
January	16,038,331	517,565	51,200	1,652
February	15,305,691	546,632	45,600	1,630
March	16,408,718	529,313	52,900	1,700
April	16,004,981	533,160	49,600	1,654
May	17,595,454	567,563	55,300	1,800
June	23,685,458	789,515	68,000	2,200
July	30,172,781	973,315	80,600	2,600
August	25,989,870	838,383	59,500	2,000
September	20,451,018	648,364	56,400	1,900
October	18,581,783	599,412	69,100	2,229
November	17,805,280	593,509	50,700	1,700
December	21,601,828	696,833	71,200	2,200
	<hr/> 239,641,193	<hr/> 652,797	<hr/> 710,100	<hr/> 1,938.75

Largest day's pumping—July 30, 1929: 1,383,300 gallons, 15 hours.

Largest week's pumping ended July 24, 1929: 7,799,410 gallons.

Respectfully submitted,

AUGUST J. PETERSEN,

Engineer

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

The following regulations, until further notice, shall be considered a part of the contract with every person who uses water:

1. All applications for use of water must be made at the office of the Water Commissioners, and state fully the purposes for which it is intended to be used. Water will not be introduced to premises except on the written application of the owner thereof, or by a duly authorized agent. The property will in all cases be held responsible for the water rates.

2. All persons taking water must keep their water pipes and fixtures in good repair and protected from the frost at their own expense. They will be held liable for all damages resulting from their failure to do so. They shall prevent all unnecessary waste, and water shall not be left running to prevent freezing. The Water Commissioners or their agents may, from time to time, ascertain the quantity of water used, the manner of its use, and whether there is any unnecessary waste. They and their agents shall have free access to the premises supplied, to examine the apparatus, and if any fixtures are found not to be in good order, they shall direct them repaired, and if not repaired within two days the water shall be shut off and not let on again until such repairs are made, and the sum of two dollars paid for shutting off and turning on the water.

3. The occupant of any premises, when unnecessary waste of water occurs, shall be liable to a fine of two dollars for the first offence, and four dollars for the second offence during the same year, and shall be notified thereof in writing; and if such waste is not prevented and the aforesaid paid within two days from the time when the

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said notice is given, the water shall be shut off the premises, and shall not be again let on for the same occupant until the waste be stopped and the fine paid, together with an additional sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water, and in case of a third or subsequent offence the water shall be shut off, and shall not again be let on except by a vote of the Water Commissioners and the payment of such fine, not exceeding ten dollars, as the Water Commissioners may impose.

4. Any person supplied with water shall not allow another to take water from their fixtures without the written permission of the Water Commissioners. If any tenant having no fixtures, has any use of such fixtures, full rates will be charged for such use by each tenant.

5. All parties using water in stables, for horses or other animals, will be charged scheduled rates for the same, whether it be carried by hand or through hose.

6. All persons using water for building purposes are required to obtain a permit from the Water Commissioners before taking water from any faucet or fixtures connected with the water works, and all water takers are warned not to let any party take water from their premises until they show a permit from the Water Commissioners. Any person furnishing water in violation of this section will be subject to a fine or not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and if the same when levied is not paid within three days from the time when the notice thereof is given, the water will be shut off from the premises and will not be let on again until such fine is paid.

7. All fixtures and water closets and urinals must be of a kind and quality approved by the Water Commissioners, also a vacuum valve must be installed on all pressure range boilers connected with the system.

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8. No person shall in any case be allowed to open any fire hydrants except by a written permit from the Water Commissioners; but the Engineers of the Fire Department shall in all cases have control of hydrants at fires and for practice.

9. The Commissioners reserve the right to restrict the use of hose or fountain, to shut off the water in all cases when it becomes necessary to make extensions or repairs, or for violations of any of the regulations, or whenever they deem it expedient.

10. The regular rates for the use of water shall be payable in advance on the first days of January and July of each year, except where water is supplied to manufacturers by special agreement. In all cases of non-payment of the water rates within ten days after same is due, as well as for any violations of these rules and regulations, the supply will be shut off, and payment of the amount due, and payment of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water.

11. The Water Commissioners reserve the right to change the water rates at any time, except in cases of dwelling houses and established special rates.

12. For business requiring large quantities of water, and all supplies not enumerated in the tariff of rates, special rates will be made.

13. Parties using water for manufacturing or domestic purposes can erect hydrants on their grounds or standpipes in their building to be used only as a protection against fire without additional charge for water.

14. All applicants for the introduction of service pipes to premises are required to make written application therefor at the office of the Water Commissioners.

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And in no case will the main be tapped more than once for the same premises, unless the additional expense is borne by the owner.

Charged as follows:

The following water rates are established until further notice:

No connection made with the main for any purpose for less than	\$6.00
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Dwelling Houses

Occupied by one family, for the first faucet	6.00
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Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2.00
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Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet for all, each family	5.00
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One faucet for each family	6.00
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Occupied by one family, for the first faucet	6.00
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Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2.00
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Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet for all, each family	5.00
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One faucet for each family	6.00
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Occupied by one family	6.00
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For first bathtub	5.00
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If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4.00
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Each additional bathtub	2.00
For first pan or self-acting water closet	5.00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4.00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet	2.00
In no case shall the charge for the use of water by a private family, exclusive of hose and stable, be more than	20.00
Where two faucets are used, one for hot and one for cold water, emptying into the same basin, only one charge will be made for both.	

Laundry tub	3.00
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Boarding Houses and Hotels

First faucet	\$10.00
Each additional faucet	3.00
First bathtub	10.00
Each additional bathtub	3.00
First pan or self-acting water closet	10.00
Each additional pan on self-acting water closet	3.00

Private Stables

First horse	\$5.00
Each additional horse	3.00
Each cow or ox	1.00

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Livery, Express and Boarding Stables

For the first four horses	\$12.00
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From five to twelve horses, each	2.00
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The above prices to include water for washing carriages.

Offices, Stores, Markets, Barber Shops, Restaurants. When used for ordinary purposes, same as for dwelling houses.

Building purposes. Each cask of lime or cement	.05
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Hose

For sprinkling streets, washing windows and similar uses, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch nozzle, to be used only on premises and street opposite, not exceeding two hours per day for six months in the year	5.00
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For any use not herein enumerated, special rates will be made.

Meter Rates Payable at Time of Reading.

For not over 133 cubic feet average per day, per 100 cubic feet	.23
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For over 133 cubic feet and not exceeding 266 cubic feet average per day, per 100 cubic feet	.19
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For over 266 cubic feet average per day	.15
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Provided that in no case where a meter is used shall the annual charge be less than \$7.00.

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Meters may be supplied by the Water Commissioners, for which annual rental will be charged as follows:

Size $\frac{5}{8}$ -inch	\$1.00 per year
Size $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch	\$1.00 per year

All needed repairs, damages by frost and heat excepted, will be made at the expense of the town.

RICHARD F. FORREST,
JOHN B. McNEIL,
FRED D. DRISCOLL,

Water Commissioners

Assessors' Report---1929

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Chairman, Wald^o E. Mann

Associate members, Frank F. Teed, James P. Duffy

The Board of Assessors for the year 1929 submit the following report for the consideration of the Tax-payers of the Town of Randolph.

Tax Rate \$31.40

Our tax rate of \$31.40 per thousand, the lowest rate since 1925, shows a decrease of eighty cents per thousand from the tax rate of the previous year. The total appropriations voted to be raised through the tax levy of 1929 were \$246,585.55—See Town Accountant's Report.

Increase in Valuation \$181,600.00

By reference to the table of assessed valuation appended hereto it will be noticed that the total assessed valuation of taxable real estate indicates an increase of \$181,600.00 and a decrease in valuation of personal property owing to the new law taxing automobiles and trucks under an excise tax of \$215,550.00, making a net loss in valuation on Personal and Real Estate of \$33,950.00, adding the Excise valuation makes a net gain in valuation of \$469,905.00.

Poll List

We made a separate Poll List which was committed early in the year so the Collector would have a better chance of collecting from those who leave the town and State.

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We combined the Resident and non-resident books all in one book to eliminate duplications and for a more efficient card system.

A book of persons listed by the Assessors was compiled in conformity with the provisions of Sections 4, 5, 6 and 7 of Chapter 51 of the General Laws.

Excise Tax

It is very important that in case of sale, exchange or purchase of a car, the Assessors should be notified in writing within 60 days from the date of Excise Tax Bill or 60 days from the date of registration, if any adjustment of the tax is to be made.

Town Maps and Plans

The work on the plans should be completed, and to that end, we recommend that the sum of \$1000 be appropriated at the Annual Town Meeting of 1930.

We have received the hearty co-operation of the Town Officials and the Citizens of the Town for which we are grateful.

Attention of Citizens

In 1930 the Assessors will not find as much new valuation as in the past few years, therefore we hope at the Annual Town Meeting the total appropriations will not exceed those of 1929.

Respectfully submitted,

WALDO E. MANN, Chairman.

FRANK F. TEED,

JAMES P. DUFFY, Clerk.

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ASSESSED VALUATION

Personal Estate	\$662,300.00	
Real Estate—Land	1,281,950.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	3,605,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,549,250.00

EXCISE TAX

Valuation, July 1, commitment	\$433,700.00	
Oct. 1, commitment, $\frac{1}{2}$ val.	58,400.00	
Dec. 30, commitment, $\frac{1}{4}$ val.	11,755.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 503,855.00
Total valuation		\$6,053,105.00

1928 ASSESSED VALUATION

Personal Estate	\$ 877,850.00	
Real Estate—Land	1,275,450.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	3,429,900.00	
Total		\$5,583,200.00

Appropriations made at the Annual Town Meeting of 1929, provided for through Current Tax Levy, certified to by the Town Clerk.

Moderator's Salary		\$50.00
Selectmen:		
Salaries	\$650.00	
Expenses	500.00	
	<hr/>	1,150.00
Auditors:		
Salaries	180.00	
Expenses	17.25	
	<hr/>	197.25
Accountant:		
Salary	750.00	
Expenses	150.00	
	<hr/>	900.00

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Treasurer:

Salary	900.00	
Expenses (inc. premium on bond)	350.00	
	<hr/>	1,250.00

Tax Collector:

Salary in form of commissions of 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ % on collections (est.)	2,250.00	
Expenses (inc. bond)	450.00	
Tax Title expenses	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	3,700.00

Assessors:

Salaries	1,500.00	
Expenses	500.00	
Transcript of Deeds and proving Court records and also descriptions of property for sale for unpaid taxes	300.00	
Adding machine	90.00	
Town Plans and Maps	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	3,390.00

Law Department:

Expenses	300.00	
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Finance Committee:

Expenses, including printing report	300.00	
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Town Clerk:

Salary (including \$800 for collection of Water Assessments and clerical work in Water Department)	1,100.00	
Expenses	100.00	
Vital Statistics	375.00	
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Election and Registration:

Salary of Registrars	150.00	
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Expense—Town Election	600.00	
Expense—Spl. Election	125.00	
	<hr/>	875.00

Town Office:

Expense		1,200.00
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Police Department:

Salary, Per. Officer	2,000.00	
Article 21, Salary of additional officer to be appointed under Civil Service Rules and Regulations	1,800.00	
Expenses—including Special Police	1,200.00	
Lock-up Expenses	200.00	
Lock-up Repairs	100.00	
Automatic Traffic Signal Systems at Warren Street and North Main Street and at Crawford Square	1,100.00	
	<hr/>	6,400.00

Fire Department:

Salaries:

Driver	\$1,800.00
Permanent man	1,600.00
Engineer's	300.00
Spare Driver	329.00
Twenty men	1,500.00

Expenses:

New Ladder Truck	1,500.00
(Balance of \$6,500 to be borrowed on notes)	
New Hose (3,000 feet)	3,000.00
New Equipment	100.00
Painting Pump and two new tires	500.00

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Fire alarm system:

Maintenance and two new boxes	700.00	
General Expenses	1,200.00	
	<hr/>	12,529.00

Forest Fires—Expense	\$800.00	
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Sealer of Weights and Measures:

Salary	\$150.00	
Expenses	25.00	
	<hr/>	175.00

Moth Extermination:

Expenses	\$750.00	
Repairs	80.00	
	<hr/>	830.00

Tree Warden:

Salary	\$250.00	
Expenses	500.00	
Planting New Trees	100.00	
	<hr/>	850.00

Health and Sanitation

Inspector of Animals—Salary	\$100.00	
Inspector of Milk—Salary	50.00	
Inspector of Slaughtering—Salary	100.00	
Dog Officer—Salary	100.00	
Article 16—Health Nurse	1,000.00	
Health Department—Expenses	3,500.00	
	<hr/>	4,850.00

Highway Department

Surveyor's Salary	\$1,500.00	
General Maintenance	7,500.00	
Construction of Canton Street	2,500.00	
(Bal. of \$5,000 to be raised by notes —County contributes \$7,500 and State \$10,000)		

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Article 42—Depot Street	1,000.00
Article 43—Fairview Avenue	1,000.00
Article 44—Oak Street	2,000.00
Article 45—Mill Street	1,800.00
Article 46—Maitland Avenue	800.00
Article 47—Highland Avenue: Start- ing at Cole's Terrace and pro- ceeding in a northerly direction as far as the money will go.	700.00
Article 48—Ward Street	1,500.00
Article 49—Pleasant Street	2,500.00
Article 50—Chestnut Street	1,000.00
Article 51—Belcher Street	300.00
Article 52—Norfolk Road	1,500.00
Article 53—Old Street (beginning at corner of North Main Street)	1,000.00
Article 56—Grove Street	500.00
Article 57—Marion Street	750.00
All of the above appropriations to be spent for permanent construction.	
Snow Removal	3,000.00
Equipment for snow removal	450.00
New street signs (for public high- ways only)	150.00
Street Lighting (moonlight sched- ule)	7,120.32
Additions and extensions of street lighting systems.	
Article 72—Warren Street	33.00
Article 73—Old Street	33.00
Article 75—Center Street	33.00
Article 76—Highland Avenue	66.00
Article 78—Hall Street	66.00
Article 79—Roel and North Main Sts.	33.00
Article 80—Union Street	181.50
Article 82—Marion Street	33.00

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Article 1—(Spl. Town Meeting: Laying out of Russ Street)	300.00	
	<hr/>	39,348.82

Infirmary—Expenses	\$4,000.00	
Repairs and Equipment	300.00	
	<hr/>	4,300.00

Outside Relief (Including Poor out of Infirmary and Mothers' Aid)		4,000.00
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Special expenses:

Rent—Mary A. Molloy	\$85.00	
Mass.—Homeopathic Hospital	107.00	
Geo. V. Higgins, M. D.	126.00	
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State Aid		726.00
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Military Aid		300.00
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Soldiers' Benefits		2,250.00
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Schools

Stetson High School—Teaching	\$16,750.00	
Grammar Schools—Teaching	36,500.00	
Fuel	3,500.00	
Books and Supplies	4,500.00	
Care of Rooms	4,500.00	
Transportation	3,700.00	
Supt. of Schools	1,400.00	
School Physician	100.00	
School Nurse	1,300.00	
Trade and Continuation Schools	3,500.00	
General Expense	4,300.00	
Equipment	2,000.00	
School Committee Expense	100.00	
School Committee Salaries	300.00	
	<hr/>	82,450.00

Libraries

Turner Library—Repairs		\$450.00
Memorial Day Expenses	\$300.00	

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Art. 29—Armistice Day Expenses	200.00	
Care of Clock in Congregational Church	20.00	
Printing and Distributing Town Reports	802.90	
Insurance	3,800.00	
Art. 30—Bronze Honor Roll	500.00	
Art. 33—Painting Exterior of Stetson Hall Building	750.00	
Art. 34—Replacing Highway Fence at North Main and Depot Sts.	200.00	
Art. 35—Renovating Quarters of G. A. R. in Stetson Hall Bldg.	400.00	
Reserve Fund	2,000.00	
Art. 32—Town Office Furnishings	3,343.60	
Art. 19—Drainage Committee Expenses	300.00	
	<hr/>	12,616.50
Art. 6—Unpaid bills of 1927 and 1928. Tax Collector—Salary and expenses 1926 and previous years.		
Board of Health		
Town Office		
School Department		
Infirmary		
Highway Department		
Election and Registration Salaries		
Land Damage		
Fire Department		
Tax Collector (1927)		
Assessors		
Outside Relief	2,500.34	
Water Dept. (1928)	53.22	
Art. 37—Unpaid bills in connection with remodelling lower floor of Stetson Hall Building	658.71	
	<hr/>	3,212.27

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Veterans' Exemption		22.38
Water Department:		
Maintenance	\$4,000.00	
Service Construction	2,000.00	
Joint Account	3,500.00	
Salaries of Commissioners	375.00	
Salary of Superintendent	2,000.00	
Art. 28—Old Street—1 Hydrant	150.00	
Art. 20—New Gasoline Engine for Auxiliary Pumping System— Town of Randolph Share	1,500.00	
Water Extensions:		
Art. 67—No. Main St.	1,500.00	
Art. 69—Vesey Road	750.00	
Art. 70—Oak St.	750.00	
Art. 60—Stacy St. (to be raised on notes \$5,000)		
	—————	16,525.00
Maturing Debt	\$15,200.00	
Interest	9,000.00	
	—————	24,200.00
State and County Taxes (Estimated):		
State Tax (Highway)	\$742.00	
County Tax	6,833.33	
State Tax	6,970.00	
	—————	14,545.33
Court Judgments		285.00
		286,870.55

Determination of Tax Rate, 1929

Total Appropriations:	
Town	\$232,040.22
Chapter 59, Section 23	285.00
Snow Removal Tax	236.90
County Tax	7,219.99
State Tax	7,310.00

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State Highway Tax	1,855.00	
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	\$248,947.11	
Plus Overlay to cover abatements:		
1924	\$761.88	
1925	1,254.63	
1926	1,077.98	
1927	1,079.48	
1928	861.00	
1929	2,000.00	
Total appropriations plus overlays		\$255,982.08
Credits from various sources included in Tax Levy of 1929:		
Income Tax	\$27,762.55	
Income Tax—Additional Distribution	820.00	
Corporation Tax	4,667.32	
Bank Tax	1,048.49	
Court fines	500.00	
Eastern Mass. St. Ry. Tax	663.55	
Health and Sanitation	250.00	
Charities	2,900.00	
Soldiers' Benefits	933.00	
Schools—Tuition	2,875.17	
Dog Tax	1,160.67	
Interest on Deposits	291.71	
Interest on Taxes	3,000.00	
Water Sales	18,100.00	
All Other	1,019.86	
Excise Tax	12,543.31	
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		\$78,535.63
Less Credits		
Revenue from various sources	\$78,535.63	
Poll Tax	3,200.00	
Total Credits	<hr/>	\$81,735.63

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Total amount to be provided	
for through tax levy	174,246.45
Total assessed valuation	5,549,250.00
Tax rate per \$1,000	31.40

Taxes Levied and Committed to Collector—1929

Warrant—August 1929

Tax on Real and Personal

Estate \$174,246.45

Moth Tax 108.50

Poll Tax (July 1st) 3,200.00

Warrant—December 23rd

Additional assessment 789.23

Excise Taxes committed

July 1st commitment 12,858.34

October 1st commitment 1,737.88

December 30th commitment 348.44

————— \$193,288.84

Information Contained in the Table of Aggregates Prepared and Submitted to the State Commissioner

Number of residents and non-residents assessed for property	2348
Number of persons assessed for Poll Tax only	1880
Total number of persons assessed	4228
Number of horses assessed	47
Number of cows assessed	202
Number of neat cattle other than cows assessed	1
Number of swine assessed	585
Number of dwelling houses assessed	1927
Number of fowl assessed	3900
Number of automobiles and trucks assessed:	
Full Excise	1709
Half Excise	337
Quarter Excise	140

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VALUATION OF EXEMPTED PROPERTY

Privately owned

Religious Organizations:

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Personal Estate	\$5,000.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	40,000.00	
Land, North Main St.	5,000.00	
Land, Pauline Street, held for erection of church	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$51,000.00

First Congregational Church

Personal Estate	\$5,000.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	35,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$45,000.00

First Baptist Church

Personal Estate	\$5,000.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	30,000.00	
Land	4,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$39,000.00

Unitarian Church

Personal Estate	\$2,500.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	20,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$27,500.00

Episcopal Church

Personal Estate	\$1,500.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	7,000.00	
Land	2,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$11,000.00

Methodist Church

Personal Estate	\$500.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	2,000.00	
Land	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,000.00

Literary Institutions:

Boston School for the Deaf

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Personal Estate	\$25,000.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	340,000.00	
Land	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$375,000.00

Ladies' Library Association:

As per dictum of Superior
Court on 1926 Tax:

Personal Estate	\$500.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	2,250.00	
Land	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,250.00

Turner Free Library:

Personal Estate	25,000.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	40,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$70,000.00

Charitable Institutions:

Seth Mann 2nd, Home for
Aged Women:

Personal Estate	\$2,500.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	12,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$19,500.00

Randolph Visiting Nurse As-
sociation:

Personal Estate	\$500.00	
	<hr/>	\$500.00

Cemeteries:

St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery:

Real Estate—Vault and Tool Storage Buildings	\$1,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,000.00

Central Cemetery:

Real Estate—Vault Building	\$2,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$7,000.00

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Oakland Cemetery:

Real Estate—Land	\$1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,000.00

Recapitulation

Religious Organizations	\$176,500.00	
Literary Institutions	449,250.00	
Charitable Institutions	20,000.00	
Cemetery Associations	14,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$659,750.00

Valuation of Exempted Property Owned by the Town of Randolph

Town Hall:

Personal Estate	\$5,000.00	
Real Estate—Building	50,000.00	
Land	12,500.00	
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Schools:

Personal Estate—Equipment and Supplies	\$50,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$50,000.00

Real Estate:

Prescott Primary School:

Building	\$8,500.00	
Land	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,000.00

Prescott Grammar School:

Building	\$21,000.00	
Land	4,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$25,000.00

Chestnut St. Primary School

Building	\$2,000.00	
Land	500.00	
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North Randolph School:

Building	\$9,000.00	
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Land	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,000.00
Belcher Grammar School:		
Building	\$14,000.00	
Land	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$15,000.00
Tower Hill Primary School:		
Building	\$4,500.00	
Land	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,000.00
Stetson High School:		
Building	\$140,000.00	
Land	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$150,000.00
Fire Department:		
Personal Estate:		
Pumping Engine	\$2,500.00	
Combination Fire Truck	2,000.00	
Hook and Ladder Truck	8,000.00	
Steam Fire Engine	750.00	
Ford Truck with Chemicals	300.00	
Engine House No. 1:		
Building	4,000.00	
Land inc. with Town Hall Lot		
Engine House No. 2:		
Building	1,500.00	
Land rented		
	<hr/>	\$19,050.00
Police Department:		
Personal Estate:		
1 Motor Cycle	\$200.00	
1 Ford closed car	300.00	
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Water Department:		
Buildings, one-half interest		
jointly owned by Town of		
Holbrook (inc. Pumping Sta-		

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tion and Dwelling House	\$15,000.00	
Land, one-half interest jointly owned by Towns of Hol- brook and Braintree	10,000.00	
Personal Estate:		
Piping System	200,000.00	
Machinery, Tools, Equipment, Ford Truck, one-half inter- est, jointly owned by Town of Holbrook	\$27,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$252,000.00
Vacant Land:		
Real Estate:		
Land—Clark Lot, Union St.	\$1,500.00	
Lot, North St.	300.00	
Parcel, Park St.	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,800.00
Highway Department:		
Personal Estate:		
1 Ton Tractor	\$1,400.00	
1 Roller	2,500.00	
New Equipment	600.00	
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Infirmary:		
Personal Estate	\$1,500.00	
Real Estate:		
Buildings	10,000.00	
Land	2,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$13,500.00
Trust Funds		
Coddington Fund	\$1,900.00	
Stetson School Fund	13,363.48	
Turner Reference Fund	1,197.36	
Library Funds	41,795.70	
Soldier's Monument Fund	262.00	
Playground Fund	51.81	
	<hr/>	\$58,570.35

Report of the Fire Department

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit my report of the Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1929.

This department has responded to 115 calls during the year, divided as follows: Bell alarms 28, still alarms 23, false alarms 1, automobiles 4, building fires 31, wood and grass fires 44, reported fires 16, aid calls 3.

Assessed value of buildings damaged by fire during year	\$28,050.00
Damage to Buildings	14,216.00
Insurance on Buildings	38,960.00
Insurance Paid on Loss	<u>11,746.00</u>
Loss on Contents Not Covered by Insurance	2,750.00
Total number of feet of hose used during year	7,050
Total number of gallons pumped from booster tank	1,430
Total number of garage permits issued during year	6
Total number of gas station permits issued during year	22
Total number of oil burner permits issued during year	14
Total number of fireworks permits issued during year	12
Total number of blasting permits issued during year	2
Total number of fire permits issued during year	439

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During the year it was necessary to make several changes at the Central Station in order to accommodate the new Ladder Truck. It was necessary to move the heating plant and also replace the doors with those of a rolling type.

The building was also painted inside and out at no cost to the Town as the paint was purchased by the members of the department and the labor furnished without charge. The building was also wired in a modern manner.

The apparatus is in good condition with the exception of the tires on the LaFrance, which will have to be replaced at once.

Owing to the number of oil burners installed in the Town at the present time I feel that it would be advisable to equip the department with a foam generator to handle this situation.

The old boxes will be placed at the junction of Orchard Street and Bartlett Road. I would recommend that two new boxes be purchased this year to replace boxes numbered 23 and 42 now located in the center of the Town. This would provide two new box locations in the outlying districts. The north circuit should be divided into two circuits in order to simplify the locating of trouble on the line.

As the Station located on the Riley Estate and the apparatus stored in the building is of no value to the Town, I recommend that it be sold and the proceeds be turned into the Town Treasury.

I wish to call your attention to the fact that the Station is covered by two men at all times.

Recommendations for 1930

General Expense	\$1,200.00
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Salaries (20 men)	1,500.00
Permanent Man	1,700.00
Deputy Chief	125.00
Chief	2,000.00
Salaries of Spare Drivers	658.00
Fire Alarm (care and maintenance, 2 new boxes)	700.00
New Wheels and Tires (LaFrance)	500.00
Foam Generator and Equipment	515.00

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the Town Officials and the Citizens of the Town for the assistance rendered this department during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD L. BAILEY

Chief

Report of the School Committee 1929

To the Citizens of the Town of Randolph:

The purpose of this report is to place before you some of the problems that confront the Committee, to state briefly what has been done to date, and to indicate what is in mind for the future in the matter of meeting these problems.

In the broad statement that this report contemplates, the detailed recommendations of other school officials will be omitted. Reference should be made to the reports of these officials for a thorough understanding of the school situation in Randolph.

It will be convenient to discuss the school problem from the following viewpoints: (1) Education Proper; (2) Buildings and Equipment; (3) Health; (4) Transportation; and (5) The School Budget.

1. EDUCATION

The Committee is keenly aware of the demand of the day for high class schools and is sparing no effort that Randolph may be provided with such schools. To warrant a high rating, schools must have a sound course of studies and proper physical equipment; they must have an able teaching body; and they must be properly supervised. The Committee has been principally concerned with these matters during the past year. Its survey of conditions has indicated the advisability of reorganizing our entire system, from the Committee down, upon a basis of definite personal responsibility that will afford the children of Randolph the educational op-

portunities to which they are entitled. In this way only will the Town receive a fair return for its substantial investment in education.

The past year has seen the taking of first steps in a rather ambitious programme. A general survey of all schools was made. In the grade schools some changes were put into effect in order that teaching and discipline might be improved. Under ordinary conditions the needs of the grade schools would have been fully considered at the time, but this work had to be deferred on account of the gravity of the situation in the High School. It is hoped that a review of the grade schools will be completed and necessary adjustments made before the opening of schools in September.

In the High School the situation called for an immediate and a complete reorganization. Accordingly, its courses of study were adjusted to meet the requirements of college and normal school; standards of scholarship were established and means for their strict observance provided; school discipline was restored; social life and other distractions were banished, and athletics relegated to a position of secondary importance. The Committee feels, therefore, that the High School graduates of the future may leave its doors properly prepared to undertake whatever work they have in mind. It must be observed that it was this very lack of preparation, betrayed by low grade work on the part of High School graduates in Normal School over a substantial period of time, that cost the High School its "B" classification. To those who care to take time to examine the High School records, which tell in plain and unmistakable language the story of wholesale promotion and graduation, year after year, of good, bad and indifferent pupils, the conclusions of the State Department of Education in the matter of classification will be no mystery. The High School today, as will appear from a reading of the Prin-

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cial's Report, is operating on a sound basis. The Committee is satisfied that Mr. Barclay is equal to the task of reconstruction which he faces, and it assures him that he has its hearty support and co-operation in all his undertakings.

The Committee believes that adequate supervision is essential to the success of any school system, since supervision means to schools exactly what it means to business—the difference between organization and disorganization. The Superintendent of Schools is primarily a supervisor whose business it is to see that a sound course of studies is provided, and that it is carried fully into execution by able and loyal teachers. In its investigations the Committee found that the schools of Randolph were not enjoying the measure of supervision which they required. Two causes, neither of which could be laid at the door of the Superintendent, contributed largely to this condition. In the first place, it appeared that the Superintendent was obliged to spend much time in the performance of clerical and other tasks that clearly were not within the scope of his employment. The time thus spent was, of course, lost to supervision. Again, it appeared that in the past the Superintendent did not have that support from his Committee or co-operation from his teachers that he had a right to expect. In consequence, his recommendations were frequently tabled, and thus in effect ignored. No office thus encumbered could hope to function properly, and our office was no exception. The Committee has done its utmost to meet this situation, providing clerical assistance to relieve the Superintendent of detail, and supporting his reasonable recommendations whenever called upon to do so. The Committee feels, therefore, that a distinct improvement in supervision should be noted during the coming year. Of course, the Committee recognizes that complete relief may lie in another direction, namely, in the establishment of the office of local su-

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perintendent. This is a growing community, and its constantly increasing school enrollment means increased burdens of supervision. Perhaps the day has already arrived for the employment of a local superintendent. The results accomplished during the coming year should definitely establish whether union or local superintendence will solve our problem of supervision.

The teaching situation can be immeasurably improved by a general revision of salaries in an upward direction. This will enable the Committee to recruit a corps of able teachers and to retain these teachers for a substantial period of time. Randolph cannot, of course, compete in the matter of salaries with the wealthier towns or the cities; but it can and should do what towns of its size and wealth are doing in this regard. Year after year capable teachers are leaving this system to go to other towns at salaries ranging from \$200 to \$400 in excess of Randolph's maximum. Indeed, from the Committee's observations, it would seem that many of our teachers are registered with the agencies from whom they hope to obtain better paying positions. This situation has existed for a long time, and it has had a demoralizing effect on the school system generally; for there is nothing that can more effectively disturb the equilibrium of a school system than a constant turnover of its teachers. On the other hand, on the basis of an increase well within the means of this Town, high grade teachers who by graduate study have become specialists in their respective subjects, may be secured and retained. The advantage to the pupil of expert guidance at the hands of such teachers is something that cannot be valued in dollars and cents. It is the hope of the Committee, therefore, that it will soon be in the position of being able to induce good teachers to enter our system, as it will be to reward those of its present staff who have given Randolph efficient and loyal service.

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II. BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT

The situation as to buildings is far from satisfactory. At the present time every inch of available space in the grade schools is in use, and further enrollments in September will offer a serious problem. In the High School all rooms are in use save the Assembly Hall, and it appears a certainty that this hall will be used as a class room in the fall. Lack of class rooms in the High School will seriously interfere with its future development.

Some of our buildings are lacking in facilities demanded by the Department of Public Safety as a condition precedent to operation; and unless expenditures conservatively estimated at \$30,000.00 are made in the near future, Randolph is in imminent danger of receiving an order to close the Belcher, the Prescott and Prescott Primary buildings. The nature of these requirements is explained under Section V (b) of this report, "Special Appropriation." The condition of the Belcher School does not warrant the outlay required by the State Inspectors. The committee recommends the abandonment of the building and the erection of a new and larger building on another site. This will undoubtedly coincide with the findings of the Building Committee, which will report to you at the next Annual Town Meeting.

During the year, to relieve an intolerable situation in North Randolph, it was necessary to open the North Randolph Improvement Association Hall and equip the same for school purposes. This, however, is a makeshift plan, tolerated as such by the Department of Public Safety, and by no means disposes of the problem in the north end of the Town. Arrangements of a permanent character must be made in the near future. It was also necessary, during the past year, to provide and equip an additional room in the Prescott Primary building in order to relieve congestion in certain classes. The build-

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ing as it stands is overcrowded and will not be able to accommodate the added number that are sure to seek admission in September. It is very clear that Randolph cannot longer postpone consideration of the problem of housing its schools; and the Committee hopes that the townspeople will give serious consideration to the findings of the Building Committee.

For lack of funds no major repairs or replacements were made in any building during the past year. A number of these repairs must be made this year.

Aside from the science department and the library of the High School equipment generally is in a satisfactory condition. A moderate outlay only will be required this year. The needs of the science laboratory and the library of the High School have been pointed out in Mr. Barclay's report, and the Committee is in entire accord with his recommendations.

III. HEALTH

On this subject you are referred to the recommendations of the Superintendent, the School Physician and the School Nurse. Undoubtedly as a result of the watchfulness of teachers, nurse and physician, the schools during the past year were spared any serious epidemic. The Committee urges parents and guardians to co-operate at all times with the health officers by observing their rules and regulations.

IV. TRANSPORTATION

Transportation is furnished to all pupils who live beyond the two-mile limit, as well as to children of tender years who live close to the two-mile limit. This is done at an ever increasing cost to the Town. The Committee at present is seeking bids from bus companies in the hope that a cheaper and more satisfactory service than that now furnished by the street cars may be provided. The

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future of this problem depends upon the action taken by the Town in relation to the programme of the Building Committee.

V. THE SCHOOL BUDGET

(a) Current Appropriation

The estimated expenses for the coming year are as follows:

Salaries and Wages:

Teaching	\$61,475.00
Superintendence	1,500.00
Truant Officer	200.00
School Nurse	1,325.00
School Physician	100.00
Superintendent's Clerk	400.00
Janitors	5,240.00
School Committee	300.00

Total

\$70,540.00

Other School Expenses:

Equipment	\$1,540.00
Repairs, Replacements and Renewals	7,320.00
Fuel	3,500.00
Books and Supplies	5,000.00
Transportation	5,000.00
Trade and Continuation School	3,800.00
Superintendent's Expense	150.00
School Committee's Expense	100.00
General Expense	4,500.00

Total

\$30,910.00

Increased enrollment, requiring the opening and equipping of new class rooms, employment of extra teachers and janitors, purchase of additional supplies, etc., af-

fords one explanation of the increase over last year's estimate. Other items are normal increases in teachers' salaries and repairs neglected over a long period of time which must receive attention this year. The Committee has considered only the bare requirements, and will, of course, endeavor to keep actual expenditures as low as possible. Notwithstanding this increase, the cost of education per pupil in Randolph is less than in other towns with as large a school enrollment as ours.

Upon recommendation of the State Accounting Department, the Committee is asking that the school appropriation be made in two items—(1) Salaries and Wages, and (2) Other School Expenses. This is the approved method of appropriating school expenses and that employed throughout the state generally. This method eliminates the necessity of calling special town meetings for the transfer of funds on occasions when unforeseen requirements exhaust specific funds.

(b) Special Appropriation

This appropriation is requested in order that the Committee may comply with the orders of the Department of Public Safety issued under date of December 31, 1929. The expenditures to be made under this appropriation do not include items of current expense. Hence they should be considered as a separate matter.

The orders of the Department of Public Safety require the following:

Installation of new heating and ventilating systems in the Belcher, Prescott and Prescott Primary buildings; the building of eight-inch fireproof walls in boiler rooms and under basement stairs of the same buildings; the providing of metal lath and cement basement ceilings in the same buildings; of basement exits in same buildings; of smoke partitions in Prescott Building; connection

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of rooms 20 and 26, Prescott Building; new toilet facilities in Belcher, Prescott and Prescott Primary buildings; new moisture proof floors in toilets of Prescott building; new motor, boys' toilet, and drainage improvement in boys' shower baths; High school; miscellaneous repairs in all buildings. Estimates received from contractors show that heating and ventilation systems will cost \$20,000.00, and other repairs and replacements for fire protection and better sanitation will cost about \$10,000.00. The Committee, therefore, requests that the amount of \$30,000.00 be raised and appropriated to provide for these improvements.

As a concluding word, the Committee desires to say that in all its undertakings it is acting for what it believes to be the best interests of Randolph. It has no other motive. It urges a live public interest in the schools as a guaranty of their efficiency, and it welcomes suggestions and constructive criticism from teachers and parents and others interested in the upbuilding of our system. The Committee also desires to thank all teachers and officials who, by efficient and loyal service, have contributed to the welfare of the schools during the past year.

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE,

JESSE S. BEAL, Chairman,
WILLIAM J. O'KEEFE.

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REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee, Randolph:

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of the public schools for the year 1929.

In this report no mention is made of the physical condition of our school buildings for the reason that two reports are now pending dealing with this subject, one by the Special Committee appointed at the last Annual Meeting and the other submitted recently by the Department of Public Safety. When these reports are completed and finally submitted to the Town for action, it is earnestly hoped that the citizens will take definite measures to build, repair and improve our school buildings so that they may be made safe and sanitary for school purposes.

Our school enrolment last fall forced us to add three more teachers to our grade school staff. One room was opened and equipped with furniture in the North Randolph Association Hall for first-year children. Two other rooms were obtained by dividing two large rooms in the Prescott primary school. One of these is now used for special work among children who for various reasons have lost school work and need special attention in order to make their grades.

ENROLMENT BY SCHOOLS

	1929	1928	1927	1926
Stetson High School	244	252	200	217
Stetson Junior High School	184	170	168	214
*Prescott Grammar School	264	277	246	204
Prescott Primary School	272	211	203	205
*Belcher School	257	252	249	221

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North Randolph School	125	109	88	87
Tower Hill School	87	79	76	71
West Corners School	37	41	40	37

Totals	1470	1391	1270	1256
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*Including Grade 7.

ENROLMENT BY GRADES

	Grade	1929	1928
High School	12	39	46
High School	11	46	43
High School	10	67	61
High School	9	92	101
Junior High School	8	119	114
Junior High School	7	148	135
Grammar School	6	135	154
Grammar School	5	135	121
Grammar School	4	165	131
Grammar School	3	172	162
Grammar School	2	148	152
Grammar School	1	186	171
Special Class	—	18	—
Totals		1470	1391

HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. Chapin severed his connection with the High School last fall after many years as its principal. We are fortunate, however, in obtaining Mr. Robert Barclay who comes to us well recommended and well-equipped for this work. He is intensely interested in the students, their scholastic attainments and welfare and therefore warrants the closest co-operation of parents, teachers and pupils.

The recommendations submitted in the principal's report are urgent and should receive your earliest attention.

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A re-evaluation of the curriculum has begun. Tests and periodic examinations will be introduced, rated and placed on file for purposes of record. Teachers are showing a keen interest in the work so that there is every indication that satisfactory results will be obtained.

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

This department of our school work is greatly handicapped by its scattered enrolment in three separate buildings. The nature and needs of pupils in this school call for a very definite curriculum content. Junior High school students, as a whole, are generally characterized as exceedingly active, eager and spontaneous to do things. Such tremendous forces need the greatest guidance, the most careful and sympathetic control in order that this stored-up energy may find itself expressed in wholesome activities and worth-while achievements.

No phase of our school work calls more distressingly for manual and vocational arts than does this department. The regular schoolroom lessons are not enough to satisfy and round out the growing life of the adolescent child. He wants to use his muscles as well as his brain; he wants to make things, copy and play the part of an important individual in his community. It is his challenge to motivate the curriculum and make it something real and worth while. Our building program therefore should keep this in view and provide some form of vocational training for our boys and girls.

A definite course in reading is being prepared by the English teachers. There is an abundance of material in this field but such must be organized on the basis of present supply of books, subject matter, adaptation to the child's need and a better articulation with the English department in the Senior High school.

GRADE SCHOOLS

Special emphasis this year will be made in reading

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and writing. There is a wide range of individual and class differences throughout the system. In reading, teachers will need a larger supply of good books and a more serviceable classroom library.

Following the mastery of the mechanics of reading the normal child should soon acquire a fair degree of accuracy and rapidity in reading. This stage of accomplishment on the whole is easy to detect and score but the use the child makes of these tools for the purposes of study, thought-getting and enjoyment is a greater problem and one that calls for constant vigilance and daily check on the pupil's attainment and success.

PUBLIC SAFETY AND CONSERVATION OF CHILD LIFE

The high death rate of children caused by automobile accidents on the public streets calls for a most vigorous campaign of safety in our schools. Aside from constant reminders which teachers give their classes on this subject, there is further need of study and training to bring about better results. Training must be intense and specific to fix in the child a habit of caution and fear when approaching a cross-over or about to make a sudden change in the course of his walking.

There is no question in the mind of the writer that if our sidewalks were made more attractive than they now are that children, as well as adults, would prefer to walk on sidewalks rather than in the streets as they now do. Streets everywhere, cities and towns, have always received first consideration and as such may have had much to do with the ever-increasing death toll among pedestrians, old and young. An attractive, smooth, well-built sidewalk with a curbstone high enough to curb a car would do much to conserve life and give to the public a safe and proper place on which to walk.

We are most grateful to the Police Department for

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its efficient and sympathetic assistance in the care of our school children.

RECOMMENDATIONS

I desire to call your attention to the following recommendations:

a. Our school enrolment makes it necessary to employ a supervisor of primary reading and handwriting. Such a person may be employed on part time with the other two towns or as a teacher within the system giving two days a week for supervision.

b. The employment of a physical director on full time.

c. An appropriation of \$500.00 for playground equipment and physical education. Of this sum, \$200.00 to be used for the grade schools and the remainder for high school purposes.

d. An appropriation by the town, through the local Board of Health, of a sum of money sufficient to organize and equip a dental clinic.

In closing my report I wish to thank you for your counsel and wholehearted co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

A. O. CHRISTIANSEN,
Superintendent of Schools

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SCHOOL CALENDAR 1930-1931

Elementary Grades, 1 to 8

Open Dec. 30th, 1929. Close Feb. 14, 1930. 7 weeks.

Open Feb. 24, 1930. Close April 11, 1930. 7 weeks.

Open April 21, 1930. Close June 13, 1930. 8 weeks.

Summer Vacation

Open Sept. 3, 1930. Close Dec. 19, 1930. 16 weeks.

Christmas Vacation

Open Dec. 29, 1930. Close Feb. 20, 1931. 8 weeks.

High School

Open Dec. 30, 1929. Close Apr. 11, 1930. 15 weeks.

Open April 21, 1930. Close June 20, 1930. 9 weeks.

Summer Vacation

Open Sept. 3, 1930. Close Dec. 19, 1930. 16 weeks.

Christmas Vacation

Open Dec. 29, 1930. Close Feb. 20, 1931. 8 weeks.

Schools will close on the following days:

January 1st; May 30th; October 13th; November 11th and Thanksgiving Day and Friday following, November 27th and 28th.

NO SCHOOL SIGNALS

Three blows repeated at:

7:15 A. M. All schools close.

8:15 A. M. No morning session for first six grades.

12:30 P. M. No afternoon session for first six grades.

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LIST OF TEACHERS

	Position	Educated at	Year Appointed
A. O. Christiansen	Superintendent	Brown, A. B.; Harvard A. M.	1921

High School

Robert W. Barclay	Principal	Norwich, B. S., B. U., A. M.	1929
Kenneth Clark	Mathematics	U. of N. H., B. S.	1927
Albert J. Murphy	History	Bridgewater, B. S. in Ed.	1928
Winifred Brennan	Commercial	Burdett	1918
Jane C. Good	Commercial	Burdett	1925
Elizabeth Laugher	English and French	Worcester, B. S.	1927
Mrs. Mabel Marble	French and English	Boston U., A. B.	1928
Margret M. Moore	Latin and French	Georgian Court College A. B.	1928
James J. Riley	Science	Boston College, A. B.	1929
Cyril T. Powderly	English and Latin	Boston Univ., A. B.	1929
Mary E. Sullivan	English and Com. Geog.	Bridgewater, B. S. in Ed.	1929

Junior High School

Mrs. Sarah Powderly	English	Bridgewater	1914
Hannah F. Hoye	English and Music	Quincy Training School	1888
Martha Parshley	Arithmetic and Drawing	Fitchburg	1926
Anna Good	History and Geography	Bridgewater, B. S. in Ed.	1924
Teresa Carlin	English and Arithmetic	Lowell	1926
Mrs. Ethel Chatfield	Grade 7 Principal	Farmington	1927
Mrs. Florence Caples	Grade 7 Principal	Bridgewater	1922

Prescott School

Mrs. Marie Cormey	Grade 6	Framingham	1925
Mrs. Elizabeth Tierney	Grade 6	Bridgewater	1926
Margaret Donovan	Grade 5	Bridgewater	1924
Grace Murphy	Grade 5	Bridgewater	1926
Mary O'Brien	Grade 4	Bridgewater	1921
Rachael McMahon	Grade 4	Bridgewater	1916
Ellen McLaughlin	Grade 3	Bridgewater	1901
Eleanor Condon	Grade 3	Bridgewater	1929
Fannie Campbell	Grade 2	Notre Dame Academy	1898
Vivian Pickett	Grade 2	Bridgewater, B. S. in Ed.	1929
Kittie Molloy	Grade 1	Boston Uni. Extension	1886
Mrs. Eliz'th McDonald	Grade 1	Bridgewater	1925
Mary Mullen	Special Class	Simmons	1923

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Belcher School

Martha Foley	Grade 6	Bridgewater	1929
Dorothy Carney	Grade 5	Bridgewater	1923
Bernice Francis	Grade 4	Hyannis	1927
Emmaline McGerrigle	Grades 3 - 4	Bridgewater	1929
Clara Tolman	Grade 2	Bridgewater	1888
Jane M. Lynch	Grade 1	Bridgewater	1929

North Randolph School

Mrs. Esther Grant	Principal	Lowell	1927
	Grades 3 - 4		
Anna Tucker	Grade 1	Bridgewater	1929
Helen Toomey	Grades 2 - 3	Bridgewater, B. S. in Ed.	1929

Tower School

Mrs. Elizabeth Lyons	Principal	Quincy Training	1920
	Grades 1 - 3		
Mrs. Alice Belcher	Grades 4 - 6	Quincy Training	1923

West Corner School

Katherine J. Riley	Grades 1 - 3	Harvard Summer School	1926
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Drawing Supervisor

Eileen V. Dowd	All Grades	Emmanual, A. B.	1926
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Music Supervisor

Rose Hand	All Grades	A. S. N. M. Harvard and B. U. Extension	
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School Nurse

Mrs. Jessica Mitchell	All Grades	R. N.	1927
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School Physician

Geo. V. Higgins, M. D.

Resignations

HIGH SCHOOL

Frederick Chapin	Ellen Pierson	Mildred H. Humphrey
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GRADE SCHOOLS

Mrs. Walter Burbank	Pauline Goss	Grace Gilgan
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UNIVERSITY EXTENSION COURSE

The following teachers have enrolled for the University Extension Course, "Progressive Tendencies in Education." This class will meet once a week in the rooms of Stetson High School, for a period of ten weeks be-

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ginning February 12, 1930. Classes will be under direction of Miss Dorothy M. Lyons of Salem Normal School.

Ethel S. Chatfield, Martha Foley, Bernice M. Francis, Dorothy M. Carney, Emmaline McGerrigle, Clara A. Tolman, Jane M. Lynch, Grace A. Murphy, Elizabeth T. Tierney, Rachael McMahan, Marie Cormey, Ellen McGerrigle, Ellen McLaughlin, Elizabeth C. MacDonald, Eleanor Condon, Vivian Pickett, Mary O'Brien, Florence E. Caples, Elizabeth G. Lyons, Margaret L. Donovan, Hannah F. Hoyer, Ann Tucker, Helen Toomey and Mrs. Carl Gove (parent).

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL Graduating Class 1929

Paul Daniel Anderson
Kathryn Charlotte Aylott
Alice Margaret Anglin
Alice Marie Ballantyne
Robert Joseph Bradley
George Frederick Collins
Hugh Emerson Clifford
John Hursell Crowell
Marion Alberta Dennis
Rose Kiernan Doyle
Mary Margaret Duffy
Helen Elden
Maybelle Viola Faunce
Joseph Roy Gavin
Bertha Pauline Gertzig
Constance Joline Grover
Arthur Bernard Haley
Nathan James Hoeg
Dorothy Frances Higgins
Herbert Lee Jenkins
Marjorie Kent
Vincent Owen Kiernan

Eva Agnes Lokitis
Frances Joseph Loughlin
Laura Louise Lutton
Joan Agnes McCoubrey
Henry Wales Merrill
Celia Agnes McFadden
Bernice Ellen Milberry
Louise Moore
Kathryn Elizabeth Mullen
Alfred Warren Nelson
Hildur Julia Nilsen
Claire Jay Powers
Isabel Allegra Philbrook
Mary Patricia Purcell
Alfred Myrick Powers
Clifford Hamilton Shea
Helen Christine Shepard
Violet Elizabeth Stalliday
Gertrude Eva Taylor
Robert John Teed
Robert George Thibault
Lillian Louise Yates

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM

MARCH at piano Dorothy Higgins
Marshal, Cecilia McFadden
SALUTE TO THE FLAG Led by Marjorie Kent

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INVOCATION Rev. Michael F. Madden

CHORUS "Peggy"—Ralph Cox Boys' Glee Club

CLASS HISTORY Lillian Yates

DEBATE Resolved: That Immigration into the
United States should be
further restricted

In Chair Constance Grover

Affirmative Alice Anglin

Negative Mary Purcell

CHORUS "The Cheery Lights of Home"—Nevin
Boys and Girls

RECITATION Rose K. Doyle

SCENE "In Honor Bound" Characters

Sir George Carlyon Clifford H. Shea

Philip Graham Arthur P. Haley

Lady Carlyon Bernice E. Milberry

Rose Dalrymple Claire J. Powers

SOLO "High School Days" Arthur P. Haley

CLASS GIFT

In Chair Isabel Philbrook

The Mayflower Paul Anderson

Old Ironsides Hugh E. Clifford

The Ranger Vincent Kiernan

WELCOME FROM ALUMNI Pres. Joseph T. Leahy

RESPONSE Joseph Roy Gavin, Pres. 1929

VIOLIN SOLO "Souvenir de Leubeck" Isabel Philbrook

CHORUS "Butterfly, Butterfly" Girls' Glee Club

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS AND MEDALS

Principal Frederick E. Chapin

"AMERICA" School and Audience

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GRADUATES

Stetson Junior High School

June 14, 1929

Francis Paul Archer
Henry Arthur Anderson
Edwin Lee Burchell
Edward George Conley
David Daniel Doyle
David Joseph Fitzgerald
John William Hart
George Card Knights
Raymond Joseph McGrory
John Robert Mellon
Tony Pignatelli
John Richard Simmons
Howard Alden Young
Walter Prince Morse
Frederick Allan Walker
Anna Margaret Allen
Agnes Josephine Brennan
Lora Maud Cahoon
Hazel Beth Clifford
Edith Frances Cohen
Marie Elizabeth Collins
Anna Catherine Condon
Lena Mary Ferraro
Isabel Clare Gaynor
Elizabeth Charlotte Gray
Lillian Pearl Henker
Ruth Agnes Keith
Mary Kathryn Kelleher
Virginia Rose Kelleher
Florence Hunt Nickerson
Olive Rebecca Nickerson
Marion Edna Sears
Mary Clare Sullivan
Helen Theresa Doonan

8B

Albert Edward Brown
Roy Allister Conrad
John Joseph Dempsey
Thomas Joseph Hamel
Richard Albert Heger
Arthur Everett Hoeg
Michael George Kakshtis
Arnold Francis Little
Charles Edgerly MacCannell
George Weston Mann
Paul Vincent McDermott
Robert Joseph McEntee
John Henry Pace

Handley Sabeau Quinn
Howard William Robbins
Leroy Milton Stewart
Alfred Beatty Willis
Edward Daniel Willis
Orrin Benjamin White
Eileen Anderson
Gertrude Theresa Buckley
Louise Margaret Carroll
Ida Mae Cameron
Mary Kevan Derocher
Edna Margaret Handrahan
Hildagarde Virginia Hiller
Bertha Elizabeth Kakshtis
Helen Josephine McCarthy
June Greenleaf McDonald
Muriel Eleanor Quinn
Barbara Ellen Teed
Bernice Marie Wilbur
Biondina Mary Ricci
Maizie Veronica Williams

8C

Earl David Anderson
Thomas Albert Anderson
Joseph Harold Boyd
George Ambrose Brewster
Alfred Kendall Farmer
John Joseph Handrahan
Kenneth Robertson Harris
Walter Hetherington
Eric Peter Hylan
John Joseph Jablonski
Bernard Joseph McAuley
Gregory John Malloy
Ralph Irwin Mann
Geoffrey Lawrence Marconi
Herbert Stewart Maxwell
Marshall Hugh George Roth
Thomas John Sedote
Joseph Herbert Taylor
Ralph Joseph Burns
Robert Edward Burns
Mary Frances Casey
Laura Maud Cavanaugh
Caroline Catherine DeAngelis
Winnifred Veronica Joan
Downes

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Mary Helen Doyle
Elizabeth Esposito
Moniria Isabell Farmer
Catherine Harriet Veronica
 Handrahan
Grace Ann Harris
Barbara Teresa Heney
Catherine Mary Rose Morrissey

Mary Ann Morrissey
Helen Wilhemina Julia Russell
Mildred Marguerite Stewart
Stella Maria Untersee
Katherine Metta Zielfelder
Hazel Almeda Zwicker
Dorothy Helen Carmichael
Catherine Mary Girtzig

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF HIGH SCHOOL

January 1, 1930

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,
Superintendent of Schools:

In submitting my report as Principal of the Stetson High School for the past ten weeks, I feel that I should confine it to the changes which have been made during this short period, together with a few conditions that should be remedied as soon as possible.

The practice of placing study pupils in recitation rooms has proved harmful to the pupil's efficiency. In order to provide each student with an atmosphere where undisturbed concentration upon his task is possible. Room 27 has been made into a study room to which nearly all study pupils who were formerly in recitation rooms have been assigned. It is impossible to provide in this way for all, as we have neither room enough to accommodate them nor teachers enough to supervise them.

The shifting of study pupils from recitation rooms likewise increases the efficiency of the teacher. As a result of this new arrangement one of our older teachers who has been endeavoring to instruct a class of thirty pupils with another class of thirty-five attempting to study in the back of the same room, has now been given an opportunity of uninterrupted teaching.

The schedule of courses offered has been changed so as to satisfy the immediate needs of the pupils, and

yet so as to allow us to meet the standards offered by other schools much larger than ours.

Our Academic Curriculum has been organized to meet the entrance requirements of all colleges.

Our Commercial Curriculum now offers Business English and French, which, with the subjects already given, will meet the entrance requirements of business colleges offering secretarial courses.

The Bookkeeping course in the senior year is now given two periods a day instead of one, and no longer requires home work. This change should bring the pupils nearer actual office working conditions, and makes possible the completion of all work under the supervision of the teacher. Commercial Arithmetic and Commercial Geography have been interchanged so that the arithmetic shall immediately precede the work in bookkeeping and the geography shall directly follow the geography in the junior high school.

The General Curriculum is no longer the dumping ground for the other two curricula. It has been organized to meet the entrance requirements of all normal schools and of colleges not requiring three or four years of Latin.

In every curriculum a student must obtain passing grades in sixteen units of prepared work before he shall be entitled to a diploma. A unit means five recitation periods each week of prepared work in one study for one school year. No credit will be given for any part of a unit if the work of the entire course is not completed satisfactorily.

Clean athletics are being encouraged as part of our physical program. Each pupil participating in an athletic contest must meet the following requirements:

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1. Pass a physical examination.
2. Co-operate with teachers and behave well in school.
3. Do passing work in all scholastic subjects. (The Principal, in conference with the Coach reserves the right to bar a student whose work is barely passing or to use a student failing in one subject only, since such procedure is sanctioned by eligibility rules of the School Masters' Association.)
4. Be regularly enrolled in this school for one complete term immediately preceding the contest. The work done during this term must be of satisfactory grade.

Our present assembly program calls for at least one assemble a month, and usually for two. One of these assemblies is to be used for community singing or for music appreciation. The other is to be used for a suitable speaker or program. We hope that these assemblies will be inspirational as well as educational in nature.

The ventilating fan, which has not been used for some time, is now running regularly as prescribed by law. This system forces fresh air into each classroom and distributes the heat throughout the building. It is working so well that with suggested minor repairs and adjustments, we should have no difficulty in heating rooms which were formerly considered impossible to heat.

The Principal's office is being reorganized, with the hope that a new card filing system may be introduced, together with several needed office machines. Our latest addition is a Ditto duplicating machine by the aid of which many teachers have been able to prepare supplementary material for their classes. This machine should pay for itself in a very short time.

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In concluding this report, I should like to call your attention to the four following conditions which should be remedied as soon as possible:

1. Several of our departments are hampered in their work by lack of proper equipment. This is especially true in the science department, where there are practically no materials for work in physics. Without proper equipment we cannot hope for satisfactory preparation of our students for later competition with others.
2. The school library is largely a collection of books salvaged from the fire that destroyed part of the school building several years ago. They are not in fit condition to be used by either teachers or students.
3. The building is so crowded at present that we have to use the lunchroom and the library for classes. Teachers' programs are likewise crowded because of a shortage of teachers. These two conditions reduce the efficiency of our teaching force and the quality of teaching.
4. The salaries of our teachers are decidedly below those paid by our neighboring towns and cities. With these low salaries we cannot hope to obtain good teachers and keep them. If the salaries are not raised to a level with those of other towns, we shall remain a teacher training school for those who will pay higher. We cannot hope to train both teachers and pupils efficiently at the same time.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT W. BARCLAY.

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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,
Superintendent of Schools:

The following is a tabulated record of my work during the year 1929:

All pupils have been weighed and measured.

Pupils found underweight, 92.

Underweight children re-examined and X-rayed, 16.

School room visits, 1,255.

Number of home calls, 650.

Girls sent to Summer Camp, Braintree, 2.

Boys sent to Summer Camp, Braintree, 1.

Pupils taken to Braintree Hospital for X-ray, 2.

Cases of Pedercolosis, 15.

Cases of Impetigo, 30.

Intelligence Clinic, pupils examined, 4.

Pupils taken to Wrentham for examination, 3.

Pupils taken to Mass. Gen. Hospital for examination, 3.

Pupils sent to Dr. Higgins for examination, 185.

A very successful Health Day for all children was observed last June. Late in the afternoon a Health Picture was shown in the Town Hall.

I wish to thank the Ladies' Library Association for the use of their rooms as a school clinic and for the many kindnesses shown me in my work.

Money to purchase milk for needy children has been donated by the Red Cross and private citizens.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSICA MITCHELL,

School Nurse.

REPORT OF THE DRAWING SUPERVISOR

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,
Superintendent of Schools:

I am herewith submitting my report as Art Supervisor in the Town of Randolph.

During the past school year, a definite and practical method of approach to the study and appreciation of art has been followed.

To every teacher in Grades I-VIII inclusive, printed outlines are issued consisting of drawing lessons planned to cover periods of four weeks.

It is true, a large percentage of pupils do not expect to be artists, but by studying color, their enjoyment of color in nature and art will be enlightened; through design their sense of order, balance and beauty will attain a greater breadth of understanding; through construction work their mechanical and mathematical skill will be increased; and through the drawing of illustration and compositions, their imagination will be quickened and originality given a new impetus.

In those branches of vocational education which deal with industry, mechanical drawing is the means of showing the plan of construction or the method of assembling constructed parts. Consequently, abstract problems have been eliminated except in so far as they relate directly to practical problems. Problems progress in the order of their difficulty from orthographic production, through auxiliary and sectional views, to isometric projection, machine and architectural drawing. It is an aid in the study and later use of engineering knowledge that mechanical drafting finds its place.

I would suggest that extra curricula activities in art

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be encouraged in the schools and that drawing contests be fostered. Several awards have been made to high school pupils from the judges of the Massachusetts Humane Society and the winning posters exhibited in the Boston Public Library.

For your co-operation and interest and that of all the teachers may I express my cordial thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

EILEEN V. DOWD,
Supervisor of Drawing.

REPORT OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,
Superintendent of Schools:

Music is progressing very favorably.

A class in Music Appreciation has been organized in the high school. It is hoped that by offering a selection of good music and interpretations that much can be done to instil the love and enjoyment of music of lasting quality and beautiful harmony.

There is also a marked interest in band music. A plan is under way whereby with the help and co-operation of parents a school band will be organized. It is not enough to raise money for the purchase of instruments but children who wish to become members of the band must be urged by parents to take instruction in the use of the instrument selected. A school band would add greatly to our music interest and give to the children of Randolph an opportunity in this field of music now commonly found in school systems everywhere.

Respectfully submitted,

ROSE G. HAND,
Supervisor of Music.

REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

To the School Committee of Randolph, Mass.:
Gentlemen:

My report for the year 1929 will not necessitate one of any great length, but to my mind it is one which should be most satisfactory and encouraging to all parents.

No closing of schools or losing of school sessions were necessary. This alone shows us that we were free from all school epidemics.

I have not known of one case, however slight it may have appeared, to be overlooked and each one was carefully followed up and reported to me.

We still have on record and probably always will have a certain few cases of Impetigo-Contagiosa, and Perdiculosis. This is not alarming and by watchful care has been kept under control.

Each child whose weight and physical condition was not up to normal has been carefully watched and a follow-up record of them kept even through vacation months. Upon re-examination of these cases good results have been noted.

During the school year 185 children were sent to me for special examinations at my office.

Again this year I ask the parents to work in co-operation with the school nurse and teachers regarding the health of your children.

Fresh air—good food—exercise—rest. These are the first and most essential things to be thought of for your boy and girl. These alone assure health and with-

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out health your child cannot carry on his or her school work.

I take this opportunity to thank the Board of Health, our Superintendent, Teachers and School Nurse, for their hearty support during the past year.

Respectfully yours,

GEO. V. HIGGINS, M. D.

Report of the Trustees of the Turner Free Library

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Frank W. Belcher	Treasurer
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Mrs. Alice M. T. Beach	Harold F. Howard
Asa P. French	Frank C. Granger*
Frank N. French	Mrs. Helen W. Pratt
Herman W. French	Albert C. Wilde

* Deceased Dec. 22, 1929

PUBLIC LIBRARY

To the Citizens of Randolph:

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 3 of the By-laws of the Turner Free Library this, the fifty-fourth annual report is submitted, showing the condition of the trust, consisting of the building, library and funds, together with the reports of the Librarian and Treasurer and so much of the reports submitted to the Trustees by the various committees as seems of general interest.

The Library Committee reports that the books, charts and furnishings are in good condition. All books belonging to the library were accounted for by the Librarian.

The Building Committee reports that a substantial

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amount of work has been done upon the building including the caulking of the window frames and the installation of new front windows in the store premises in the south side to make them correspond with those in the north side. So far as can be ascertained, at present the building and roof are weather-tight, but repairs to the interior including the re-decorating of the entrance hall and other rooms are badly needed. An appropriation of \$500.00 is requested for interior repairs, including re-decorating, and for such exterior repairs as may from time to time be necessary.

The Ethelwyn M. C. Cox Fund has continued to demonstrate a high degree of value and usefulness.

The Librarian's report shows more books and magazines loaned than during the preceding year, and an increase both in the use of the Library by the pupils of the schools in connection with their work, and in the interest shown by the younger children, all of which are gratifying.

The Trustees take this opportunity again to express their appreciation of the excellent and loyal manner in which Miss Sarah C. Belcher, the Librarian, and Miss Eunice L. Belcher, the Assistant Librarian, have carried on the work of the library.

The report of the Librarian showing in detail the doings, management and results of the various departments of the Library, the report of the Treasurer showing the investment of the funds and the receipts and expenditures of the Library, and the report of the Finance Committee are hereunto subjoined.

Respectfully submitted,

SETH T. CRAWFORD,
President, Board of Trustees.

Randolph, Mass., January 2, 1930.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

I have the honor to submit the annual report of the Turner Free Library for the year ending December 31, 1929.

The Library has been open to the public three hundred and four days. Twenty-six thousand, two hundred and five books have been loaned, also two hundred and fifty unbound magazines. Two hundred and eleven books have been added during the year, making a total of thirty-one thousand, four hundred and seventy-five.

The number of pupils using the library for reference work increases each year.

We need more books for the younger children. Those added this last year have been read over and over. We hope to accomplish this soon.

The Librarian wishes to thank her able assistant and the Trustees for their interest and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH C. BELCHER,

Librarian.

January 2, 1930.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

In compliance with the requirements of the By-laws, I hereby submit the annual report of the Treasurer of the Turner Free Library:

Income Receipts

Turner Fund Income	\$540.91
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R. W. Turner Fund Income	1,127.78
Boston Elevated Ry. Bonds Income	225.00
Wm. H. Morgan, rent and heat	400.00
Fines and collections	127.11
Randolph Savings Bank, interest	14.81
Randolph Trust Co., Savs. acct. int.	30.73
Randolph Trust Company—Checking int.	1.64
R. W. Turner Fund, reimburse int.	8.15
Turner Fund, reimburse int.	19.17
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	\$2,495.30
Balance income cash on hand Jan. 1, 1929, on deposit in Randolph Trust Co. and Ran- dolph Savings Bank	 <hr/>
	1,196.38
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	\$3,691.68

Disbursements Account Income

Books	\$447.79
Periodicals	102.25
Re-binding books	40.80
Librarian, salary	600.00
Assistant Librarian, salary	300.00
Extra help	10.80
Janitor, salary	300.00
Electric light and lamps	109.25
Safe Deposit Box, rent	10.00
Repairs	72.00
Fuel	301.35
Printing	48.50
Supplies	5.53
Sundries	35.11
R. W. Turner Fund, interest to be reimbursed	12.50
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	\$2,395.88

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Balance income cash on hand, January 1, 1930, on deposit in Randolph Trust Co. and Randolph Savings Bank	1,295.80
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	\$3,691.68

The Turner Fund Is Invested In:

1 N. Y. Central & Hudson River R. R. Co.		
Bond, 4%-1934	Par	Book
1 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bond 4%-1956	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
2 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bonds 5%-1956	1,000.00	1,000.00
3 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bonds 5%-1956	2,000.00	2,000.00
3 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bonds 5%-1956	300.00	300.00
3 Union Pacific R. R. Co. Bonds 4%-1947	1,500.00	1,500.00
1 Western Tel. & Tel. Co. Bond 5%-1932	1,000.00	1,000.00
1 Western Tel. & Tel. Co. Bond 5%-1932	1,000.00	1,008.76
10 shares of Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y. Stock 5%	1,000.00	902.16
10 shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y. stock	No par value	
33 shares Union Pacific R. R. Co. stock 4%	3,300.00	3,300.00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank		308.56
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		\$12,319.48

The Royal W. Turner Fund Is Invested In:

3 Philadelphia Co. Bonds 5%-1967	\$3,000.00	\$2,946.00
2 Indianapolis Power & Light Co. Bonds 5%-1957	2,000.00	1,924.00
2 Brooklyn Manhattan Transit Co. Bonds 6%-1968	2,000.00	1872.50
2 Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific R. R. Bonds, 4%-1934	2,000.00	1,799.27
5 New York Tel. Co. Bonds 4½%-1939	5,000.00	5,000.00
2 Rio Grande Western R. R. Co. Bonds, 4%-1949	2,000.00	1596.01
20 shares California Packing Corp. stock 4%	no par val.	1,247.32
10 shares Illinois Central R. R. Co. stock 7%	1,000.00	1,162.74
10 shares N. Y. Central R. R. Co. stock 7%	1,000.00	1,205.66

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10 shares Southern Railway Co. stock		
7%	1,000.00	1,067.41
2 shares N. Y. Central R. R. Co. stock	7%	200.00
2 shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y.		
stock, 5%	no par val.	150.00
2 shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y.		
stock, 5%	no par val.	
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank		491.34
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		\$20,662.25

The Remaining Funds Are Invested In:

5 Boston Elevated Railway Bonds,		
4½ % - 1937	5,000.00	5,000.00

Royal W. Turner Fund PRINCIPAL FUND RECEIPTS

5 Bonds American Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$5,000.00
Rights—Consolidated Gas Co.	28.89
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	\$5,028.89

PRINCIPAL FUND PAYMENTS

3 Bonds Philadelphia Co.	\$2,946.00
2 Bonds Indianapolis Power & Light Co.	1,924.00
Deposited in Randolph Savings Bank	158.89
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	\$5,028.89

Turner Fund PRINCIPAL FUND RECEIPTS

Rights—Consolidated Gas Co.	\$144.48
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PRINCIPAL FUND PAYMENTS

Deposited in Randolph Savings Bank	\$144.48
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Respectfully submitted,

FRANK W. BELCHER,

Treasurer.

January 2, 1930.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Ran-

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

dolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the Turner Free Library and find same correct, with proper vouchers for all expenses, and have examined the securities and verified cash balances and find same correct, as per statement.

JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON.

Randolph, Mass.

Norfolk, ss.

January 31, 1930.

Subscribed and sworn to before me.

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

Your committee on Finance submits the following report:

The committee has audited the accounts of the Treasurer for the year 1929, and found them correct. All moneys received have been duly accounted for, and no moneys have been paid out except upon vouchers properly approved.

The committee has examined, also, the securities representing the investments of the funds of the Library, and has found them to be intact, and as represented.

The following changes in the investment of the funds have been made during the year:

Royal W. Turner Fund

American Tel. & Tel. Co.—5 bonds matured	\$5,000.00
Purchased 3 bonds Philadelphia Co.	2,946.00

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Purchased 2 bonds Indianapolis Light & Power Company	1,924.00
Deposited in Randolph Savings Bank	130.00

\$5,000.00

ASA P. FRENCH,
Chairman.

January 2, 1930.

Report of Collector of Taxes

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR FOR 1927

Uncollected Taxes Jan. 1, 1929	\$13,470.11	
Interest collected for 1929	1,031.31	
	<hr/>	\$14,501.42
Taxes collected for 1929	\$10,260.68	
Abatements for 1929	1,472.30	
Interest collected for 1929	1,031.31	
Tax Title credits for 1929	1,220.52	
Uncollected Taxes, Jan. 1, 1930	516.61	
	<hr/>	\$14,501.42

Respectfully submitted,

ROGER T. PERKINS,
Collector for 1927.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR FOR THE YEAR 1929

To the Citizens of the Town of Randolph:

Below you will find my annual report of levies committed to me, also reports of your Auditors.

Randolph, January 27, 1930.

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 23, 1930.

Levy 1922

Dr.

December 31, 1929:

By Taxes Uncollected	\$86.84	
By Interest Collected	1.25	
	<hr/>	\$88.09

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December 31:

By Tax Titles	\$83.50	
By Taxes Paid Treasurer	3.34	
By Interest Paid Treasurer	1.25	
	—————	\$88.09

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 23, 1930.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day audited the accounts of the Tax Collector of the Town of Randolph for the year 1922, and find the same correct as per above statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,

Auditors.

Norfolk, ss.

January 27, 1930.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 23, 1930.

Levy 1923

Cr.

December 31, 1928:

Overpayment by Tax Collector	\$6.63
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December 31, 1929:

By abatements from Assessors'		
during year 1929	\$96.17	
By Tax Titles	16.30	
By Credit balance due Collector	—————	\$119.10

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 23, 1930.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Ran-

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

dolph, have this day examined the records of the Tax Collector and find them correct as per above statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors.

Norfolk, ss.

January 27, 1930.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 23, 1930.

Levy 1924

Dr.

December 31, 1929:

By Taxes Uncollected	\$169.43
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Cr.

December 31, 1929:

By abatements from Assessors'	
during year 1929	\$334.00
By Tax Titles	167.56
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	\$501.56

December 31, 1929:

Credit Balance due Tax Collector	\$332.13
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Randolph, Mass., Jan. 23, 1930.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1924, and find same correct as per above statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors.

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Norfolk, ss.

January 27, 1930.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,

Notary Public.

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 23, 1930.

Dr.

Levy 1925

December 31, 1929:

By Taxes Uncollected	\$1,703.83	
By Interest Collected	26.80	
	_____	\$1,730.63

Cr.

December 31, 1929:

By Taxes paid Treasurer	\$400.29	
By Abatements	1,218.56	
By Tax Titles	105.86	
By Credit of errors of previous year	22.00	
By Interest paid Treasurer	26.80	
	_____	\$1,773.51

January 1, 1930:

Credit Balance due Tax Collector	\$42.88
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Randolph, Mass., Jan. 23, 1930.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1925, and find same correct as per above statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,

JAMES V. DONOVAN,

RAYMOND L. MASON,

Auditors.

Norfolk, ss.

January 27, 1930.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,

Notary Public.

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Levy 1926

Randolph, Mass., January 20, 1930.

Dr.

December 31, 1929:

By Taxes Uncollected	\$3,116.26	
By Interest Collected	151.08	
	<hr/>	\$3,267.34

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December 31, 1929:

By Taxes paid Treasurer	\$808.26	
By Abatements	1,116.00	
By Tax Titles	211.20	
By Interest paid Treasurer	151.08	
By Taxes Uncollected	980.80	
	<hr/>	\$3,267.34

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1926, and find same correct as per above statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON.

Auditors.

Norfolk, ss.

January 27, 1930.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

Randolph, Mass., January 20, 1930.

Levy 1928

Dr.

December 31, 1929:

By Taxes Uncollected	\$85,155.99	
By Interest Collected	1,759.27	
	<hr/>	\$86,915.26

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December 31, 1929:

By Taxes paid Treasurer	\$63,942.61	
By Abatements	2,677.84	
By Tax Titles	762.75	
By Interest paid Treasurer	1,759.27	
By Taxes Uncollected	17,772.79	
	<hr/>	\$86,915.26

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1928 and find same correct as per above statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
Auditors.

Norfolk, ss.

January 27, 1930.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 21, 1930.

1929 Levy

Dr.

December 31, 1929:

Levy 1929	\$193,288.84	
Interest Collected	181.22	
	<hr/>	\$193,470.06

Cr.

December 31, 1929:

By Taxes paid Treasurer	\$116,378.86	
By Abatements	2,646.19	
By Tax Titles	656.26	
By Interest paid Treasurer	181.22	
By Taxes Uncollected	73,607.53	
	<hr/>	\$193,470.06

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1929, and find same correct as per above statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,

Auditors.

Norfolk, ss.

January 27, 1930.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,

Notary Public.

I wish to thank you all sincerely for your hearty co-operation, without which, I would have been unable to make this remarkable showing in this annual report.

Believe me.

I am still your friend,

WALTER H. LYONS,

Collector of Taxes.

Elected twelve consecutive years.

Report of the Board of Health

The following cases of contagious disease were reported to the Board during the year 1929:

Measles	9
Scarlet Fever	22
Mumps	18
Diphtheria	5
Influenza (with one death)	55
Tuberculosis (with three deaths)	15

During the past year many complaints were received from residents of Mill Street, relative to the dump situated there.

Upon investigation it was found that rubbish, garbage and other objectional matter was being dumped on the sidewalk and in the street, causing not only a nuisance, but a menace to the health of those living in the vicinity. This site has been closed as a public dump.

Owing to the greater part of the town being on the water shed of the water supply of the towns of Randolph, Holbrook and Braintree, a site for a public dump was not readily available, however, we have an offer of a location for a dump off Lafayette street for the sum of \$250. a year, including the care of same, and we recommend that money be raised and appropriated for this purpose.

In the absence of an elected Board of Health, the Selectmen have been acting in this capacity. We feel that there is a great need of a physician on this Board and we recommend the acceptance of Sec. 1 of Chap. 41 which provides for the election of a Board of Health (for a three-year term) one of which shall be a physician.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD W. MACAULEY,
WALTER F. STEPHENS,
JAMES H. HURLEY,

Board of Health.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF MILK

Board of Health,
Randolph, Mass.
Gentlemen:

My report for the year ending December 31, 1929, is given below. The premises of all dealers were duly inspected and conditions were found to be satisfactory at the time of issuance of licenses.

Milk licenses issued	59
Oleomargarin licenses issued	9

The total receipts from license fees were \$34, divided as follows:

Milk licenses	\$29.50
Oleomargarin licenses	4.50

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM MAHADY,
Inspector of Milk.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 20, 1930.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

During the year ending December 31, 1929 the following animals were inspected:

Cattle	248
Swine	1,049
Goats	12

And 88 stables housing these animals were inspected. Improvements being recommended in 18.

Twenty-one rabid dog cases were also handled by this department.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. TRUELSON,
Inspector of Animals.

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REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

Randolph, Jan. 6, 1930.

To the Board of Selectmen,
Randolph, Mass.

During the year 1929 the carcasses of the following animals were examined:

Swine	147
Sheep	4
Cows	7
Calves	14

Three swine and one cow were condemned for tuberculosis, one liver condemned.

Respectfully submitted,

W. A. CLARK,

Inspector of Slaughtering.

Report of Police Department

To the Board of Selectmen,
Gentlemen:

I herewith submit report of the work done by the Police Department of the Town of Randolph for the year ending December 31, 1929.

Calls answered and investigations made	1,388
* Summons served	152
Cases settled out of Court	70
* Arrests	272
Arraignment in Court	269
Bound over to Grand Jury	7
Pending in District Court	1
Found guilty in District Court	243
Appealed to Superior Court	4
† Found guilty in Superior Court	16
Pending in Superior Court	0
Acquitted	4
Placed on file	56
Placed on Probation	62
Fined	118
Committed to House of Correction	16
Committed to Sherborn	1
Committed to Shirley Industrial School for Boys	2
Committed to Lancaster Industrial School for Girls	1
Committed to Concord Reformatory	1
Committed to State Hospital, Munson	1

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Stolen property recovered	\$5,396.50
Net returns paid to Town Treasurer from fines over and above expenses of prosecution	\$525.20

Respectfully submitted,

PATRICK F. McDONNELL,

Chief of Police.

* Some arrests and summons were served for out of town police.

† Includes 7 cases bound over to the Grand Jury, all of which were convicted in Superior Court.

Report of the Board of Selectmen

Your Board of Selectmen deem it unnecessary to present any lengthy report. The reports of the different departments present in detail the various activities of the Town officials and the manner in which the affairs of the town have been administered.

A spirit of harmony and co-operation conduces in a marked degree to the welfare and progress of any community. Such a spirit has been manifest not only in the Board of Selectmen but in all departments of the town. We feel that it has been a year of real progress and constructive activity.

WALTER F. STEPHENS,
HAROLD W. MACAULEY,
JAMES H. HURLEY,
Selectmen.

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Report of the Sealer of Weights and Measures

To the Board of Selectmen,
Randolph, Mass.

Gentlemen:

During the year 1929 I have sealed:

Scales	116
Weights	172
Liquid Measures	283
Gasolene Pumps	77
Kerosene Pumps	4
Molasses Pumps	2
Yard Sticks	5

There were re-sealed and tested:

Gasolene Pumps	10
Scales	12

Inspections made:

Pedlars' license	6
Pedlars' scales	6

Fees collected and turned over to the Town

Treasurer		\$80.81
Equipment purchases	\$18.52	
Expenses	6.48	
Salary of Sealer	150.00	
	<hr/>	\$175.00
Appropriation		\$175.00

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL P. LYONS,
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Jury List

AS APPROVED BY THE SELECTMEN

Allen, Charles E., North Main St.	Carpenter
Baker, Arthur C., Roel St.	Clerk
Brown, Linwood G., North Main St.	Carpenter
Burchell, Elmer L., Fairmount St.	Accountant
Beers, Edgar F., Union St.	Salesman
Campbell, Henry, North Main St.	Painter
Carpenter, Thomas H., North Street	Retired
Condon, Frank M., Union St.	Shoeworker
Corliss, Ralph K., South Main St.	Retired
Cain, Patrick, Howard St.	Clerk
Daly, Jeremiah T., North St.	Shoeworker
Diauto, Fred, Warren St.	Coal Dealer
Dixon, George H., North Main St.	Salesman
Driscoll, Frederick J., North Main St.	Builder
Fardy, James, North St.	Retired
Foley, James E., Cottage St.	Retired
Forrest, Richard F., North Main St.	Superintendent
Flynn, Patrick J., South Main St.	Caretaker
Gabel, C. William, Canton St.	Caterer
Goeres, Louis B., South Main St.	Retired
Good, David J., Mill St.	Retired
Hanley, John P., Ward St.	Carpenter
Harris, Frederick B., South Main St.	Retired
Hickey, Everett M., High St.	Retired
Hunter, James, Chestnut St.	Retired
Hurley, James H., North Main St.	Real Estate Dealer
Hubbard, William D., South Main St.	Caterer
Kiernan, Thomas F., North St.	Shoeworker
Kiley, John, Liberty St.	Shoeworker
Leavitt, William H., Main St.	Accountant

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Lynch, James, North St.	Street Superintendent
Lyons, Arthur H., Mt. Pleasant Square	Salesman
Lyons, C. Fred, Wales Avenue	Retired
Mahoney, William H., West Street	Shoeworker
Madden, J., Hilgarde St.	Paper Hanger
Mayo, George M., Union St.	Machinist
Merrill, Carl B., Norfolk Rd.	Salesman
McMahon, Joseph J., South St.	Retired
McMahon, Joseph H., South St.	Salesman
Mann, Weston L., Oak St.	Farmer
Morgan, Henry V., Warren St.	Insurance
Moyle, John, West St.	Florist
Mullen, James A., Union St.	Retired
Murphy, Edward F., Short St.	Shoeworker
O'Brien, Thomas S., South St.	Shoeworker
McAuliffe, Robert T., Union St.	Merchant
Potash, Louis J., Canton St.	Builder
Sawyer, George F., Liberty St.	Shoeworker
Schultz, Frederick W., Hall St.	Musical Supplies
Shepard, William H., Warren St.	Shoeworker
Smith, Norman, High St.	Fireman
Sullivan, Eugene A., South Main St.	Shoeworker
Sullivan, George A., Maple St.	Shoeworker
Thompson, Percy H., North Main St.	Salesman
Trofatter, Fred, Pond St.	Carpenter
Truelson, Charles H., Chestnut St.	Farmer
Walsh, Albert E., North Main St.	Builder
Wilbur, Herbert C., North Main St.	Machinist
Yates, Robert A., North Main St.	Builder

Report of the Tree Warden

To the Voters of the Town of Randolph:

The public shade trees of a community are an asset and ornament to the lovers of nature. What is more beautiful than to ride along the highways lined with stately trees.

Last year 17 new trees were planted and six removed. Much work can be done on our shade trees as conditions existing the present day are harmful to them. Many of them are starving on account of the new highways being built all over the country. Much work can be done in pruning, cavity filling and fertilizing to keep these healthy.

A drive has been launched by the Massachusetts Forestry Association to celebrate the tercentenary of the founding of the Massachusetts Bay Colony, to plant shade trees all over the State.

Many towns are starting nurseries of their own as the price of trees have advanced in the past few years.

Let us all get together and let our motto be:

“Plan to plant another tree.”

J. T. MOORE,
Tree Warden.

Report of the Moth Superintendent

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The moth situation in this town for the year ending December 31, 1929 is as favorable as can be expected with the money appropriated.

The elm beetle appeared again last year making quite a little headway and many elms were stripped. The tent caterpillar is still with us and should be held in check. The money appropriated is not sufficient to control the gypsy moth situation alone and unless some definite action is taken, we will become so infested with these pests that it will require a great deal more time and money to control it at a later date.

The spraying machine will have to be overhauled this year and more material purchased.

To you voters who know the danger and damage these insects will do, I ask do we not need more attention to this work and in order to do this we must have a larger appropriation.

J. T. MOORE,

Local Moth Supt.

Report of Trustees of Stetson School Fund

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 27, 1930

The Trustees, in Account With the Stetson School Fund

Paid Out

Harold Bailey	\$25.80
Randolph & Holbrook Electric Light Co.	177.83
Charles Kiley	5.00
Jesse Beale	5.00
Joseph Belcher	5.00
Geo. V. Higgins	6.00
M. F. Ellis	12.50
John Boyle	20.50
R. E. O'Brien	69.70
Frank Teed	36.60
Morgan Hardware Co.	4.26
C. M. Warner	4.50
Randolph Trust Co.	3.00
Timothy Kelleher	248.00
George Diaute	35.00
Sager Electric Co.	13.31
Brockton Gas Light Co.	30.88
American Flag Pole Co.	45.00
Sentry Sales Co.	14.00
Frank Diauto	244.20
John B. McNeill (Teachers Salaries in part)	400.00
Deposited in Randolph Trust, Sav- ings Dept.	9,099.19

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Paid Town of Randolph, Repairs		
on Hall	2,200.00	
Balance	621.69	
Total	<u> </u>	\$13,326.96

The Trustees, in Account With the Stetson School Fund

Income

Balance, 1928	\$207.93	
Hall Rent (1929)	1,223.50	
Lawrence Gas, Interest	20.40	
G. A. R., Rent of Room	10.00	
Webster & Atlas Bank, Interest	88.00	
Randolph Co-operative Bank, Interest	110.00	
American Tel. & Tel. Co., Interest	360.00	
Received from sale of:		
9 American Tel. & Tel Bonds	9,000.00	
2 United States Liberty Bonds	2,000.00	
Savings Bank Deposit, withdrawal	200.00	
Interest on Checking Account	7.94	
Interest on Savings Account	99.19	
Total	<u> </u>	\$13,326.96

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 27, 1930.

January, 1930—Balance	\$621.69
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The undersigned have this day examined the accounts of the Secretary of the Stetson School Fund and find same to be correct with proper vouchers for all orders drawn.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
Auditors.

Report of the Highway Surveyor

To the Citizens of Randolph:

I herewith present my report for 1929. We accomplished the usual spring repairs which are necessary each year.

The cost of maintenance of the highway department is increasing every year. Five years ago there was an area of about two miles of tarvia roads within the town. At the present time we have about 15 to 16 miles of tarvia roads, which must be maintained. The cost of tarvia, sand and labor amounts to approximately 20 to 21 cents per gallon when spread on the road. In order to properly care for the tarvia roads which we now have, a light coating of tarvia should be spread each year.

I would recommend that a building be erected at the Town Farm to store the equipment of the highway department. This would also serve for storing sand and stone, as when these necessary materials are exposed to weather conditions, additional time and labor is necessary for drying them before they are fit to use. This of course, is a source of added expense, and could be overcome by having a place to store these materials.

I wish to thank the citizens for the co-operation they have given, and the assistance they have rendered when called upon.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES LYNCH,
Highway Surveyor.

1930 Town Meeting Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph, in
said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts
you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabi-
tants of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in elec-
tions therein, to meet at the polling places in their re-
spective precincts, to wit:

Polling Place in Precinct No. 1,
STETSON HALL, IN SAID TOWN

Polling Place in Precinct No. 2,
North Randolph Improvement Association Hall,
in said Town

On MONDAY, THE THIRD DAY OF MARCH, 1930,
at 5:45 o'clock in the forenoon

then and there to bring in to the Wardens of their re-
spective precincts their votes on the official ballot for a
Town Clerk for one Year, Town Treasurer for one year,
Moderator for one year, three Selectmen and Overseers
of Public Welfare for one year, one member of the School
Committee for three years, one member of the Stetson
School Fund for three years, one Collector of Taxes for
one year, one Assessor for three years, one Water Com-
missioner for three years, three Auditors for one year,

one Tree Warden for one year, one Highway Surveyor for one year and seven Constables for one year.

THE POLLS WILL BE OPENED AT FIVE FORTY-FIVE O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON AND WILL BE CLOSED AT TWO O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON.

You are further directed to notify and warn said inhabitants qualified to vote as aforesaid to meet at the Town Hall in said Randolph on Monday, the 24th day of March, 1930, at seven thirty P. M., then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1930, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article 2. To see if the Town will appoint the Selectmen to be the agents and attorneys of the Town, to prosecute, defend and compromise any and all suits in which the Town may in any manner be interested as a party or otherwise, except in so far as the same relate in any manner to the water supply, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Article 3. To see if the Town will authorize and appoint the Water Commissioners to be the agents and attorneys of the Town to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the Town may be interested as a party or otherwise, so far as the same in any manner relates to the preserving, taking and use of the waters of Great Pond, or to the

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construction of the water works, either jointly or separately, as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money to defray the general Town Expenses for the current year, under the following headings:

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Moderator,	Salary
Selectmen,	Salaries and Expenses
Auditors,	Salaries and Expenses
Accountant,	Salary and Expenses
Treasurer,	Salary and Expenses (including Treasurer's Bond)
Tax Collector,	Salary and Expenses (including Tax Collector's Bond)
Assessors,	Salaries and Expenses
Law Department,	Expenses
Finance Committee,	Expenses
Town Clerk,	Salary and Expenses
	Vital Statistics
Election and Registration,	Salaries and Expenses (including Registrars of Voters)
Town Office,	Expenses

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department,	Salaries and Expenses (including Traffic Signs and Beacons)
Fire Department,	Salaries, Expenses, Fire Alarm System and Equipment.
Forest Fires,	Salaries and Expenses
Sealer of Weights and	

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Measures,	Salary and Expenses
Moth Extermination,	Salary and Expenses
Tree Warden,	Salary and Expenses

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health Department,	Salaries and Expenses
Inspector of Animals,	Salary
Inspector of Milk,	Salary
Inspector of Slaughtering,	Salary
Dog Officer,	Salary
Health Nurse,	Salary

HIGHWAYS

Highway Surveyor's Salary
General Maintenance and Repairs
New Construction
Sidewalks, Etc.
Snow Removal
Street Lights
Street Signs

CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Overseers of Public Welfare, Salaries and Expenses
Infirmary, Salary and Expenses
Outside Relief, Expenses (including Poor out of Infirmary
and Mothers' Aid)
State Aid
Military Aid
Soldiers' Relief

SCHOOLS

Salaries and Expenses (including conveyance of pupils,
employment of School Nurse, etc.)

TURNER LIBRARY

Repairs

UNCLASSIFIED

Memorial Day, Expenses

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Armistice Day, Expenses

Care of Clock in First Congregational Church

Printing and Distributing Town Reports

Claims (Land Damages, etc.)

Insurance (Fire and Workmen's Compensation)

Other Items

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Water Department,

Maintenance

Service Construction

Joint Account

New Construction

Main Extensions

Acquiring Land

Other Items

MATURING DEBT AND INTEREST

Maturing Debt

Interest; General

Article 5. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money for the Reserve Fund for extraordinary or unforeseen emergencies as per section 6, Chapter 40, General Laws.

Article 6. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover unpaid bills of previous years in the following departments:

Tax Collector

Outside Relief

Water Department

School Department

Land Damage on Pond Street

Article 7. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$195.29 to cover the following overdrafts:

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Inspector of Animals, 1927	\$50.00
Inspector of Slaughtering, 1927	50.00
Outside Relief, 1929	95.29

Article 8. To hear and act on the reports of the Town Officers.

Article 9. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint a Special Officer or Officers to enforce the laws.

Article 10. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the pay of Town Laborers and others hired by the day or hour.

Article 11. To hear and act on the report of any committee, and choose any committee the Town may think proper.

Article 12. To see what action the Town will take in regard to raising and appropriating money for the employment of a District Nurse, as provided for by Sec. 5, Chap. 40, of the General Laws, as amended by Sec. 1, Chap. 371, Acts of 1921.

Article 13. To hear the report of the committee appointed to investigate school conditions, and act thereon.

Article 14. To see if the Town will petition the Legislature for permission to borrow outside the debt limit of the town, a sum not exceeding \$300,000.00 for the purpose of acquiring sites, constructing or repairing school buildings and for necessary school equipment.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding \$15,000 for the pur-

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pose of purchasing sites for school purposes and expenses incidental thereto.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the purpose of acquiring sites, constructing, or repairing school buildings, and for necessary equipment.

Article 17. To see what action the Town will take relative to transferring the "Special Fund" so called, to Lieutenant Thomas W. Desmond Post No. 169 for building purposes, or to make other disposition thereof.

Article 18. To see what action the Town will take relative to conveying to Lieutenant Thomas W. Desmond Post No. 169 of the American Legion, a parcel of land on South Main street, Randolph, Mass., bounded on the north by land of one Dunphy, and measuring about 70 by 200 feet. same being a portion of the present High School lot.

ACCEPTANCE OF STREETS

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, **Overlook Road**, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by James H. Hurley, Charles Webber, Alice B. Burchell and others.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, **Bartlett Road**, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by George J. Donnelly, Edith H. Churchill, Frederick Driscoll and others.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, **Russ street**, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by Everett D. Genereux, John A. Burns, James J. Connors and others.

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Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, Royal street, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by Edwin L. Black, Royal L. Mann, Stanley Powers and others.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, Waldo street, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by Edward King, Royal Mann, Charles Truelson and others.

ELECTRIC LIGHT EXTENSIONS

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to install 4 electric lights on Vesey Road, as petitioned for by Fred J. Driscoll, Roland F. Evans, Doris K. Teece and others.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to install 3 electric lights on Waldo street, as petitioned for by Edward King, Augustus B. Lyons, Robert S. Cutting and others.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to install 3 additional electric lights on Grove street as petitioned for by Robert A. Yates, Helen M. Brady, Waldo E. Mann and others.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to install 3 electric lights on Emeline street, as petitioned for by George W. Murphy, Fred F. McAuliffe, Roy Akroyd and others.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to install one 400 candle power electric light at the junction of North Main street and Wales Avenue as petitioned for by Frank J. Woodman, Herman W. French, Frank W. Vye and others.

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Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to install 2 electric lights on Bartlett Road, as petitioned for by George J. Donnelly, Gordon B. Churchill, Frederick Driscoll and others.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to install 3 electric lights on Overlook Road, as petitioned for by James H. Hurley, H. L. Bailey, Charles Webber and others.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to install three electric lights on Canton Street between Old Street and Overlook Road, as petitioned for by Louis Potash, Charles Beattie, Peter J. Callahan and others.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to install 3 electric lights on Highland avenue between Fairmount and Woodlawn streets, same to be placed as follows: one at the corner of Woodlawn street, one at the corner of Norfolk road and one at the Corner of Fairview street, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Robert T. Leahy, Martin E. Young, Charles H. Saunders and others.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to install 2 electric lights on Abbey street, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Eugene L. McAuliffe, George C. Mellon, James J. McLaughlin and others.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for four additional White Way lights, two to be placed on North Main street and two on South Main street.

REPAIR AND REBUILDING OF STREETS

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to repair

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Russ street and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Everett D. Genereux, John A. Burns, James Burke and others.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to repair Alden street and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Thomas S. O'Brien, Louis B. Goeres, Rachael McMahon and others.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to repair Allen street and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by George Dermont, Fred J. Billingham, Eugene L. McAuliffe and others.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to repair Woodlawn Road and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Edward B. Pratt, Albert F. Farmer, L. B. Sanborn and others.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild Park street and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Adrian J. Iorio, Wm. H. Morgan, Fannie Campbell and others.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to build Overlook Road for a distance of 700 ft. and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by James H. Hurley, Charles Webber, Walter L. Hickey and others.

Article 41. To see what action the Town will take relative to repairing or rebuilding that part of West street between the Stoughton-Randolph Line and the new State Highway, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Ernest W. Mann, John H. Curran, Peter Hylen and others.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to complete

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the road-building on South street and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Luther B. Sanborn, Leon E. Clifford, James S. Foley and others.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1500 to continue repairs on Chestnut street as petitioned for by Charles H. Truelson, John Stevenson, James Hunter and others.

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3000 for the purpose of reconstructing Oak street, beginning at the end of last season's work, and continuing in an easterly direction, with a Tarvia surface as far as the money will go.

Article 45. To see what action the Town will take relative to repairing Orchard street, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Joseph E. Burns, Horace French, James B. Churchill and others.

Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to repair the road from the corner of High and Chestnut streets to the entrance of the residence of Mr. Foley (which is a distance of about 1000 feet in a northerly direction) on High street, (gravel to be furnished free by the petitioner) and raise and appropriate money for the same as petitioned for by John P. Lang, Harry Sargent, Chester L. Paine and others.

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money to rebuild, repair or finish the construction of Centre street between Union and Mill streets as petitioned for by Herbert L. Pierce, Henry L. Pothier, Edgar F. Beers and others.

Article 48. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to build Waldo street

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as petitioned for by Edward King, Augustus B. Lyons, Waldo E. Mann and others.

Article 49. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500 to rebuild Vesey Road as petitioned for by Harold F. Alexander, Frederick D. Driscoll, Roland F. Evans and others.

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to repair Highland Avenue between Fairmount and Woodlawn streets and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Robert T. Leahy, Martin E. Young, Elmer L. Burchell and others.

Article 51. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the construction of sidewalks on South Main street.

WATER EXTENSIONS

Article 52. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to lay the water main along Overlook Road (so called) in a southerly direction from Canton street for a distance of 700 feet, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by James H. Hurley, Walter L. Hickey, Carl Macauley and others.

Article 53. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water main on North Main street from a point near Foley's Filling Station to the Randolph-Quincy line and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by John J. Madden, Edward J. Dolan, Patrick J. Foley and others.

Article 54. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the Water Department, to cover expenses which will occur from widening North Main

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street, or to take any action relative thereto as petitioned for by the Water Commissioners.

Article 55. To see what action the Town will take relative to extending the water main from the dead end on Grove street, a distance of 900 feet and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Robert A. Yates, Wm. Whitecross, Richard F. Forrest and others.

Article 56. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water main on Canton street five hundred feet westerly from its present terminus and to raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Lawrence Sass, Robert Yates, Karl Wm. Truelson and others.

Article 57. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to install water mains on Pauline street from Main street to Mitchell street, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Orrin E. Reynolds, Wm. F. Flavell, Frederick W. Schulz and others.

Article 58. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main along Chestnut street in a westerly direction from the present dead end and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by John Stevenson, James Hunter, Paul L. M. Rocatis and others.

Article 59. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water main on Oak street a distance of 800 feet in an easterly direction and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Benjamin F. Jewett, George S. Erwin, Warren E. Mann and others.

Article 60. To see if the Town will vote to instruct

the water commissioners to install a water main on Highland avenue in a southerly direction from the present dead end near the residence of Major Crafts, a distance of 800 feet, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by William Corrigan, Jesse C. Dunbar, Annie L. Young and others.

Article 61. To see if the Town will vote to connect the dead ends of the water mains at the ends of Fairview avenue and Norfolk Road, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by James V. Donovan, Robert T. Leahy, Henry T. Burrell and others.

Article 62. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water mains along Center street 800 feet in a westerly direction from the present dead end near the residence of Clarence Rowe and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by George Harris, Walter J. Good, Clarence Rowe and others.

MISCELLANEOUS

Article 63. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 49 of Chapter 31 of the General Laws relative to the Chief of the Police Department, and Acts amendatory thereto, as petitioned for by William S. Condon, Eugene L. McAuliffs, James P. Reilly and others.

Article 64. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 1 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws as amended by Chapter 66 of the Acts of 1923 and further amended by Chapter 178 of the Acts of 1925 relative to the election of a School Committee composed of five members.

Article 65. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to erect an automatic stop

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light at the junction of North Main and Pond streets as petitioned for by Charles H. Truelson, J. M. Gladback, Linwood G. Brown and others.

Article 66. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Water Commissioners to appoint any of their number to another office or position under their control, and fix the salary of such person, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 36, Acts of 1929, or to take any action relative thereto.

Article 67. To see if the Town will instruct the water commissioners in conjunction with the water commissioners of Braintree and Holbrook to purchase land bordering on the shores of Great Pond, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 68. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 41, Section 1 of the General Laws relative to a Board of Health.

Article 69. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money to continue the work of surveying the Town and the making of maps, as petitioned for by James P. Duffy, Waldo E. Mann, Frank F. Teed and others.

Article 70. To see if the Town will vote to provide a piece of motor driven fire apparatus at North Randolph, such as would be recommended by the New England Fire Exchange, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by Herman H. Smith, William S. Condon, Joseph F. Brewster and others.

Article 71. To see whether the Town will vote to establish a Planning Board and appoint a committee to

act until the Annual Meeting of 1931, or act in any other manner as petitioned for by Edgar B. Cole, Jesse C. Dunbar, Frank M. Downes and others.

Article 72. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for shade trees on Highland avenue as petitioned for by George R. Hicks, Grace T. McLeod, Edna F. Cole and others.

Article 73. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 402 of the Acts of 1928 as amended by Chapter 308 of the Acts of 1929. "The acceptance of this Act makes it possible for a city or town accepting it, to provide suitable compensation for the widow and children of a policeman or fireman who may be killed while in the performance of duty."

Article 74. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for publishing and printing in pamphlet form, the Town By-Laws.

Article 75. To see if the Town will vote to install a regulation fire box on Mill street, corner of Wilmarth road, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$250 therefor as petitioned for by Paul Kachele, Earl L. Zigler, Ralph W. Coburn and others.

Article 76. To see what action the Town will take relative to acquiring drainage rights or easements over or through land now owned by Assunta Puzone, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 77. To see what action the Town will take relative to the claim of Hannah Grady for personal injuries suffered by reason of an alleged defect in the highway.

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And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said Town seven days at least, before the day and hour for holding said meeting.

Hereof, fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with you doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, on or before the day and hour appointed for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, this twelfth day of February, A. D. 1930.

WALTER F. STEPHENS,
HAROLD W. MACAULEY,
JAMES H. HURLEY,

Selectmen of Randolph.

A True Copy:

Attest:

Constable

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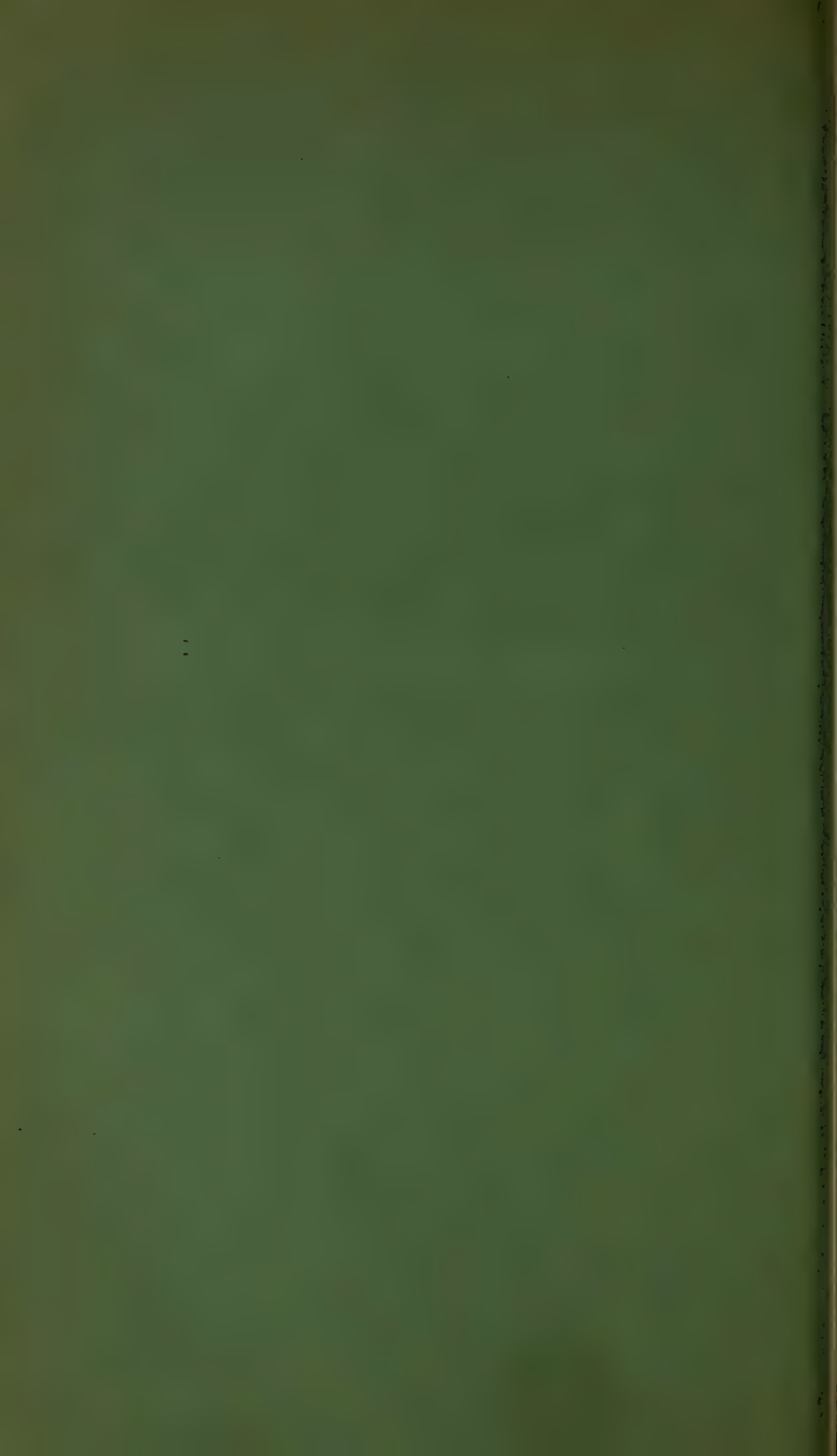
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of the

Selectmen and Overseers of Public Welfare, Assessors,
Board of Health, Fire Department, Highway Sur-
veyor, Police Department, School Committee, Tax
Collector, Town Accountant, Town Clerk and
Town Treasurer

of the

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Together with the Reports of

The Trustees of the Stetson School Fund
The Trustees of the Turner Free Library
Water Commissioners, Animal Inspector,
Milk Inspector, Moth Superintendent
Sealer of Weights and Measures
Slaughtering Inspector
and
Tree Warden

For the

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1930

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TOWN OFFICERS, 1930

Elected

Moderator (elected annually)—James F. Kennedy.

Town Clerk and Treasurer (elected annually)—John B. McNeill.

Selectmen and Overseers of the Public Welfare (elected annually)—Walter F. Stephens, Harold W. Macauley, James H. Hurley.

Assessors (elected for 3 years)—Waldo E. Mann, term expires 1933; James P. Duffy, term expires 1932; Frank F. Teed, term expires 1931.

School Committee (elected for 3 years)—Frederick E. Chapin, term expires 1933; William J. O'Keefe, term expires 1932; Charles R. Kiley, term expires 1931.

Trustees of Stetson School Fund (elected for 3 years)—Frederick E. Chapin, term expires 1933; William J. O'Keefe, term expires 1932; Charles R. Kiley, term expires 1931.

Water Commissioners (elected for 3 years)—John B. McNeill, term expires 1931; Richard F. Forrest, term expires 1932; Fred D. Driscoll, term expires 1933.

Tax Collector (elected annually)—Walter H. Lyons.

Highway Surveyor (elected annually)—James Lynch.

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Tree Warden (elected annually)—John T. Moore.

Constables (elected annually)—George M. Brewster, Louis J. Courtney, John A. Forrest, George L. Frawley, William Mahady, William C. Mann, Martin E. Young.

Board of Health (by Section 1, Chapter 41, General Laws) the Selectmen act in this capacity.

Auditors (elected annually)—Raymond L. Mason, James V. Donovan, Michael F. Cunningham.

Appointed by Selectmen

Town Accountant—Elmer L. Burchell, (Appointed for three years).

Registrars of Voters (appointed for 3 years)—Joseph J. Dench.

Chief of Police—Patrick T. McDonnell.

Chief of Fire Department—Harold L. Bailey.

Forest Fire Warden—Harold L. Bailey.

Warden of Infirmary—John H. Marcille; Matron, Mrs. Stella Hughes.

Keeper of the Lock-up (appointed annually)—Timothy Kelleher.

Special Police to serve without pay—Edward J. Dolan, Wm. S. Condon, Wm. Mahady, John A. Forrest, George Frawley, Percy H. Thomson, Wm. C. Mann, Stephen J. Hart, Patrick J. Flynn, Timothy Kelliher, W. Stanley Atherton, Thomas H. Good, Edmund J. Brady, Jos. F.

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Duggan, (Milton Police), Joseph J. Dalton, (Milton Police), Elmer W. Poole, James S. Foley, Joseph H. Brewster, Elmer P. Vaughan, Dexter Royce, Walter Woodward, Herman Smith, Frank M. Condon, Patrick T. McDonnell, Constable, E. Clifton Payne, Constable.

Special Police to serve in emergencies without expense to the town—Members of American Legion—Walter H. Billingham, Wm. E. Buck, M. D., C. Lloyd Claff, Leon Crothers, Wm. F. Cunningham, Frank L. Hand, George V. Higgins, M. D., Irving S. Hill, Francis G. Keith, Ellis H. Mann, Raymond L. Mason, Sumner G. Moody, Alfred W. Myrick, M. D., Harold B. Whitehouse, Wm. R. Yundt, Charles R. Main.

Fence Viewers—Frank C. Wales, William Mahady, Charles H. Truelson.

Surveyors of Wood and Bark—Robert E. O'Brien, Charles D. Hill, N. Frank Randall, Charles H. Truelson.

Field Drivers—John T. Wales, Wm. H. Carroll, Lincoln Stetson, Frank H. Walsh.

Public Weighers—Michael Diauto, Clara Diauto, Dominick Diauto, Frank Diauto, Frank Esposito, M. E. Leahy, H. B. Mann, Ellen Reilly, John White, Dennis Murphy.

Burial Agent for Board of Health—John B. McNeill.

Inspector of Animals—Charles H. Truelson.

Inspector of Slaughtering—Wm. H. Carroll.

Inspector of Milk—William Mahady.

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Moth Superintendent—John T. Moore.

Dog Officer—Frank M. Condon.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—Daniel P. Lyons.

COMMITTEES

The following citizens were appointed to the SCHOOL HOUSING COMMITTEE by the Finance Committee:—the 3 members of School Committee—Frederick E. Chapin, Charles R. Kiley and William J. O'Keefe together with W. Frank Ames, Joseph T. Leahy, William S. Condon, Timothy Lyons.

Committees Appointed by Moderator

Committee of seven to serve on School Site Committee: Dr. Walter F. Ames, Edward J. Dolan, Erskine H. Cox, Timothy Lyons, Sr., with the School Committee members—Frederick E. Chapin, Chas. R. Kiley, Wm. J. O'Keefe.

Committee to serve on Planning Board until Annual Town Meeting of 1931: Mrs. Jessie C. Dunbar, John E. Kelley, John J. Madden, Edgar B. Cole, James A. Mullen, Helen M. Haney.

Representative to General Court from 9th Norfolk Representative District

Harold W. Macauley, Randolph, Mass.

Representative to Congress from 14th Congressional District

Richard B. Wigglesworth, Milton.

Report of the Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING—1930

Election of Officers

Total number of ballots cast for Town Officers; Precinct 1—1,578; Precinct 2—280; Total, 1,858.

MODERATOR (1 year)

	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Total
James F. Kennedy	1,199	245	1,444
Blanks	379	35	414

TOWN CLERK (1 year)

John B. McNeill	1,348	254	1,602
Blanks	230	26	256

TOWN TREASURER (1 year)

John B. McNeill	1,314	249	1,563
Blanks	264	31	295

SELECTMEN AND OVERSEERS OF PUBLIC WELFARE

(1 year)

James H. Hurley	977	154	1,131
Harold W. Macauley	1,118	213	1,331
Arthur L. Mann	611	121	732
Walter F. Stephens	1,048	210	1,258
Blanks	980	142	1,122

ASSESSORS (3 years)

Waldo E. Mann	1,093	234	1,327
Blanks	485	46	531

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SCHOOL COMMITTEE (3 years)

	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Total
Jesse S. Beal	704	127	831
Frederick E. Chapin	806	144	950
Blanks	68	9	77

TRUSTEE STETSON SCHOOL FUND (3 years)

Jesse S. Beal	701	125	826
Frederick E. Chapin	784	144	928
Blanks	93	11	104

TAX COLLECTOR (1 year)

Walter H. Lyons	1,301	252	1,553
Blanks	277	28	305

WATER COMMISSIONER (3 years)

Frederick D. Driscoll	737	195	932
Florence J. Sullivan	691	63	754
Blanks	150	22	172

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR (1 year)

John A. Frederickson	168	121	289
Frank J. Laninger	154	10	164
James J. Lynch	1,148	135	1,283
Blanks	107	14	121

TREE WARDEN (1 year)

Edward F. Moore	204	42	246
John T. Moore	1,230	206	1,436
Blanks	144	32	176

AUDITORS (1 year)

Michael F. Cunningham	793	105	898
James V. Donovan	1,191	201	1,392
Raymond L. Mason	1,004	193	1,197
S. William Swain	628	141	769
Blanks	1,118	200	1,318

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CONSTABLES (1 year)

George M. Brewster	1,019	184	1,203
Louis J. Courtney	782	120	902
John A. Forrest	1,086	185	1,271
George L. Frawley	912	167	1,079
James Gaynor	428	83	511
George H. Heney	662	138	800
John R. Luddington	586	140	726
William H. Mahady	704	130	834
William C. Mann	729	110	839
Martin E. Young	1,056	186	1,242
Blanks	3,082	517	3,599

A true copy of record: Attest

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, 1930

At the Annual and Special Town Meetings, all of the appropriations made may be found in the Town Accountant's Report taken from an attested list made by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1930, and issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Voted—Unanimously that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money from time to time, in anticipation of revenue of the financial year, January 1 to December 31, 1930, both dates

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inclusive., and to issue a note or notes therefor, and the indebtedness incurred by reason of the issuance of said note or notes to be provided for from the revenue of said financial year, January 1 to December 31, 1930.

Article 2. To see if the Town will appoint the Selectmen to be the agents and attorneys of the Town, to prosecute, defend and compromise any and all suits in which the Town may be in any manner interested as a party or otherwise, except in so far as the same relates in any manner to the water supply, and to employ counsel, if necessary.

Voted—That the Selectmen be so appointed.

Article 3. To see if the Town will authorize and appoint the Water Commissioners to be the agents and attorneys of the Town to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the Town may be interested as a party or otherwise, so far as the same in any manner relates to the preserving, taking and use of the waters of Great Pond, or to the construction of the water works, either jointly or separately, as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Voted—That the Water Commissioners be so authorized and instructed.

Article 4. Under appropriations for Fire Department, it was voted that Hose 2 House be put in condition and the "American LaFrance" stationed there with a permanent man in charge.

Under School appropriations, it was voted that the appropriations be classified as two items, i. e.; "Salaries and "Expenses". See Town Accountant's report.

Article 5. To see if the Town will raise and appro-

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priate money for the Reserve Fund for extraordinary or unforeseen emergencies as per Section 6, Chapter 40 of the General Laws. \$2,000.00

See Town Accountant's Report.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover unpaid bills of previous years in the following departments:

Tax Collector, Outside Relief, School Department, Water Department, Land Damage (Pond Street) taken up under Art. 4, Unclassified items.

See Accountant's report.

Article 7. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$195.29 to cover the following over-drafts:

Inspector of Animals, 1927	\$50.00
Inspector of Slaughtering, 1927	50.00
Outside Relief, 1929	95.29
See Accountant's Report,	

Article 8. To hear and act on the reports of the Town Officers.

This article was laid on the table and not taken up again.

Article 9. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint a Special Officer or Officers be appointed to enforce the laws.

Voted that a Special Officer or Officers be appointed to enforce the laws.

Article 10. To see what action the Town will take relative to the pay of Town Laborers and others hired by the day or hour.

Snow Removal Work

Voted that laborers employed by the town be compensated as follows, and that horses be paid for according to the following schedule :

Day work between the hours of 7 A. M. and 5 P. M.

Laborers—Sixty (60) cents per hour.

Horses—Fifty (50) cents per hour.

Night work between the hours of 5 P. M. and 7 A. M.

Laborers—Time and one-half ; viz., at ninety (90) cents per hour.

Horses—Time and one-half ; viz., seventy-five (75) cents per hour.

Laborers employed for all other purposes :

Laborers—Sixty (60) cents per hour straight time for day and night work.

Article 11. To hear and act on the report of any committee, and choose any committee the Town may think proper.

On this article, the Committee of By-Laws reported progress, through the Town Clerk, and the same committee members were retained.

Article 12. To see what action the Town will take in regard to raising and appropriating money for the employment of a District Nurse, as provided for by Section 5. Chapter 40 of the General Laws.

See Accountant's report.

Article 13. To hear the report of the committee appointed to investigate school conditions and act thereon.

Under this Article, the School Investigating Committee presented a printed report which was read to the meeting by the Chairman, Fred E. Knebel.

Voted that the report be accepted.

Article 14. To see if the Town will petition the Legislature for permission to borrow outside the debt limit of the town, a sum not exceeding \$300,000.00 for the purpose of acquiring sites, constructing or repairing school buildings and for necessary school equipment.

Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to petition the Legislature to borrow outside the debt limit a sum not exceeding \$100.00 for acquiring land for school site, construction and equipment of a School Building.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding \$15.00.00 for the purpose of purchasing sites for school purposes and expenses incidental thereto.

Voted that a sum of \$5,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of acquiring site for school purposes, and that a committee of seven (7), three of whom shall be members of the School Committee and the other four to be appointed by the Moderator to get options on different school sites and report at a future town meeting.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the purpose of acquiring sites, constructing, or repairing school buildings, and for necessary equipment.

Voted that the sum of \$2,000.00 be raised and appropriated for repairs to the Belcher School as follows: New exits for the toilets, new non-corrodable china closet bowls and sinks, enclosing heater with masonry walls with wire laths and cement plaster ceiling and

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the sum of \$3,000.00 be raised and appropriated for installing a new heater in the Prescott Grade Building and enclosing the same with masonry wall, wire laths and plaster ceiling and new chimney. (Any sums remaining from the appropriations made under this article to be used for new equipment.)

Article 17. To see what action the Town will take relative to transferring the "Special Fund," so called, to Lieutenant Thomas W. Desmond Post No. 169 for building purposes, or to make any other disposition thereof.

Voted that the Town transfer any money that can be legally transferred from the Special Fund to the Building Fund of the Lieutenant Thomas W. Desmond Post No. 169 of the American Legion.

Article 18. To see what action the Town will take relative to conveying the Lieutenant Thomas W. Desmond Post No. 169 of the American Legion, a parcel of land on South Main Street, Randolph, Mass., bounded on the north by land of one Dunphy, and measuring about 70 by 200 feet, same being a portion of the present High School lot.

Voted that the town of Randolph lease to Lieutenant Thomas W. Desmond Post. No. 169 of the American Legion, a parcel of land on South Main Street, Randolph, Mass., bounded on the north by land of one Dunphy, and measuring 90 by 200 feet, same being a portion of the present High School lot, for a period of sixty years at one dollar a year from 1930 to 1990 inclusive.

Street Acceptances

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way Overlook Road, as laid out by the Selectmen.

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Voted that we accept Overlook Road as laid out by the Selectmen, provided that all of the abutters waive their rights to land damages inside of three months from date.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way Bartlett Road as laid out by the selectmen.

Voted that the town accept Bartlett Road as laid out by the Selectmen, provided that persons having any claim for damages arising out of the taking and constructing of same, waive their right of damages within three months from this date.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a town way, Russ Street, as laid out by the Selectmen.

Voted that the town accept that part of Russ Street as laid out by the Selectmen, beginning at North Main Street and extending as far as the new roadway is constructed, provided, that the persons having any claim for damages arising out of the taking and constructing of same, waive their right of damages within three months from this date. Vote 150 to 7.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a town way, Royal Street, as laid out by the Selectmen.

Voted that no action be taken on this article.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a town way, Waldo Street, as laid out by the Selectmen.

Voted that the town accept Waldo Street for a distance of 600 feet from North Main Street, as laid out by the Selectmen, provided that any person having

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claim for damages arising out of the taking and constructing the same, waive their rights of damages within three months from this date.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to install 4 electric lights on Vesey Road.

See Accountant's report.

Article 25. Street lights on Waldo Street.

See Accountant's report.

Article 26. Street lights on Grove Street.

See Accountant's report.

Article 27. Street lights on Emmeline Street.

See Accountant's report.

Article 28. Street lights at junction of North Main Street and Wales Avenue.

See Accountant's report.

Article 29. Electric lights on Bartlett Road.

See Accountant's report.

Article 30. Lights on Overlook Road.

See Accountant's report.

Article 31. Street lights on Canton Street.

See Accountant's report.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to install 3 electric lights on Highland avenue between Fairmount and Woodlawn Streets, same to be placed as follows: one at the corner of Woodlawn Street, one at

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the corner of Norfolk Road and one at the corner of Fairview Street, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted that this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 33. Electric lights on Abbey Street.

See Accountant's report.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for four additional White Way lights, two to be placed on North Main Street and two on South Main Street.

Voted that this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to repair Russ Street and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted that the sum of \$1,200.00 be raised and appropriated to repair Russ Street and that a gravel surface be applied, same to begin at North Main Street provided abutters waive all claims for land damages.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to repair Alden Street and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted that the sum of \$300.00 be raised and appropriated for the repair of Alden Street.

See Accountant's report.

Article 37. Repairs on Allen Street.

See Accountant's report.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to repair Woodlawn Road and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted that the sum of \$1,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the repair of Woodlawn Road, provided,

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that the persons having any claim for damages, arising out of the taking and constructing the same, waive their right of damages within three months from this date.

Article 39. Repairs on Park Street.

See Accountant's report.

Article 40. To build Overlook Road.

See Accountant's report.

Article 41. Repairing or rebuilding on West Street.

See Accountant's report.

Article 42. To complete the rebuilding on South Street.

See Accountant's report.

Article 43. To continue repairs on Chestnut Street.

See Accountant's report.

Article 44. Reconstructing Oak Street.

See Accountant's report.

Article 45. Repairing Orchard Street.

See Accountant's report.

Article 46. Repairing road from corner of High and Chestnut Streets.

See Accountant's report.

Article 47. Rebuilding Center Street between Union and Mill Streets.

See Accountant's report.

Article 48. Building Waldo Street.

See Accountant's report.

Article 49. Rebuilding Vesey Road.

See Accountant's report.

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to repair Highland Avenue between Fairmount and Woodlawn Streets and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted that no action be taken on this article this year.

Article 51. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the construction of sidewalks on South Main Street.

Voted that the sum of \$5,000.00 be raised and appropriated to build permanent sidewalks on the west-erly side of South Main Street, beginning at the Congregational Church, the material for the construction to be left to the person authorized with the expenditure of the money.

Articles 52, 53, 58 and 60. Voted that these articles be taken up in conjunction.

Voted that the Water Commissioners be instructed to lay the water main of eight inch pipe on North Main Street, a distance of 1,800 feet from the present terminus and lay a six inch water pipe main on Chestnut Street, a distance of 850 feet, also lay a six inch water main on Highland Avenue, a distance of 800 feet in a southerly direction from the present dead end near the residence of Major Crafts. Also lay a six inch water main on Overlook Road in a southerly direction from Canton Street 700 feet and that a sum of \$12,-750.00 be appropriated therefor, \$750.00 of this amount to be transferred from the unexpended balance

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of Stacy Street Water Loan, the remaining \$12,000.00 to be raised by the issuance of notes of the town payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized and empowered to borrow said sum of \$12,000.00 and to issue notes of the town therefor, that the entire indebtedness herein authorized shall be paid in not more than twelve years from the date of issue of the first note, or at such earlier date as the Treasurer and Selectmen may determine.

Article 54. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the Water Department to cover expenses which will occur from widening North Main Street, or to take any action relative thereto.

See Accountant's report.

Article 55. To see what action the Town will take relative to extending the water main from the dead end on Grove Street, a distance of 900 feet and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted that no action be taken under this article this year.

Article 56. To see if the town will vote to extend the water main on Canton Street five hundred feet westerly from its present terminus and to raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted that no action be taken under this article this year.

Article 57. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to install a water main on Pauline Street from Main to Mitchell Streets, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted that no action be taken under this article this year.

Article 59. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water main on Oak Street a distance of 800 feet in an easterly direction and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted that no action be taken on this article this year.

Article 61. To see if the Town will vote to connect the dead ends of the water mains at the end of Fairview Avenue and Norfolk Road, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

See Accountant's report.

Article 62. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main along Center Street 800 feet in a westerly direction from the present dead end near the residence of Clarence Rowe and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted that no action be taken under this article this year.

Article 63. To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 49 of Chapter 31 of the General Laws relative to the Chief of the Police Department, and Acts amendatory thereto.

Voted that the town accept the provisions of Section 49 of Chapter 31 of the General Laws relative to the Chief of the Police Department and Acts amendatory thereto.

Article 64. To see if the town will vote to accept Section 1 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws as amended by Chapter 66 of the Acts of 1923 and further

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amended by Chapter 178 of the Acts of 1925 relative to the election of a School Committee composed of five members.

Voted that we accept Section 1 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws as amended by Chapter 66 of the Acts of 1923 and further amended by Chapter 178 of the Acts of 1925 relative to the election of a School Committee composed of five members. Vote 77 to 55.

Article 65. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to erect an automatic stop light at the junction of North Main and Pond Streets.

Voted that this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 66. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Water Commissioners to appoint any of their number to another office or position under their control, and fix the salary of such person, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 36, Acts of 1929, or to take any action thereto.

Voted that the Water Board be so authorized.

Article 67. To see if the town will instruct the water commissioners in conjunction with the water commissioners of Braintree and Holbrook to purchase land bordering on the shores of Great Pond, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted that the town so instruct the water commissioners. (The appropriation is provided for under Article 4).

Article 68. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 41, Section 1 of the General Laws relative to the Board of Health.

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Voted that we accept the provisions of Chapter 41, Sec. 1 of the General Laws relative to a Board of Health.

Article 69. "Maps" and "Plans."

See Accountant's report.

Article 70. Fire apparatus at North Randolph.

See Accountant's report.

Article 71. To see whether the town will vote to establish a Planning Board and appoint a committee to act until the Annual Meeting of 1931, or act in any other manner.

Voted that, we establish a Planning Board and appoint a committee to act until the Annual Meeting of 1931.

Article 72. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money for shade trees on Highland Avenue.

Voted that no action be taken this year.

Article 73. To see if the town will vote to accept Chapter 402 of the Acts of 1928 as amended by Chapter 308 of the Acts of 1929. "The Acceptance of this Act makes it possible for a city or town accepting it to provide suitable compensation for the widow and children of a policeman or fireman who may be killed while in the performance of duty."

Voted that we accept the above article as stated.

Article 74. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money for publishing and printing in pamphlet form the Town By-Laws.

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Voted that we indefinitely postpone.

Article 75. To see if the town will vote to install a regulation fire box on Mill Street, corner of Wilmarth Road, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$250 therefor.

See Accountant's report.

Article 76. Drainage rights or easements.

See Accountant's report.

Article 77. To see what action the town will take relative to the claim of Hannah Grady for personal injuries suffered by reason of an alleged defect in the highway.

Voted that this article be referred to the Board of Selectmen to handle for the best interests of the town.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

April 7, 1930.

Article. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500 for the purpose of leasing a building for headquarters of Lieut. Thomas W. Desmond Post 169, The American Legion, or act in any other manner thereto.

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500 for the purpose of leasing a building for headquarters for Lieut. Thomas W. Desmond Post 169, The American Legion, and authorize the Board of Selectmen to lease a building for a period not to exceed a period of five years.

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SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

June 12, 1930.

Article 1. To see if the Town will indemnify the Commonwealth of Massachusetts against any and all claims for land, grade and drainage damages which may be caused by or result from the laying out, alteration, construction or reconstruction of the State Highway, known as NORTH MAIN STREET or any section or relocation thereof, and will authorize the Board of Selectmen to sign an indemnity agreement therefor in behalf of the town, and to make an appropriation therefor, or take any other action with respect thereto.

Voted that the town will indemnify the Commonwealth of Massachusetts against any and all claims for land, grade and drainage damages which may be caused by or result from the laying out, alterations, construction or reconstruction of the State Highway known as NORTH MAIN STREET or any section or relocation thereof, and that the Board of Selectmen be authorized to sign an indemnity agreement therefor, in behalf of the Town indemnifying the Commonwealth as aforesaid, and that the sum of \$300 be appropriated toward the expense and damage thereof.

Article 2. To hear and act on the report of the School Site Committee. The School Site Committee presented a written report which was read by the chairman, Dr. W. F. Ames.

Voted that the report of the School Site Committee be accepted with thanks and that the School Site Committee be retained.

Article 3. To see if the town will vote the sum of \$3,000 from the \$5,000 School Site appropriation, for the purchase of a parcel of land for a School Site and playground on Old Street, North Randolph, con-

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taining about 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ acres and described in the option secured by the School Site Committee on May 13, 1930.

Voted that we use \$3,000 of the \$5,000 School appropriation for the purchase of land on Old Street and that the Selectmen be authorized and empowered to make the purchase for the town.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote the sum of \$1,500 from the \$5,000 School Site appropriation for the purpose of a parcel of land for a School Site and playground between Union and South Streets, containing about 2 acres, as described in the option obtained by the School Site Committee on May 14, 1930.

Voted that we use \$1,500 of the \$5,000 School Site appropriation for the purchase of land between Union and South Street and that the Selectmen be authorized and empowered to make the purchase for the town.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to erect a ten-room School building in North Randolph, and originally equip and furnish the same and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted unanimously that there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$95,000 for the purpose of constructing a new ten-room school building in North Randolph, and for the original equipping and furnishing of said building; and that, to meet said appropriation, there be raised in the tax levy of the current year the sum of \$2,000, and the treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$93,000 under authority of and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws, and to issue bonds or notes of the town therefor, said bonds or notes to be payable in accordance with the provisions of Section 19 of said Chapter 44, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than twenty years

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from the date of issue of the first bond or note, or at such earlier dates as the treasurer and selectmen may determine. That a committee of seven (7), three of whom shall be the School Committee, and the other four appointed by your Finance Committee, to be known as the School Building Committee, shall have full power as to style of building and the expenditure of the money.

Article 6. To see if the town will vote to erect a two-room school building in East Randolph and originally equip and furnish the same and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted unanimously that there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$20,000 for the purpose of erecting a two-room school building in East Randolph, and for the originally equipping and furnishing of said building, and that, to meet said appropriation, the treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$20,000 and to issue bonds or notes to be payable in accordance with the provisions of Section 19, Chapter 44, General Laws, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than twenty (20) years from the date of issue of the first bond or note, or at such earlier date as the treasurer and selectmen may determine. That a committee of seven (7), three of whom shall be the School Committee and the other four appointed by your Finance Committee, to be known as the School Building Committee, shall have full power as to style of building and the expenditure of the money.

Article 7. To see if the town will extend the water main on North Main Street eleven hundred feet from its present terminus to the Randolph-Quincy Line and raise and appropriate \$3,500 therefor.

Voted to indefinitely postpone.

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Article 8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$350 for the purpose of equipping the men of the Fire Department with a suitable type of rubber coats, boots and helmets.

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$350 to equip the men of the Fire Department with a suitable type of rubber coat, boots and helmets.

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money to erect a light opposite Sanborn's Store on South street.

Voted that we raise and appropriate the sum of \$33 for the installation of a 250 c. p. light at above designated point, that the present light now situated at or near the residence of one Delory, on South Street (which is about 100 feet more or less from the recommended light) be discontinued.

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$427 for Land Damages due to the widening of North Street.

Voted that the sum of \$427 be raised and appropriated for the above purpose.

Article 11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money for Land Damages due to the widening of North Main Street.

Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the following unexpended balances of the expenses of the Fire Department; Foam Generator, \$40; Wheels and Tires, \$145, and salary of permanent man, \$120, to the General Expense of said Department.

Voted that said transfers be made, as named in above article.

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Article 13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money (in conjunction with the Trustees of the Stetson Hall Building) to install an oil burner in the Stetson Hall Building.

Voted to raise and appropriate \$800 for Oil Burner and that the selection of type, make and awarding of the burner be left to the discretion of the Selectmen.

STATE PRIMARY ELECTION 1930

Randolph, September 16, 1930.

On September 16, 1930, the State Primary Election was held at 2 P. M.

Whole number of ballots cast: Republican 232; Democratic 218.

Democratic Delegates

Governor:

John J. Cummings	8
Joseph B. Ely	110
John F. Fitzgerald	87

Lieutenant-Governor:

Strabo V. Claggett	76
John F. Malley	32
Charles S. Murphy	30
Michael C. O'Neill	42

Secretary:

Arthur G. Flynn	50
Chester J. O'Brien	65
Joseph Santosuosso	63

Treasurer:

John H. Dorsey	42
Charles F. Hurley	93
Fred H. Rourke	32

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Auditor:

Francis X. Hurley	85
Francis J. O'Gorman	42
Jerome J. Shea	30

Attorney-General:

Henry P. Fielding	30
William R. Scharton	30
Harold W. Sullivan	102

Senator in Congress:

Marcus A. Coolidge	119
Eugene N. Foss	7
Peter J. Joyce	6
Thomas C. O'Brien	17
Joseph F. O'Connell	56

Congressman: (14th District)

Andrew Thomas Clancy	80
Edward G. Morris	86

Councillor: (Second District)

John Joseph Cheever	73
Ida Fendel	22
Harry P. Hackett	18
Samuel G. Thorner	18

Senator: (Norfolk District)

None	0
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Representative in General Court: (9th Norfolk Dist.)

Edward J. Megley	164
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District-Attorney: (Southeastern District)

Francis B. Mahoney	145
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Register of Probate and Insolvency—Norfolk County:

Thomas V. Nash	124
David L. Tuttle	20

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County Commissioner—Norfolk County:
Warren J. Swett 123

Associate Commissioners—Norfolk:
None 0

County Treasurer—Norfolk:
Frederic C. Cobb 97
William P. Nickerson 34

State Committee—Norfolk:
James Foley 1

Delegates to State Convention:
James E. Foley 143
Daniel G. Donovan 147
Helen M. Haney 129
Ellen J. McCarthy 120
Alice G. Kelley 121
Michael J. McSweeney 137
Wm. F. Cunningham 136
George W. Brewster 137
Edward J. Dolan 131
Alice L. Foley 126

Town Committee:
James E. Foley 121
James H. Hurley 128
Edward T. Hand 105
James F. Clark 107
Daniel G. Donovan 128
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A true record of the Vote. Attest:

JOHN B. McNeill,
Town Clerk.

STATE ELECTION, 1930

Votes Cast:

GOVERNOR

	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Total
John W. Aiken	37	5	42
Frank G. Allen	821	181	1,002
Harry J. Canter	3		3
Joseph B. Ely	965	131	1,096
Alfred Baker	5	1	6
Blanks	44	11	55
	<hr/> 1,875	<hr/> 329	<hr/> 2,204

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LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Total
Strabo V. Claggett	936	117	1,053
Maria C. Correia	4		4
Stephen J. Surridge	8	2	10
Edith M. Williams	9		9
William Sterling Young-			
man	820	183	1,003
Blanks	98	27	125
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	1,875	329	2,204

SECRETARY

Daniel T. Blessington	63	2	65
Frederic W. Cook	757	168	925
Albert Sprague Coolidge	20	5	25
James W. Dawson	3	1	4
Chester J. O'Brien	919	116	1,035
Blanks	113	37	150
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	1,875	329	2,204

TREASURER

Fred Jefferson Burrell	699	154	853
Eva Hoffman	5	1	6
Charles F. Hurley	1,017	134	1,151
Walter S. Hutchins	12	1	13
Charles S. Cram	9	8	17
Blanks	133	31	164
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	1,875	329	2,204

AUDITOR

Alonzo B. Cook	776	166	942
Harry Fieldman	8	1	9
Francis X. Hurley	945	121	1,066
Albert Oddie	4	1	5

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	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Total
Fred E. Oelcher	10	1	11
Blanks	132	39	171
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	1,875	329	2,204

ATTORNEY-GENERAL

Morris I. Becker	17	5	22
John W. Janhonen	2		2
John Weaver Sherman	9	1	10
Harold W. Sullivan	910	110	1,020
Joseph E. Warner	807	182	989
Blanks	130	31	161
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	1,875	329	2,209

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

William M. Butler	706	154	860
Marcus A. Coolidge	1,069	157	1,226
Oscar Kinsalas	5	1	6
Max Lerner	1		1
Sylvester J. McBridge	12		12
Blanks	82	17	99
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	1,875	329	2,204

CONGRESSMAN (Fourteenth District)

Edward G. Morris	929	118	1,047
Rich'd B. Wigglesworth	853	189	1,042
Blanks	93	22	115
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	1,875	329	2,204

COUNCILLOR (Second District)

Chester I. Campbell	792	168	960
John Joseph Cheever	896	112	1,008
Blanks	187	49	236
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	1,875	329	2,204

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

SENATOR (Norfolk District)

	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Total
John D. MacKay	994	216	1,210
Blanks	881	113	994
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	1,875	329	2,204

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT (9th Norfolk Dist.)

Harold W. Macauley	1,041	246	1,287
Edward J. Megley	785	74	859
Blanks	49	9	58
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	1,875	329	2,204

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Francis B. Mahoney	868	113	981
Winfield M. Wilbar	813	173	986
Blanks	194	43	237
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	1,875	329	2,204

REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY (Norfolk County)

Thomas V. Nash	1,257	245	1,502
Blanks	618	84	702
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	1,875	329	2,204

COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Norfolk County)

Frederick A. Leavitt	746	165	911
Warren J. Swett	858	116	974
Blanks	271	48	319
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	1,875	329	2,204

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ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONERS (Norfolk County)

	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Total
Arthur G. Chapman	879	204	1,083
Ernest H. Gilbert	610	123	733
Blanks	2,261	331	2,592
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	3,750	658	4,408

COUNTY TREASURER

Frederic C. Cobb	1,105	219	1,324
Blanks	770	110	880
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	1,875	329	2,204

QUESTION NO. 1 (Law Proposed by Initiative Petition)

Yes	579	114	693
No	195	48	243
Blanks	1,101	167	1,268
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	1,875	329	2,204

QUESTION NO. 2 (Law Proposed by Initiative Petition)

Yes	956	171	1,127
No	538	99	637
Blanks	381	59	440
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	1,875	329	2,204

QUESTION NO. 3 (Law Proposed by Initiative Petition)

Yes	817	141	958
No	446	91	537
Blanks	612	97	709
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	1,875	329	2,204

A true copy of the record. Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

MEETING OF TOWN CLERKS OF REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT NUMBER NINE

Randolph, Mass., November 15, 1930.

We, the undersigned Town Clerks of Randolph, Holbrook and Avon, comprising Representative District Number Nine, in the County of Norfolk, hereby certify that at an election duly held at the respective towns aforesaid on the fourth day of November, 1930, to vote for one Representative in the General Court, the following votes were given:

	Randolph	Avon	Holbrook	Total
Harold W. Macauley of Randolph	1,287	397	632	2,316
Edward J. Megley of Holbrook	859	388	662	1,909
Blanks	58	49	34	141
Totals	2,204	834	1,328	4,366

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk of Randolph.

JOHN J. COLLINS,
Town Clerk of Avon.

BENNETT V. McLAUGHLIN,
Town Clerk of Holbrook.

A true record.

Attest: John B. McNeill.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

BIRTHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1930

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
Jan.	1 Frederick Arthur Sullivan	M	Frederick A., Agnes—Collins
	1 Mary Kral	F	George R., Marion S.—Dodd
	4 Gertrude Madden	F	John R., Mary—Goss
	9 Richard Elmer O'Rourke	M	Andrew R., Alice V.—Simmons
	12 Harold Oscar Holbrook, Jr.	M	Harold Oscar, Marian—Wilbur
	14 Ruth Irene Getchell	F	Walter Arthur, Lillian Evelyn—Cousins
	18 John Matthew Logue	M	Arthur Richard, Marion T.—Carr
	19 Warren Bradley Crowell, Jr.	M	Warren, Mildred Ethel—Lewis
	26 Lois Ruth Harper	F	Frank Thomas, Gladys Ruth—Thomas
	27 Gladys May Anderson	F	George, Pearl—Urquhart
Feb.	30 Madelyn Rita Carnody	F	Richard Leo, Gladys B.—Brewer
	3 Arlene Elizabeth Nason	F	Perley C., A. Elizabeth—Larsen
	5 Shirley Patricia Cavanaugh	F	George Edward, Mabel—Brundige
	7 Sally Jane Young	F	Martin E., Lucy M.—Sillitoe
	8 Donald Beal	M	Raymond E., Greta T.—Hawes
	9 Stillborn	F	Raymond E., Alice—Rajala
	14 Kenneth Lee Pierce, Jr.	M	Kenneth Lee, Esther Helena—Dixon
	16 Clifford David Jope	M	Fred, Evelyn Rose—MacCartney
	20 Willandrew Willis	M	Harry J., Gertrude—McMahon
	28 Richard Donald Lyons	F	Willandrew, Mildren—Magnussen
Mar.	14 Grace Hilda Hanson	F	Raymond Edward, Ida B.—Canavan
	15 Charles Peter Hanson	M	William Peter, Hilda—Tavares
	15 Mary Eileen Good	F	William Peter, Hilda—Tavares
	19 Alice Marie Deininger	F	John K., Susan F.—Dempsey
	25 Claire Elaine Isaac	F	Alfred, Dora—Hohn
	26 William Daniel Lambert	M	Melville Tilston, Doris—Ernest
	29 Albert Leonard Bailey	M	Wm. W., Bertha—Washington
			Harold L., Hattie Lee—Whiting

BIRTHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1930

Date		Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
Apr.	2	Reginald John Palmer	M	Otis Lorne, Rilla—Goodblood
	4	Ruth Kendall	F	Arthur P., Gertrude Ruth—Gaffey
	5	Leonard Oliver Eaton	M	Maurice L., Sylvia—Foss
	5	Robert Arthur Knight	M	Harry B., Eleanor M.—Bennett
	8	Olive Berwick	F	Alexander, Margaret W.—Bowden
	10	William Stakenburg	M	Leendert, Amarenska—Lecluse
	16	Philip Stafford Hawkins	M	Roy Henry, Mary Ellen—Stafford
	19	Paul Albert Nilson	M	Arthur C., Ruby F.—Penney
	19		F	
	25	Carl August Moeller, Jr.	M	Carl August, Dorothy—Foss
	25	Rita Carroll	F	Thomas F., Margarette M.—Ashe
	26		M	
	27	Babcock	F	Albert Milton, Eola—Smith
May	3	Jane Kiley	F	George H., Agnes—Kelley
	7	Shirley Louise McLaughlin	F	John F., Georgianna—Benson
	7	Earle James Wassmouth	M	Hjalmar V., Minnie L.—Bruce
	9	James John Cotter	M	James John, Hazel—Oxley
	10	Ira William Proctor	M	Frank Warren, Ellen Day—Leighton
	10	Mary Margaret Matilda White	F	George, Regina—McDevitt
	14	George Howard Soule	M	Frederick James, Anna—VanOosterwyck
	15	Donald Avery MacPherson	M	Avery D., Emma Mae—Penney
	18	John Edward Jansen	M	Alfred J., Helen Gertrude—Riley
	22	Stillborn	F	
	23	Jean Martha Bailey	F	Leslie Irving, Martha—Ringdahl
	27	Phyllis Elizabeth Hicks	F	William W., Alice M.—Frank
June	2	Alden Wilson Powers	M	Frederick Forest, Mildred A.—Wilson
	3	Gerald Gaynor	M	James F., Mary L.—McInerney
	4	David Joseph Burns	M	Norman H., Helen L.—McEntee
	4	Rupert Cecil Reid	M	Rupert M., Clare—Fulton
	6	Shirley Lorraine Hoffin	F	Richard F. Hoffin, Blanche E.—Byers

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BIRTHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1930

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
7	Burton Granger	M	George, Eva—Kelly
9	Thomas Bernard McLaughlin	M	Edward F., Mary C.—Treulson
11	Rose Elvera Peterson	F	George H., Aurora E.—Nelson
11	Mary Irene Truelson	F	Karl Wm., Doris—Merrill
12	Julia Virginia Mann	F	Benjamin Jesse, Catherine—Brady
21	Edward Long Mahoney	M	John J., Anna Margaret—Long
25	Harriett June Hearn	F	Walter Richard, Harriet Carleton—Swift
27	Mary Amelia Cannizzaro	F	Silvio, Amelia—Paulicelli
30	Stillborn	F	
2	Charles Francis Taylor	M	Randolph F., Marguerite E.—Chasse
5	Russell Edward Dolan	M	Henry A., Blanche J.—Murphy
13	Mirian Elizabeth Whitney	F	John B., Kathryn—Larsen
14	Walter Robert Cartwright	M	Ralph W., Virginia—Sargent
15	Alice Catherine Walsh	F	Richard E., Catherine M.—Gallagher
16	Jacqueline Marie Dallmer	F	Arthur John, Agnes Hazel—Hetne
21	Joseph Loud	M	Richard Mathes, Gertrude R.—Coughlin
24	Richard Harold Horne	M	Harold W., Ethel M.—Price
30	David James Good	M	David J., Barbara T.—Purecell
5	Clare Winnifred Frawley	F	George Leo, Catherine J.—McDonnell
11	James Francis Tierney	M	Edmund F., Elizabeth T.—Condon
18	Joseph Hart, Jr.	M	Joseph, Elizabeth J.—Fleming
19	Frank Edward Drinkwater	M	Frank, Grace—Drinkwater
21	Stillborn	F	
25	Jane Cattanaeh	F	John Grant, Gertrude—Lester
28	Jeanne Darling	F	Vane M., Constance J.—Grover
30	Evelyn Eleanor Eagles	F	Melvin Chester, Ruth Randall—Powers
1	Ann Therese O'Keefe	F	Wm. Joseph, Jane E.—Mournes
7	Loretta Linnell Briscoe	F	Walter E., Harriett—Linnell
8	George Arnold M. Hawkins, Jr.	M	George A., Lois—Roney
9	Claire Rita Cerasulo	F	Tobio, Delia A.—LaBelle

BIRTHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1930

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
17	William Blase Selvitelle	M	Benjamin, Elsie May—Sly
17	Marion Jessie Trulson	F	Hilding, Ethel M.—White
21	David LeRoy Harris	M	Charles Wm., Sophie V.—Jandrew
21	John Frederick Detrick	M	John Frederick, Maybelle L.—Shanks
24	James Frederick Blakeley	M	Chas. Frederick, Lillian—Donovan
25	Barbara Cunningham	F	Chas. J., Mary A.—O'Leary
27	John William Mulcahey	M	Edward C., Alma—Young
29	Jeanne McLucas	F	James J., Mary E.—Scully
30	Shirley Edna Magussen	F	Albert, Phebe—Willis
30	Shirley Rose Teed	F	Frank F., Annie E.—Mann
2	Louis Edward Croker, Jr.	M	Louis Edward, Gloria—Dias
2	Russell Weston Bennett	M	Russell W., Sarah A.—Dolley
4	Barbara Cox Herrick	F	Frank W., Verna—Cox
12	William Francis Cleggett	M	John J., Anna M.—Currie
13	Stillborn	M	
13	Stillborn	M	
15	Frederick Thomas Flood	M	Robert Ingersoll, Louise—Jaquith
20	Kenneth Flint Wood	M	Fred E., Marguerite D.—Phinney
25	Alfred George Quimby	M	Alfred, Alice Francis—Chadbourne
25	Ralph Norman Payne	M	Ernest H., Cora E.—Taber
30	Marion Anna Delaney	F	Premar George, Mary E.—Sanderson
31	Virginia Lorraine Isaac	F	Harry C. Jr., Helen A.—Anderson
1	Robert Kenneth McCarthy	M	Stephen W., Marion—Mitchell
3	DeAngelis	M	Alfred, Mary—DeAngelis
7	Robert William Cunniff	M	Wm. H. Jr., Olive M.—McLeod
7	Eleanor Elizabeth Hand	F	Francis Leo, Mary Alice—O'Keefe
10	Arlene Lois Crowell	F	Raymond V., Ruth M.—Smart
12	John Lawrence McDonald	M	Francis X., Elizabeth C.—Griffin
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Oct.

Nov.

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BIRTHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1930

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
19	Robert Marconi	M	Jeffrey, Annie—Flannigan
21	Elizabeth Ann Welch	F	George, Mildred—Hallihan
22	Stillborn	F	
24	Winton Allen George Washington	M	Winton, Ophelia L.—Allison
10	Walter Henry Stewart	M	Todd Hans, Elizabeth Agnes—MacDonald
11	Harriet Irene Scott	F	Elmer F., Nancy E.—Colburn
11	Helen Theresa Duffy	F	Edward H., Angeline—Crovo
13	Stephen Janelinnas	M	Stephen, Helen—Kakshtis
17	Barbara Jean Fletcher	F	Sidney G., Ruth T.—Lamb
21	Radi Pejouthy	M	Russell A., Lena M.—Rossi
29	Donald Austin Eagles	M	Henry Austin, Ruth—Salzgeber

Dec.

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Mar.	17	Edward Gerard Sullivan	M	Florence J., Margaret A.—Kane
July	23	Walter Joseph Good	M	Walter Joseph, Alice R.—Gallagher
	27	Joan Marie Hughes	F	Urban, Theresa—Murphy

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NOTICE

The attention of parents is called to the law relating to the registering of births. The present requirement is as follows:

Chap. 29, Sec. 6, of the Revised Laws. Parents within forty days after the birth of a child . . . shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the town or city in which such child is born.

Sec. 8. A parent . . . who neglects to do so for ten days after the time limited therefor, . . . shall forfeit not more than five dollars for each offence.

Attention of PHYSICIANS and MIDWIVES is called to Chap. 280, Sec. 1, Acts of 1912: Sec. 1. Physicians and midwives shall, within forty-eight hours after the birth of every child in cases of which they are in charge, mail or deliver to the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which the birth occurred, a notice stating the date and place of the birth, giving the street number, if any, the number of the ward in a city and the family name. Failure to mail or deliver the said notice shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars for each offence.

In accordance with the provisions of the law, the Town Clerk is prepared to furnish to parents, physicians and midwives applying therefor, blanks for return of births as required by law.

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MARRIAGES RECORDED—1930

Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
Jan.	1 Edward Michael Dillon	South Boston
	Catherine V. Donovan	North Randolph
	1 Ilidio Carvalho	Randolph
	Mary Almedia	Brockton
	4 James P. Whealan	Randolph
	Susan M. McLaughlin	Randolph
	11 Maurice Leonard Eaton	Randolph
	Sylvia Foss	Randolph
	19 George A. Glynn	Randolph
	Grace Roseanna	Braintree
April	2 Berwin Edgar Fuller	Randolph
	Helen Ethel McCrea	Randolph
	19 Thomas B. Mann	Randolph
	Signe E. Hagg	Stoughton
	21 Burton G. Morrill	Stoughton
	Marie S. Nelson	Randolph
	22 Arthur C. Baker	Randolph
	Sarah A. Greenwood (Grey)	Boston, Mass.
	26 William H. Cunniff	East Braintree
	Olive Marie McLeod	Randolph
May	30 Morgan Francis Baxter	Randolph
	Alice G. Gallagher	Roslindale
	30 William R. Hurley	Randolph
	Alice M. Keith	Randolph
	10 C. Lloyd Claff	Randolph
	Frances Marion Staska	Lake Forest, Ill.
	10 Edward W. Newton	Boston
	Jennie F. Strati (Stoebel)	Boston
	18 Ralph J. Wright	Randolph
	Roella Crumley	Boston

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Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
29	Harold Joseph Barry	Randolph
	Rose M. Derby	Brockton
30	Horace Lester Philbrick	Saugus
	Marian Elizabeth Bastian	Malden
June 7	George Edward Harvey	Brockton
	Mary Louise Patten	Randolph
7	Magnus Magnussen	Randolph
	Violet Stalliday	Randolph
21	William H. Clayton	Randolph
	Annie M. Whitaker	Pembroke, Mass.
21	Raymond S. Martin	Randolph
	Grace E. Hastings	Springfield
22	Frederick Charles McLane	Allston
	Louise Catherine Campbell	Randolph
22	Albert E. Blomgren	Randolph
	Ethel M. LeVangie	South Braintree
28	Matthew T. Hern	Stoughton
	Alice M. O'Brien	Randolph
30	William J. Ahern	Holbrook
	Mary A. Donahue	Randolph
July 4	Edwin A. Nelson	Randolph
	Madeline E. Stranger	Dorchester
4	William Albert Morse	Randolph
	Viola M. Kenney	Randolph
12	Richard J. Gray	Randolph
	Georgeanna Newcomb	Randolph
12	Carl L. Macauley	Randolph
	Irene A. Thuotte	Brockton
20	James N. Corner	Newtonville
	Virginia C. Nason	Randolph
26	John Maloof	Randolph
	Eva George	Randolph
Aug. 4	Patrick J. Linnehan	Randolph
	Katherine B. Condon	Bridgewater

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Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
6	Charles Dellheim	Randolph
	Elizabeth DesRoches (Lacey)	Randolph
17	Harold Leonard MacNeill	Brockton
	Mary Katherine MacKinnon	Quincy
19	Edwin L. Needham	New York City
	Margaret M. Desmond	Randolph
22	Norman E. Wing	Randolph
	Helen M. Blakely	Randolph
23	Freeman Nickerson Moody	Falmouth
	Victoria Ann Tyskiewicz	Abington
Sept. 6	Vane M. Darling	Brockton
	Constance Joline Grover	Randolph
13	Charles J. Crooks	Revere
	Viola A. Anderson	Randolph
19	Samuel Cordaro	Braintree
	Margaret C. Otis	Randolph
20	John J. Crovo	Randolph
	Josephine Scavage	Stoughton
Oct. 8	Herbert Edwin Olsen	Randolph
	Hilda Josephine Monson	West Peabody
9	George Harrison Taylor	Randolph
	Margaret Dorothy Bunn	Stoughton
11	Walter Burg	Roxbury
	Ethel Lillian Mann	Randolph
12	Richard A. Gillis	Randolph
	Irene N. Fish	Hudson
26	William A. Benson, Jr.,	Randolph
	Frances Rosanna	South Braintree
Nov. 27	Paolo Bonetti	Randolph
	Carmela Esposito	Randolph
Dec. 6	John Joseph Bandzul	Randolph
	Frances E. Jardine	Randolph
24	Charles H. Murphy	Dorchester
	Ethel V. MacLane	North Randolph

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

DEATHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1930

Date of Death	Name	Age		Cause of Death	Birthplace	
		Y.	M.			
Jan.	Sarah G. Holmes	65	6	11	Carcinoma	Plymouth, Mass.
	Albert K. Hill	69	0	3	Arterio-Sclerosis	Boston, Mass.
	Annie D. Lynch	73	7	—	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph, Mass.
	Hazel Powers	21	1	30	Chronic Valvular Disease	Quincy, Mass.
Feb.	John Matthew Logue	—	—	10	Convulsions	Randolph, Mass.
	Lillian M. Lothrop	57	11	25	Mitral Regurgitation	Jonesboro, Maine
	Stillborn	—	—	—	—	—
	McNeill	0	0	3	Meningocele	Brockton, Mass.
Mar.	Lucy Dell Sears	81	11	0	Arterio-Sclerosis	Worcester, Mass.
	Mabel C. Robertson	41	11	6	Asphyxiation	Salem, Mass.
	Ada A. Dowling	30	8	8	Mitral Stenosis	Raynham, Mass.
	Elizabeth A. Burke	70	2	19	Perforated Ulcer	Randolph, Mass.
	Meaney	—	—	4	Hemorrhage	Randolph, Mass.
	Mary C. Gray	17	—	—	Toxemia	Boston, Mass.
	Charles H. Thayer	86	8	4	Myocarditis-Pneumonia	Randolph, Mass.
	Margaret J. Farrell	80	4	10	Arterio-Sclerosis	W. Quincy, Mass.
	Thomas J. Smith	76	5	7	General Septic Infection	Brockton, Mass.
	—	—	—	1	Prematurity	—
	Annie A. Duff	61	2	17	Lobar Pneumonia	Randolph, Mass.
	Eva Nevulis	20	1	22	Multiple sarcoma	Boston, Mass.
	Richard F. Keith	65	7	9	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph, Mass.
	William Henry Johnson	54	6	—	Lobar Pneumonia	Randolph, Mass.
Apr.	Mary A. Doyle	58	1	18	Sudden death	Ireland
	John B. Duff	59	1	1	Chronic myocarditis	Randolph, Mass.
	May A. Stevens	45	8	7	Coronary thrombosis	Andover, Mass.
	Rosa Egersheim	80	—	—	Oedema of brain	Germany
	Daniel W. Nichols	52	5	15	Chronic Nephritis	Ft. Fairfield, Me.
	Francis C. Payne	73	—	18	Arterio-Sclerosis	Holbrook, Mass.
	Elizabeth J. Beatty	61	2	28	Chronic Nephritis	St. John, N. B.
	Margaret E. Hand	68	—	—	Acute Enteritis	Randolph, Mass.
	Horace L. Porter	70	11	24	Chronic Myocarditis	Boston, Mass.

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EPIGRAPH

Beginning with the death of Francis B. Thayer, May 22nd, and continuing to the death of Annie Norton, October 12th, the cause of death and birthplace will be found one line above name and age, as:

May 22 Francis B. Thayer 80 0 23 Chronic Myocarditis Randolph

DEATHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1930

Date of Death	Name	Age		Cause of Death	Birthplace
		Y.	M. D.		
17	Margery L. Dean	5	—	Generalized Sepsis	Boston, Mass.
27				Prematurity	
May 3	Harriet M. Garland	80	8	Chronic myocarditis	Yarmouth, Me.
4	Mary Elizabeth White	78	8	Oedema of brain	Marblehead, Mass.
May 4	Charles R. MacDonald	19	2	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Randolph, Mass.
8	Mary E. Sullivan	70	9	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph, Mass.
12	Jessie D. Brown	87	1	Hypostatic Pneumonia	Scotland
16	Rocco C. Damiano	15	23	Accidental fracture Skull	Boston, Mass.
22	Stillborn			Chronic Myocarditis	Randolph, Mass.
22	Francis B. Thayer	80	0	Arterio-Sclerosis	Randolph, Mass.
29	Jennette B. French	90	11	Arterio-Sclerosis	Randolph, Mass.
June 6	Bernard Moore	79	2	Carcinoma	Randolph, Mass.
12	Wm. Henry Marson	70	0	Chronic myocarditis	Boothbay Harbor, Maine
26	Eva Peterson	84	5	Cardiac disease	Sweden
30	David N. Stanley	78	5	Prematurity	Swans Island, Me.
30				Multiple Carcinoma	
July 1	Julia M. Ernst	50	11	Periculous Anemia	Wolfville, N. S.
2	Annie M. Condon	69	1	Arterio-Sclerosis	Ireland
2	Jeremiah F. Hurly	69	—	Chronic Myocarditis	Randolph, Mass.
8	Katherine M. Schworm	63	—	Rupture	Boston, Mass.
13	Allie M. Crawn Kinney	43	6	Acute Nephritis	Swartwood, N. J.
16	Mary E. Plummer	69	7	Chronic Myocarditis	Florida
17	Mary J. DeNeill	68	—	Sarcoma	Randolph, Mass.
23	Albert W. Beswick	6	5	Prematurity	Boston, Mass.
28				Myocarditis	
Aug. 5	Thomas E. Burbank	84	5	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph, Mass.
9	Nellie H. Bussey	46	4	Fractured Skull	Nova Scotia
16	Oscar L. Hodgkins	38	8	Peritonitis	Bar Harbor, Me.
19	Carmen Capobianco	60	—		Italy
21	Stillborn			Chronic Heart Disease	Cohasset, Mass.
21	William D. Hatchfield	76	—	Volvulus	Boston, Mass.

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DEATHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1930

Date of Death	Name	Age Y. M. D.	Cause of Death	Birthplace
24	Anthony Daitte	42	Arterio-Sclerosis	Bedeque, P. E. I.
26	Daniel A. Cobb	67	Senile Decay	Randolph, Mass.
30	Mary E. Donahue	79	Chronic Myocarditis	Three Rivers, Can.
Sept. 8	Ephraim Baptiste	73	Senile Decay	Nova Scotia
13	William DeCost	89	Diabetes Mellitus	Holbrook, Mass.
14	Harriett N. Moore	74	Tuberculosis	Newfoundland
25	Michael J. Murray	40	Acute Meningitis	Unknown
27	Richard Cushing	6	Oedema of brain	Palermo, Italy
28	Giuseppe Cannella	57	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph, Mass.
Oct. 3	Elizabeth Dolan	55	Arterio-Sclerosis	Germany
6	Catherine Kachele	73	Chronic Nephritis	Dorchester, Mass.
11	Walter H. Brock	72	Acute Bronchitis	Troy, N. Y.
12	Annie Norton	78		
13	Stillborn	4		
13	Stillborn	25		
19	Clarence Andrew Wallace	70	Arterio-Sclerosis	Nova Scotia
24	Mary T. Burke	58	Carcinoma	Randolph, Mass.
Nov. 7	Constance Donaldson	33	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Weymouth, N. S.
9	Edmund M. Lampard	71	Prematurity	
18	Maren Truelson	7	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	England
22	Stillborn	75	Angina Pectoris	Falster, Denmark
28	Mary Barry	88	Arterio-Sclerosis	Ireland
Dec. 6	Elbridge Jones	74	Carcinoma	Randolph, Mass.
7	Christina Bodenstein	70	Carcinoma	Sweden
7	Ida Adelia Hayden	74	Cholecystitis	Randolph, Mass.
12	Hugh Francis McDonnell	64	Arterio-Sclerosis	Cork, Ireland
14	Michael F. Brady	65	Myocarditis	Randolph, Mass.
22	Annie M. Clark	82	Chronic Myocarditis	Fitchburg, Mass.
31	Assunta Volpe	31	Chronic Myocarditis	Italy
31	Harry Warden	84	Carcinoma	Burlington, Vt.

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INTERMENTS IN RANDOLPH IN 1930

of persons dying elsewhere

Date	Name	Age		Place of Death
		Y.	M. D.	
Jan.	1 Bert R. Butler	47	5 1	Belmont, Mass.
	2 Mary P. Bourbeau	41	—	Holbrook, Mass.
Feb.	4 Joseph Tantillo	2	10 18	Braintree, Mass.
	5 Thomas F. Pierce	44	—	Brockton, Mass.
	8 Catherine T. Dempsey	71	1 2	Holbrook, Mass.
	9 Wallace A. Fowan	52	6 0	Rockland, Mass.
	11 Robert C. Murphy	—	— 1	Winthrop, Mass.
	13 Sarah Hassett	66	—	Quincy, Mass.
	13 Mary Cormier	59	—	Boston, Mass.
	13 Mary Crosson	84	—	South Boston, Mass.
	15 Mabel E. York	32	9 0	Wollaston, Mass.
March	1 — Belcher	—	— 0	Brockton, Mass.
	3 Emeline Littlehale	45	10 14	Brockton, Mass.
	21 Carrie Luff	68	—	Worcester, Mass.
	21 Patrick J. Crowley	74	—	Roxbury, Mass.
	22 William Henry Johnson	54	4 —	Brockton, Mass.
	24 Julia Gill	41	6 18	Quincy, Mass.
	24 Robert L. Gallagher	13	7 6	Holbrook, Mass.
	26 Michael P. O'Connor	82	—	Newton Highlands, Mass.
	28 May A. Holbrook	45	8 7	Brockton, Mass.
	30 Nancy A. Wood	81	8 28	W. Bridgewater, Mass.
April	5 Mary LaJoie	76	—	Quincy, Mass.
	8 Patsy Grayross	32	—	Boston, Mass.
	11 Annie A. (Hall) Hollis	50	— 29	Quincy, Mass.
	11 Madeline Cinquegrano	46	—	Weymouth, Mass.
	24 Hattie M. Huston	79	1 22	Braintree, Mass.
	24 Robert M. Snow	15	—	Boston, Mass.

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INTERMENTS IN RANDOLPH IN 1930

of persons dying elsewhere

Date	Name	Age Y. M. D.	Place of Death
May	26 Hannah Pierce	58 — —	Dorchester, Mass.
	26 Florence Young	27 10 10	Quincy, Mass.
	26 Albert L. Porter	37 8 30	Avon, Mass.
	30 William Milligan	78 11 21	Cambridge, Mass.
	10 Mary E. Bradley	59 — —	Dorchester, Mass.
	10 Herbert F. French	62 1 2	Brantree, Mass.
	12 Henry Sheehan	44 1 2	Brockton, Mass.
	18 Mary Hayes	61 — —	Boston, Mass.
	18 Patrick J. Behan	58 — —	New York, N. Y.
	24 — Lane	— — 7	Holbrook, Mass.
June	5 William H. Olmstead	60 9 4	Norfolk, Mass.
	9 Susie Ellen Burrell	63 2 12	Abington, Mass.
	22 James H. Rockwell	56 8 7	Abington, Mass.
	25 John H. Fitzgerald	64 — —	Dorchester, Mass.
July	6 — Mountainland	— — —	Weymouth, Mass.
	7 Thomas Lyons	59 — —	Brantree, Mass.
	9 Catherine L. Hassett	70 — —	Weymouth, Mass.
	11 Jeremiah J. Sullivan	75 — —	Holbrook, Mass.
Aug.	12 Mary E. Oliver	61 7 2	E. Bridgewater, Mass.
	16 — Graziosi	— — 1	South Brantree, Mass.
	12 Franklin Ames Packard	73 8 26	Cambridge, Mass.
	14 John F. Riley	62 7 10	Brockton, Mass.
	17 Virginia Jello	42 — —	South Brantree, Mass.
	20 William Gill	76 5 28	Holbrook, Mass.
	25 Mary Ann Taylor	62 — —	Quincy, Mass.
	25 — Haswell	0 — —	Brantree, Mass.
	27 Harriett A. Blanchard	56 — —	Charlestown, Mass.

INTERMENTS IN RANDOLPH IN 1930
of persons dying elsewhere

Date	Name	Age			Place of Death
		Y.	M.	D.	
28	Raphael Tustolo	—	8	14	Boston, Mass.
Sept.	Charles F. Oliver	59	—	—	Westport Point, Mass.
	Hattie M. Ryan	54	11	14	Brockton, Mass.
	Ann Gray	—	6	8	Norwood, Mass.
10	Sophia Frazier	78	—	—	Braintree, Mass.
27	John W. Cuff	53	4	—	Braintree, Mass.
Oct.	Daniel J. Casey	57	10	13	Boston, Mass.
	Annie Norton	78	4	25	Quincy, Mass.
	Eileen Coughlen	73	—	—	Boston, Mass.
	Frank Lynnfield	70	—	—	Reading, Mass.
18	Nicholes Brady	69	2	10	South Weymouth, Mass.
27	Eugene H. McGillicuddy	69	—	—	Quincy, Mass.
Nov.	Enos Thomas Conrad	84	11	19	Brockton, Mass.
	Leroy Clinton	—	2	12	South Braintree, Mass.
	Elizabeth F. Kelleher	70	7	29	Stoughton, Mass.
15	Rosella Leavett	27	5	21	Melrose, Mass.
21	Josephine M. Bancroft	45	6	5	Braintree, Mass.
29	Preston Abbott	79	3	29	Brockton, Mass.
Dec.	Anna M. Pratt	67	—	—	Brockton, Mass.
	Joseph B. Carroll	60	—	—	North Grafton, Mass.
	Russell B. Arenburg, Jr.	—	—	—	Brockton, Mass.
12	Caroline B. Thayer	89	—	—	Roxbury, Mass.
15	Peter Carney	80	—	—	Quincy, Mass.
15	John H. Moy, Jr.	43	—	—	Boston, Mass.
17	Mary E. Sweeney Song	63	8	24	Leominster, Mass.
22	Jane DeYoung	69	—	—	Braintree, Mass.
26	Joseph E. Bennett	60	9	0	Franklin, Mass.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES

Carcinoma, Arterio-sclerosis, Cerebral Hemorrhage, Chronic Valvular Disease, Convulsions, Mitral Regurgitation, Meningocele, Asphyxiation, Mitral Stenosis, Perforated Ulcer, Hemorrhage, Toxemia, Myocarditis, Pneumonia, General Septic Infection, Premature Births, Sarcoma, Coronary thrombosis, Oedema of brain, Chronic Nephritis, Acute Enteritis, Generalized Sepsis, Pulmonary Tuberculosis, Fractured Skull, Cardiac disease, Pernicious Anemia, Rupture, Peritonitis, Stillborn, Volvulus, Senile Decay, Diabetes Mellitus, Acute Meningitis, Bronchitis, Angina Pectoris, Cholecystitis.

One each	20
Carcinoma	7
Arterio-Sclerosis	12
Cerebral Hemorrhage	6
Myocarditis	13
Premature Births	5
Oedma of brain	3
Chronic Nephritis	4
Heart Disease	3
Tuberculosis	4
Accident	2
Stillborn	6
Senile Decay	2
Pneumonia	3
Sarcoma	2
Septic Infection	2

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TABLE OF VITAL STATISTICS, YEAR 1930

January	2	5	11	5
February	0	0	11	9
March	2	0	8	12
April	5	7	13	7
May	5	5	12	9
June	7	8	14	5
July	5	6	9	9
August	4	6	8	9
September	3	4	14	6
October	4	5	13	8
November	2	1	11	6
December	2	2	7	8
	<hr/> 41	<hr/> 49	<hr/> 131	<hr/> 93

Whole number of births recorded :

Males 71

Females 61

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Parents both native born 93

Parents 1 native born, 1 foreign born 23

Parents both foreign born 15

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Whole number of Marriage Intentions 41

Whole number of Marriages 49

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STATEMENT OF LICENSES ISSUED AND FEES
RETAINED BY THE TOWN CLERK

Dog Licenses to December 31, 1930:

456 males @ \$2.00 each	\$912.00
129 females @ \$5.00 each	645.00
36 females (spayed) @ \$2.00 each	75.00
2 Breeder's Licenses @ \$25.00 each	50.00
6 Transfers @ \$.20 each	1.20

\$1,680.20

Cash to County Treasurer	\$1,552.60
Cash on hand	2.00
Fees retained	125.60

\$1,680.20

Hunting, Fishing and Trapping Licenses:

166 Resident Citizens' Sporting Licenses @ \$2.25 each	\$373.50
6 Resident Trapping Licenses @ \$2.25 each	13.50
7 Minor's Trapping Licenses @ \$.75 each	5.25
2 Duplicate Licenses @ \$.50 each	1.00

\$393.25

Cash paid Massachusetts Division of Fisheries and Game	\$348.50
Fees Retained	44.75

\$393.25

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. McNEILL,

Town Clerk.

Report of the Town Treasurer

John B. McNeill, Town Treasurer, in account with
the Town of Randolph, year 1930:

Dr.

Balance on hand January 1,		
1930	\$8,371.55	
Received during year	541,007.45	
	<hr/>	\$549,379.00

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Paid sundry persons as per		
Warrants	\$433,440.70	
Balance—on deposit in banks:		
Special Fund	\$3,385.30	
New School		
Building		
Funds	110,295.33	
General Cash	2,257.67	
	<hr/>	\$115,938.30
	<hr/>	\$549,379.00

Randolph, Mass., January 26, 1931.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Town Treasurer and have reconciled his bank balances and verified his cash and find same correct as per balance at end of the year 1930.

JAMES V. DONOVAN,
M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,

Auditors.

Norfolk, ss.

January 26, 1931.

Subscribed and sworn to before me:

WALDO E. MANN,

Justice of Peace.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

John B. McNeill, Treasurer, in account with the
Town of Randolph:

SPECIAL FUND

Balance on hand January 1, 1930	\$3,895.56	
Interest on deposits	179.93	
	<hr/>	\$4,075.49
Payments	\$690.19	
Balance on hand—Randolph Trust Co.	3,385.30	
	<hr/>	\$4,075.49

SOLDIERS' MONUMENT FUND

Balance on hand January 1, 1930	\$262.00	
Interest	13.25	
	<hr/>	\$275.25
Payments	\$10.70	
Balance—Randolph Savings Bank	264.55	
	<hr/>	\$275.25

SCHOOL PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT FUND

Balance on hand January 1, 1930	\$51.81	
Dec. 31, 1930—Balance on deposit —Randolph Trust Co.	2.61	
	<hr/>	\$54.42

CODDINGTON FUND

Jan. 1, 1930—Balance on deposit —Randolph Savings Bank	\$1,900.00	
Interest	96.18	
	<hr/>	\$1,996.18
Interest withdrawn	\$96.18	
Balance on deposit—Randolph Savings Bank	1,900.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,996.18

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Randolph, Mass., January 28, 1931.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph have this day examined the—

Coddington Fund (on deposit in Randolph Savings Bank)	\$1,900.00
Special Fund (on deposit in Savings Department, Randolph Trust Co.)	3,385.30
Soldiers' Monument Fund (on deposit in Randolph Savings Bank)	264.55
School Playground Equipment Fund (on deposit in Randolph Trust Co.)	54.42
and find the same to correspond with the accounts of the Town Treasurer.	

Norfolk, ss.

January 28, 1931.

JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
Town Auditors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

WALDO E. MANN,
Justice of the Peace.

My commission expires May 4, 1934.

Report of the Town Accountant

RECEIPTS

General Revenue

TAXES

Current Year:

Poll	\$1,930.00	
Personal	16,976.85	
Real Estate	98,230.11	
	<hr/>	\$117,136.96

Previous Years:

Poll	\$965.80	
Personal	1,394.33	
Real Estate	57,619.65	
	<hr/>	59,979.78

Excise Tax, 1929	\$3,190.32	
Excise Tax, 1930	7,079.72	
	<hr/>	10,270.04

Special Assessments:

Moth Tax (previous years)	\$38.00	
Current Year	122.50	
	<hr/>	160.50

From State:

Income Tax	\$22,184.20	
Bank Tax	1,167.87	
Corporation Tax	4,719.73	
	<hr/>	28,071.80

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LICENSES AND PERMITS

Licenses:

Liquor	\$1.00	
Junk	62.50	
Pedlars	36.00	
Victualers	26.00	
Billiards and Bowling	8.00	
Milk and Oleo	43.50	
Gasoline	2.00	
All other	26.00	
	<hr/>	205.00

Permits:

All other	28.00	28.00
Court Fines	428.06	428.06

Grants and Gifts:

From State:

Veterans' Exemption	\$130.66
Educational	16,536.60
From County (Dog Licenses)	1,345.24

\$18,012.50

COMMERCIAL REVENUE: DEPARTMENTAL

Collector	\$38.10
Police	14.00
Fire	.60
Sealer of Weights and Measures	92.08
Health	558.43
Highways (County Construction)	586.00
County—Miscellaneous	2.40

Infirmery:

Sale of Produce	37.85
Board (inside)	258.00
Board (outside)	52.00

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Charities:

Relief (Cities and Towns)	905.93
“ (State)	604.07

Soldiers' Benefits:

State Aid	750.00
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Schools:

Other tuition	3,489.16
All other	14.40

Unclassified:

Tax title redemptions	843.49
“ “ costs	18.00

8,264.51

Public Service: (Water Dept.)

Schedule Rates	\$4,118.68
Rental and Meter Rates	15,170.96
All Others	1,722.80
Fire Insurance	2.50

21,014.94

Commercial Revenue (Interest)

General	\$406.15
Special	179.93
Taxes (Lyons)	3,771.14
“ (Perkins)	77.27
Tax Titles	38.04

4,472.53

Refunds and Transfers:

Refunds:

State Aid	\$6.00
Water (Joint)	15.28
Interest and Discount	23.75

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Tax Deeds (Collector)	2.35	
Tax Title Costs	3.00	
Water (Maintenance)	102.24	
Schools	9.05	
Fire Department	9.09	
Special Fund	102.14	
Soldiers' Monument Fund	10.70	
	<hr/>	283.60

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Temporary Loans:

Anticipation of Revenue	\$145,000.00	
General Loans (Schools)	113,000.00	
Public Service (Water)	12,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$270,000.00

Premiums on Bonds and Notes:

School Loans	2,679.23
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Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1930:

General	\$4,475.99	
Special Fund	3,895.56	
	<hr/>	8,371.55
		<hr/>
		\$549,379.00

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

PAYMENTS

General Government

EXPENDITURES

Selectmen:

Salaries	\$650.00	
Clerks	131.55	
Other Labor	52.00	
Stationery and Postage	19.10	
Printing and Advertising	100.00	
Carfares	22.00	
Telephone	91.48	
Typewriter	107.50	
All Others	59.13	
	<hr/>	\$1,232.76

Moderator:

Salary	\$50.00	
	<hr/>	\$50.00

Accounting Department:

Salary	\$1,200.00	
Clerk	12.00	
Stationery and Postage	33.68	
Printing and Advertising	62.96	
Telephone	.30	
Binders	23.12	
All Others	7.82	
	<hr/>	\$1,339.88

Auditing Department:

Salaries	\$180.00	
Traveling Expenses	15.00	
Depositions	3.25	
	<hr/>	\$198.25

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Treasurer's Department:

Salary	\$900.00	
Stationery and Postage	102.76	
Telephone	68.83	
Bond	135.00	
Certifying Notes	50.00	
All Other	13.30	
	<hr/>	\$1,269.89

Collector's Department:

Commissions	\$2,739.00	
Clerk	45.00	
Bond	270.00	
Stationery and Postage	311.60	
Printing and Advertising	154.63	
Adding Machine	77.36	
Tax Titles	231.91	
All Other	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,833.50

Assessors' Department:

Salaries	\$1,800.00	
Clerks	314.70	
Poll List	318.10	
Stationery and Postage	90.95	
Printing and Advertising	13.75	
Carfares	78.50	
Telephone	55.90	
Maps and Plans	2,154.69	
Transcript of Deeds	237.19	
All Other	24.57	
	<hr/>	\$5,088.35

Finance Committee:

Printing	\$128.75
Stationery and Postage	6.60

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Clerks	55.00	
Traveling Expenses	4.10	
	<hr/>	\$194.45

Law Department:

Town Counsel	\$153.00	
Special Attorneys	215.00	
Claims	211.93	
Court Judgment	1,225.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,804.93

Town Clerk:

Salary	\$1,100.00	
Reporting Fees	293.75	
Stationery and Postage	63.08	
Printing and Advertising	1.25	
Telephone	4.00	
All Other	48.73	
	<hr/>	\$1,510.81

Election and Registration Dept.:

Salaries	\$150.00	
Election Officers	645.00	
Labor	152.50	
Stationery and Postage	13.00	
Printing and Advertising	240.50	
Meals	143.00	
All Other	6.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,350.00

Town Office:

Janitor's Salary	\$720.00	
Fuel	262.10	
Lighting	501.94	
	<hr/>	\$1,484.04

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Police Department:

Police Chief's Salary	\$2,100.00
Patrolman's Salary	1,900.00
Special Police	351.00
Other Employees	201.56
Auto Repairs	328.40
Motorcycle Repairs	148.79
Gasoline and Oil	551.65
Equipment for Men	70.56
New Auto and Motorcycle	692.50

Maintenance of Buildings:

Janitor's Supplies	2.33
All Other	67.23

Other Expenses:

Stationery and Postage	52.06
Telephone	194.02
Prisoners' Meals	45.10
Signals and Signs	239.35
All Other	75.51

\$7,020.06

Fire Department:

Chief's Salary	\$2,000.00
Drivers' Salaries	2,629.26
Extra Drivers' Salaries	358.00
Deputy Chief's Salary	125.00
Firemen's Salaries	1,500.00
Labor	20.40
Gasoline and Oil	83.73
Apparatus Repairs	732.34
Hose	543.82
Men's Equipment	331.50
Fire-alarm	821.59

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New Generator	988.00	
All Other	49.33	
Fuel	205.69	
Lighting	177.15	
Building Repairs	961.83	
Furnishings	64.83	
Rent No. 2 Station	36.25	
Gas Masks	50.00	
Stationery and Postage	28.00	
Telephone	100.60	
Miscellaneous Supplies	18.36	
	<hr/>	\$11,825.68

Forest Fires:

Fighting Fires	\$994.20	
Apparatus Repairs and Supplies	181.90	
Gasoline and Oil	23.08	
All Other	32.60	
	<hr/>	\$1,231.78

Sealer of Weights and Measures:

Salary	\$150.00	
Stationery	2.00	
Transportation	8.72	
Weights and Seals	28.28	
	<hr/>	\$189.00

Tree Warden:

Salary	\$250.00	
Labor	420.20	
Truck	80.00	
Hardware and Tools	28.35	
Trees	115.20	
	<hr/>	\$893.75

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Gypsy Moth Extermination:

Labor	\$482.90	
Truck	62.50	
Insecticides	133.59	
Tools	2.00	
Spraying	50.00	
All Other	10.78	
	<hr/>	\$741.77

Health Department:

Board of Health, Salaries	\$60.00	
Stationery and Postage	1.31	
Printing and Advertising	12.61	
Other General Expenses	20.46	
Medical Attendance	265.00	
Ambulance	33.85	
Norfolk County Hospital	2,694.41	
Birth Returns	35.00	
Death Returns	25.00	
Shooting of Animals	13.00	
Burial of Animals	30.00	
Gathering Rubbish	270.38	
All Other	23.08	
School Nurse	1,281.00	
School Physician	100.00	
Inspector of Animals, Salary	75.00	
Inspector of Milk, Salary	37.50	
Inspector of Slaughtering, Salary	75.00	
Dog Officer's Salary	150.00	
Health Nurse, Salary	1,000.00	
Mass. Homeopathic Hospital	74.00	
Lease of Town Dump	125.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,401.60

Highway Department:

Surveyor's Salary	\$1,500.00
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Clerical Supplies	3.00	
Telephone	45.57	
Labor	3,592.61	
Trucks	184.75	
Highway Material	5,118.22	
Equipment and Repairs	564.96	
Gasoline and Oil	431.40	
New Storehouse	1,120.80	
All Others	137.78	
	<hr/>	\$12,699.09

Alden Street:

Labor	\$236.65	
Trucks	63.25	
	<hr/>	\$299.90

Allen Street:

Labor	\$497.90	
Trucks	116.50	
Highway Material	327.50	
Gasoline and Oil	36.90	
Compressor	12.97	
Truck Repairs	7.15	
	<hr/>	\$998.92

Centre Street:

Labor	\$600.35	
Trucks	58.00	
Highway Material	141.00	
	<hr/>	\$799.35

High Street:

Labor	\$327.90	
Trucks	171.00	
	<hr/>	\$498.90

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Oak Street:

Labor	\$807.75	
Trucks	144.00	
Highway Material	561.37	
Gasoline and Oil	61.90	
Compressor	13.36	
Truck Repairs	9.87	
	<hr/>	\$1,598.25

Orchard Street:

Labor	\$756.50	
Trucks	200.50	
Highway Material	237.75	
Gasoline and Oil	5.12	
	<hr/>	\$1,199.87

Overlook Road:

Labor	\$685.95	
Trucks	153.00	
Highway Material	319.67	
Gasoline and Oil	32.73	
Compressor	8.21	
	<hr/>	\$1,199.56

Park Street:

Labor	\$124.40	
Trucks	49.50	
Highway Material	211.25	
Gasoline and Oil	12.26	
	<hr/>	\$397.40

Russ Street:

Labor	\$796.85	
Trucks	117.00	
Highway Material	108.00	
Tools	2.25	

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Dynamite	82.34	
Surveying	93.50	
	<hr/>	\$1,199.94

South Street:

Labor	\$1,188.98	
Trucks	186.75	
Highway Material	728.37	
Gasoline and Oil	63.72	
Tools	7.60	
Compressor	24.30	
	<hr/>	\$2,199.72

Vesey Road:

Labor	\$344.70	
Trucks	36.00	
Highway Material	111.00	
Gasoline and Oil	8.27	
	<hr/>	\$499.97

Waldo Street:

Labor	\$493.65	
Gasoline and Oil	5.69	
Truck Repairs	.65	
	<hr/>	\$499.99

West Street:

Labor	\$252.30	
Trucks	36.00	
Highway Material	105.75	
Gasoline and Oil	5.85	
	<hr/>	\$399.90

Woodlawn Road:

Labor	\$763.20	
Trucks	153.50	

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Gasoline and Oil	23.45	
Roller Repairs	3.85	
Compressor	53.24	
All Others	2.25	
	<hr/>	\$999.49

South Main Street Sidewalk:

Contracts	\$4,487.00	
Removing Trees	273.00	
Architect's Fees	238.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,998.00

Snow Removal:

Labor	\$577.01	
Horse Plows	191.53	
Auto Plows	697.50	
Tractor Repairs	227.95	
Plow Repairs	36.95	
Tractor Storage	60.00	
New Plow	350.00	
Sand	81.00	
Sand Storage	25.00	
Gasoline and Oil	94.60	
All Other	7.75	
	<hr/>	\$2,349.29

Street Signs:

Labor	\$36.30	
Signs	99.85	
Freight	1.85	
	<hr/>	\$138.00

Street Lights:

\$8,748.02	
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Land Damage:

Centre St.	\$6.00	
Pond St.	127.00	
North St.	114.50	
North Main St.	25.00	
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		\$272.50

Charities (Outside Relief) :

Cash Paid Out	\$3,174.50	
Groceries and Provisions	1,487.67	
Coal and Wood	441.25	
Medicine	.70	
Rent	268.00	
Clothing	44.85	
Paid City of Boston	16.00	
Paid Commonwealth of Mass.	260.71	
Burials	15.00	
Nurse	40.00	
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		\$5,748.68

Infirmary:

Superintendent's Salary	\$1,000.00	
Labor	405.80	
Groceries and Provisions	1,259.07	
Dry Goods and Clothing	215.08	
Building Repairs	3,331.20	
Fuel and Light	724.90	
Grain and Feed	217.05	
Telephone	49.76	
Burials	180.00	
All Other	256.66	
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		\$7,639.52

Soldiers' Benefits:

State Aid	\$701.00
Cash Paid Out	3,810.00

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Fuel	122.50	
Groceries and Provisions	327.15	
Medicine	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,975.65

School Department:

Superintendent's Salary	\$1,498.86
Truant Officer's Salary	177.00
Printing, Stationery and Postage	313.99
Telephone	245.57
Traveling Expenses	220.69
School Census	90.00
Clerks	335.57
All Other (General)	151.07
High School Teaching	18,390.02
Elementary School Teaching	40,666.97
Supervision	257.60
High School Books	507.32
High School Stationery Supplies	400.95
Elementary School Books	1,040.10
Elementary Stationery Supplies	824.29

Equipment:

High School	663.42
Elementary Schools	190.50
Trade and Continuation	3,799.65
Transportation Elementary Schools	4,710.70

Janitors' Services:

High School	1,855.00
Elementary Schools	3,202.17
Guard Duty	34.20
High School Lighting	727.27
Elementary School Lighting	281.24
High School Fuel	911.73
Elementary School Fuel	1,155.31

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Maintenance:

High School Repairs	1,731.94
High School Janitor's Supplies	80.36
High School All Other	139.35
Elementary School Repairs	11,818.82
Elementary School Janitor's Supplies	140.73
Elementary School All Others	355.35

Furniture and Furnishings:

High School	846.91
Elementary Schools	8.73
Rent (East Randolph Imp. Ass'n)	80.00
Nurse's Supplies	9.60
Physical Education	603.73
High School Oil Burner	2,080.00
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	\$100,546.71

School Sites:

East Randolph Lot	\$1,500.00
North Randolph Lot	3,000.00
Surveying	242.25
Title Examinations	80.00
Recording Deeds	10.76
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	\$4,833.01

East Randolph New School:

Advertising	\$27.41
Digging Test Holes	12.00
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	\$39.41

North Randolph New School:

Advertising	\$27.41
Bond	1,251.33

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Fire Insurance	50.00	
Architect's Fee	3,336.52	
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Turner Library:		
Painting	\$284.66	
Repairs to Roof	215.34	
	<hr/>	\$500.00
Unclassified:		
Paid Lieut. Thos. W. Desmond		
Post No. 169	\$792.33	
	<hr/>	\$792.33
Premiums on Notes and Bonds:		
Legal Opinion, Advertising, and Costs	\$219.00	
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Lease of A. L. Headquarters	\$1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,500.00
Memorial Day Celebration	\$300.00	
Armistice Day Celebration	200.00	
	<hr/>	500.00
Insurance:		
Policies	\$3,498.92	
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Printing and Distributing Town Reports:		
Printing	\$611.00	
Distribution	20.00	
	<hr/>	\$631.00
Soldiers' Monument Fund	\$10.70	
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Soldiers' and Sailors' Bronze Honor Roll:

Honor Roll	\$450.00	
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Care of Clock, Congregational Church:

Caretaker	\$20.00	
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Accounts Payable:

Fire Department	\$356.00	
Board of Health	6.00	
School Department	731.85	
Paint for G. A. R. Headquarters	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,098.85

Unpaid Bills:

Tax Collector's Expense	\$17.00	
Outside Relief	213.08	
School Department	1,695.71	
Water—Randolph Maintenance	31.25	
	<hr/>	\$1,957.04

Water Department:

Commissioners' Salaries	\$375.00
Superintendent's Salary	2,000.00
Clerks	98.75
Stationery and Postage	151.47
Printing and Advertising	44.00
Telephone	93.36
Taking of Land	828.38
All Other (General)	271.12

Randolph Maintenance:

Labor	\$1,636.96
Truck and Repairs	697.91
Pipe and Fittings	641.13

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Meters and Fittings	2,065.80
Gasoline and Oil	76.50
Freight	7.98
Hydrants	17.28
All Other	83.12

Service Connections:

Labor	806.03
Pipe and Fittings	823.38
All Other	106.32

Joint Account:

Labor	1,031.14
Oil and Waste	143.88
Coal	878.17
Repairs on Buildings	257.23
Chlorine	98.06
Insurance	251.18
All Other	819.06

 \$14,303.21

Stacy Street:

Labor	\$168.00
Gasoline and Oil	18.65
All Other	3.70

 \$190.35

Fairview Avenue, Dead Ends:

Labor	\$133.20
Gate Valves	16.80

 \$150.00

Water Extensions:

Labor	\$5,647.10
Pipe	4,494.26
Gasoline and Oil	201.82
Leadite	198.49

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Valves	120.60	
Tools	220.22	
Hydrants	563.57	
Gate and Service Boxes	72.25	
Freight	652.13	
Compressor	53.19	
All Other	83.83	
	<hr/>	\$12,307.46

North Main Street Renewals:

Labor	\$779.10	
Lead Pipe	161.58	
Pipe and Fittings	204.31	
Gate Valves anl Boxes	112.70	
Gasoline and Oil	9.85	
Tools	11.75	
	<hr/>	\$1,279.29

Interest:

Anticipation of Revenue Notes	\$3,507.64	
School Loans	3,029.00	
Water Loans	540.00	
Fire Dept. Loans	325.00	
Highway Loans	684.00	
Refunding Loan	337.50	
	<hr/>	\$8,423.14

Municipal Indebtedness:

Anticipation of Revenue		
Notes	\$135,000.00	
School Loans	6,000.00	
Water Loans	2,000.00	
Highway Loans	4,800.00	
Fire Dept. Loans	1,500.00	
Refunding Loan	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$150,300.00

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Agency:

State Tax	\$6,020.00	
State Highway Tax	2,120.54	
County Tax	7,443.95	
Snow Removal Tax	371.00	
	<hr/>	\$15,955.49

Refunds:

Real Estate Taxes	\$1,138.99	
Excise Tax	91.16	
Bank Tax	3.88	
Interest (Tax Titles)	4.26	
Water Rates	10.83	
	<hr/>	\$1,249.12

Balance:

Cash Dec. 31, 1930 (General)	\$112,553.00	
Special Fund	3,385.30	
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		\$549,379.00

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Temporary Loans

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1930		\$ 60,000.00
Notes issued during 1930		145,000.00
Maturities paid during 1930	\$135,000.00	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1930	70,000.00	
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	\$205,000.00	\$205,000.00

INDEBTEDNESS INSIDE STATUTORY LIMIT

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1930		\$ 46,384.40
Contracted during 1930 (School Loan)		113,000.00
Maturities paid during 1930:		
*High School Loan	\$ 1,478.90	
“ “ Equipment Loan	1,000.00	
Refunding Loan	1,000.00	
Highway Loan 1920	1,000.00	
“ “ (Canton St.)	1,000.00	
“ “ (Union St.)	2,000.00	
“ “ (Road Roller)	800.00	
Fire Ladder Truck Loan	1,500.00	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1930	149,605.50	
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	\$159,384.40	\$159,384.40

INDEBTEDNESS OUTSIDE STATUTORY LIMIT

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1930		\$41,915.60
Contracted during 1930 (Water Ext.)		12,000.00
Maturities paid during 1930:		
Water Loan (Vesey St.)	\$500.00	
“ “ (Abbey St.)	500.00	
“ “ (Stacy St.)	1,000.00	
*High School Loan	3,521.10	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1930	48,394.50	
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	\$53,915.60	\$53,915.60

* This loan was contracted for 21/71% inside and 50/71% outside debt limit.

BORROWING CAPACITY

(Inside Statutory Limit of Indebtedness)

Valuation April 1, 1928		\$5,583,200.00
“ “ 1, 1929		5,549,250.00
“ “ 1, 1930		5,797,950.00
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		\$16,930,400.00

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Less Abatements, 1928	\$154,158.10	
“ “ 1929	93,643.15	
“ “ 1930	65,843.75	
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	\$313,645.00	313,645.00
Net Valuation for three years		<hr/>
		\$16,616,755.00
3% of same, total borrowing capacity	•	166,167.55
Less Indebtedness (Inside Statutory Limit) Outstanding Dec. 31, 1930	\$149,605.50	
Net Borrowing Capacity (Inside Debt Limit) Dec. 31, 1930	16,562.05	
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	\$166,167.55	\$166,167.55

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BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

Date of Maturity	High School Equip- ment Loan	Highway Loan, Union Street	Fire Ladder Truck Loan	Highway Loan, Can- ton Street	Water Loan Stacy St.	Refunding Loan	High School Loan	Water Loan Extensions	School Loan, New Schools
1931	\$1,000	\$2,000	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$5,000	\$1,000	\$6,000
1932		2,000	1,500	1,000	1,000	1,000	5,000	1,000	6,000
1933		2,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	5,000	1,000	6,000
1934			1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	5,000	1,000	6,000
1935					1,000	1,000	5,000	1,000	6,000
1936					1,000	1,000	5,000	1,000	6,000
1937						1,000	4,000	1,000	6,000
1938							4,000	1,000	6,000
1939							4,000	1,000	6,000
1940							4,000	1,000	6,000
1941								1,000	6,000
1942								1,000	6,000
1943									6,000
1944									5,000
1945									5,000
1946									5,000
1947									5,000
1948									5,000
1949									5,000
1950									5,000
	\$1,000	\$6,000	\$5,000	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$7,000	\$46,000	\$12,000	\$113,000
									85,000
									\$198,000

TOWN OF RANDOLPH
BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1930

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Cash General	\$112,553.00	Anticipation of Revenue Notes	\$70,000.00
Cash Special	3,385.30	Premium on Notes and Bonds	2,460.23
Taxes:		Tax Title Revenue	5,845.85
1928	2,393.63	Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Revenue	8,003.11
1929	22,116.79	Departmental Revenue	4,556.01
1930	86,536.04	Water Revenue	3,356.39
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax, 1929	1,940.66	Overlay 1930	118.75
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax, 1930	6,062.45	Overlay Reserve	1,356.65
Tax Titles	5,845.85	Soldiers' Bonus Fund	3,385.30
Accounts Receivable:		Excess and Deficiency	33,449.60
Town Officers	108.50	Tax Collector's Salary	1,047.62
State and Military Aid	701.00	Tax Collector's Expenses	29.16
Health Department	308.94	Law Dept. (Rosetti Case)	400.00
Poor Department	1,844.80	Police Dept. (Traffic Signals)	547.66
School Department	1,338.02	Highway Dept. (Canton St.)	1,569.48
Land Damages	254.75	Highway Dept. (Union St.)	189.76
Water Rates:		Highway Dept. (Piping Land)	1,200.00
1928	58.06	Land Damages:	
1929	542.28	North St.	312.50
1930	2,756.05	Pond St.	612.00
Overlay:		North Main St.	275.00
1924	319.50	West and Warren Sts.	254.75
1927	159.06	School Sites	166.99
1928	277.05	Town Hall Oil Burner	800.00
1929	424.28	Honor Roll	50.00

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Court Judgments	1,225.00	Tercentennial Expenses	300.00
		Bills Payable	125.00
		Water Extensions	442.54
		Water Dept. (Stacy Street)	1.33
		East Randolph School	19,960.59
		North Randolph School	90,334.74
Net Funded or Fixed Debt	\$251,151.01		\$251,151.01
	\$198,000.00	High School Equipment Loan	\$1,000.00
		Refunding Loan	7,000.00
		Water Loan Extensions	12,000.00
		High School Loan	46,000.00
		Water Loan, Stacy St.	4,000.00
		Fire Ladder Truck Loan	5,000.00
		Highway Loan, Canton St.	4,000.00
		Highway Loan, Union St.	6,000.00
		East and North Randolph School Loan	113,000.00
Cash and Securities	\$198,000.00		\$198,000.00
	\$58,786.02	Coddington School Fund	\$1,900.00
		Stetson High School Fund	13,147.97
		Turner Reference Fund	1,068.32
		Library Funds	42,350.76
		Soldiers' Monument Fund	264.55
		Playground Fund	54.42
	\$58,786.02		\$58,786.02

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND PAYMENTS FOR 1930

ACCOUNT	Appropriations and Balances	From Reserve Fund	Refund	Raised and to be Assessors	Transferred	Payments	Overdraft	Transferred	Balance	To Revenue
Canton Street	1,569.48					799.35			1,569.48	.65
Centre Street	800.00					498.90				1.10
High Street	500.00					1,598.25				1.75
Oak Street	1,600.00					1,199.87				.13
Orchard Street	1,200.00					1,199.56				.44
Overlook Road	1,200.00					397.40				2.60
Park Street	400.00					1,199.94				.06
Russ Street	1,200.00					2,199.72				.28
South Street	2,200.00									
South Main Street										
Sidewalk	5,000.00					4,998.00				2.00
Union Street	189.76								189.76	.03
Vesey Road	500.00					499.97				.01
Waldo Street	500.00					399.90				.10
West Street	400.00					999.49				.51
Woodlawn Road	1,000.00					2,349.29				.71
Snow Removal	2,350.00					138.00				12.00
Street Signs	150.00					8,748.02				391.48
Street Lights	9,139.50								1,200.00	
Piping Land	1,200.00								1,454.25	
Land Damages	1,726.75									
Outside Relief	5,795.29	50.00				272.50				1.32
Infirmary	7,650.00					5,748.68	95.29			10.48
						7,639.52				

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND PAYMENTS FOR 1930

ACCOUNT	Appropriations and Balances	From Reserve Fund	Refund	Raised and to be Assessors	Transferred	Payments	Overdraft	Transferred	Balance	To Revenue
Soldiers' Relief and Military Aid	5,000.00	480.00	6.00			4,975.65				510.35
Schools	101,789.76		9.05			100,546.71		1,381.00		1,216.34
School Sites	5,000.00				1,345.24	4,833.01			166.99	
E. Randolph School	20,000.00					39.41			19,960.59	
N. Randolph School	95,000.00					4,665.26			90,334.74	
Turner Library	500.00					500.00				
Special Fund	4,177.63					792.33			3,385.30	
Premiums on Notes and Bonds	2,679.23					219.00			2,460.23	
Lease of A. L. Hdqs.	1,500.00					1,500.00				
Memorial Day Celebration	300.00					300.00				
Armistice Day Celebration	200.00					200.00				
Soldiers' Monument Fund			10.70			10.70				
Tercentennial Celebration	300.00								300.00	
Stetson Hall, Oil Burner	800.00								800.00	
Insurance	3,500.00					3,498.92				1.08

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND PAYMENTS FOR 1930

ACCOUNT	Appropriations and Balances	From Reserve Fund	Refund	Raised and to be Raised by Assessors	Transferred	Payments	Overdraft	Transferred	Balance	To Revenue
Reserve Fund	2,000.00									4.00
Printing and Distrib- uting Town Reports	631.00					631.00				
Honor Roll	500.00					450.00			50.00	
Care of Clock	20.00					20.00				
Accounts Payable	1,098.85					1,098.85				
Unpaid Bills	1,957.04					1,957.04				
Water Dept.	13,925.00	300.00	117.52			14,303.21		750.00		39.31
Stacy Street	941.68					190.35			1.33	
Fairview Avenue	150.00					150.00				
Water Extensions	12,000.00				750.00	12,307.46			442.54	
North Main St.										
Rents.	1,280.00					1,279.29				.71
Interest and Disc.	9,000.00		23.75			8,423.14				600.61
Maturing Debt	15,300.00					15,300.00				
Revenue Notes						135,000.00				
State Tax				6,020.00		6,020.00				
State Highway Tax				2,120.54		2,120.54				
County Tax				7,443.95		7,443.95				
Snow Removal Tax				371.00		371.00				
Refunds						1,249.12				
Balance Dec. 31, 1930										
(General)						112,553.00				
Special Fund						3,385.30				
Total						\$549,379.00				

* Shown on Balance Sheet under Bills Payable.

Respectfully submitted,
ELMER L. BURCHELL,
Town Accountant.

Report of the Water Commissioners

To the Citizens of the Town of Randolph:

The forty-fifth annual report of the Water Commissioners is herewith submitted for the year ending December 31, 1930.

Organization of the Board of Water Commissioners for the year 1930 was effected as follows:

John B. McNeill.....	Chairman
Frederick D. Driscoll.....	Clerk
Richard F. Forrest.....	Superintendent

During the past year 65 new services were connected, 107 new meters were installed, 164 meters were removed to be cleaned and repaired, 15 frozen meters removed and repaired. There were 10 leaks in the 12 in. and 14 in. mains supplying the stand-pipes of Randolph and Holbrook, these being cared for under the Joint Maintenance Account, also 49 services were renewed on account of leaks, 37 services were pumped out and cleaned, 7 hydrants were broken by motor cars and were removed, repaired and replaced.

On account of new construction on North Main Street, 19 services were renewed and 10 Gate boxes were reset on Main Gates and on South Main Street 31 services were renewed, 8 hydrants moved and relocated. Changing the grade of Center Street made necessary the relaying of 180 feet of 6 in. pipe.

NEW EXTENSIONS

During the year, as per instructions from the town, new extensions were made on the following streets:

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North Main Street, 1,800 feet 8" pipe; 4 hydrants; one 8" gate; six 6" gates.

Chestnut Street, 850 feet 6" pipe; 2 hydrants; three 6" gates.

Highland Avenue, 850 feet 6" pipe; 2 hydrants; three 6" gates.

Overlook Road, 700 feet 6" pipe; 2 hydrants; three 6" gates.

Six-inch mains were laid under new cement road to six proposed streets on opposite side of Main Street.

Two dead ends were discontinued by connecting the dead ends of the water mains at the end of Fairview Avenue and Norfolk Road. A six-inch blow-off pipe was connected here to a culvert to drain stand-pipe.

It was with great regret that on July 1st your commissioners received the resignation of August J. Peterson who had been engineer in charge of the pumping station for the past 8 years. Mr. Wm. L. Savage, who had been substituting for Mr. Peterson during his vacation was appointed to fill the vacancy, and he has given very good satisfaction.

PUMPING STATION AND EQUIPMENT

At the Pumping Station, many small repairs were made during the year. We found that the Engineer's residence was badly in need of inside repairing, namely papering and painting, a new heater, and complete bathroom fixtures. This work was let by contract to the lowest bidder.

CONDITION OF THE WATER

Samples of water were taken from the Great Pond and its tributaries in January, March, May, July,

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September and November of 1930 and submitted to the State Department of Health for analysis. These analyses showed but little change in the water from time to time.

On complaint of parties regarding the taste or smell of the water, your Water Commissioners requested the representatives of the State Department of Health to call at a number of houses in the town during the year. After investigating conditions and analyzing samples of the water we received the following statement from the State Department of Health on January 31, 1930, and similar letters after each investigation:

"The results of the analyses show that the water supplied at this house at the time of the examination was similar in all respects to that supplied to the town from Great Pond and was evidently safe for drinking. Judging from the results of the analyses, there is no indication that the use of this water for drinking would be injurious to health."

We regret being unable to have the pond and its tributaries supervised in the best possible manner. We believe that the proper way to supervise this very thickly settled Watershed is to have a man placed on the job permanently, as we have pointed out in previous reports the expense would not be great when paid by the towns of Braintree, Randolph and Holbrook (the three towns using the Pond for a source of water supply).

The drought of the summer reduced the supply of water in the Pond to an almost record low level exposing much of the bottom. At the time the water was its lowest, men from the Water Departments of Braintree, Randolph and Holbrook cleaned up the

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vegetable growth and removed trees and dead stumps and other matter that had collected in the Pond.

Two years ago we asked for an appropriation of \$2,500 for a new boiler at the Station.

The town voted \$1,500 for Randolph's share of a new Gasoline Pumping Engine, on recommendation of the Finance Committee. This recommendation was based on figures given by a representative of a pump and machinery company at a meeting of the Finance Committee and Water Commissioners, who stated that his company could install such a unit at an expenditure of about \$2,000. However, when this firm sent in their proposal, it called for \$4,200, plus foundations, tanks, etc., and we quote the following from their proposal:

"At a meeting of the Finance Committee and the members of the Water Board of Randolph, at Randolph Town Hall, March 19, Mr. ——— was given verbal instructions to make specifications and a proposal for providing and installing a complete new gasoline engine to drive the present 6-foot Allis-Chalmers two-stage centrifugal pump at Randolph Station.

"Mr. ——— stated to your committee that this is feasible. We now have to report that it is feasible but we question its advisability."

Later on we received another proposal from the same concern quoting a price of \$3,450. This did not include any labor or materials for changing foundations, nor any excavation or back filling for installation of the 1,500 gallon gasoline tank. To sum up the matter, it seemed that the cost would be just as much to install an auxiliary gas engine as to install a high

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pressure boiler. The expense for fuel for a boiler would not average eight dollars per day while the proposed gas engine would cost more than double that amount.

At a joint meeting of the Randolph and Holbrook Water Commissioners the Holbrook Water Commissioners would have absolutely nothing to do with the Gasoline Engine proposition and it was unanimously voted to lay the matter on the table at that time. If we are to continue to use steam for power to pump the water, it is imperative that a new high pressure boiler be immediately installed. We are, therefore, asking the town to appropriate a sum sufficient to cover the expense of the same.

The expenditures of the Water Department will be found in the Town Accountant's Report.

Outstanding water rates will be found in the report of the Water Collector.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. McNEILL,
RICHARD F. FORREST,
FRED D. DRISCOLL,
Water Commissioners.

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REPORT OF JOHN B. McNEILL, COLLECTOR OF
WATER RATES

Balance Levy 1928	\$373.50	
Adjustments	4.26	
		\$377.76

By Water Rates paid Treasurer	\$261.54	
By abatements	58.16	
Water Rates Uncollected	58.06	
		\$377.76

Randolph, Mass. January 26, 1931.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Collector of Water Rates and find same correct as per above statement.

JAMES V. DONOVAN,
M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors.

Norfolk, ss. January 26, 1931.

Subscribed and sworn to before me:

WALDO E. MANN,
Justice of the Peace.

Balance Water Levy 1929	\$2,183.26	
Additional	36.17	
		\$2,219.43

By water rates paid Treasurer	\$1,635.40	
By abatements	41.75	
Uncollected December 31, 1930	542.28	
		\$2,219.43

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Justice of the Peace.

Water Levy 1930	\$21,904.80
By water rates pd. Treasurer	\$19,118.00
By abatements	30.75
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1930	2,756.05
	————— \$21,904.80

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TOTAL WATER COLLECTIONS OF YEAR 1930

Meter Rates	\$14,152.96
Meter Rentals	1,013.00
Fixture Rates	4,125.18
Water at Braintree Highlands	1,124.52
Insurance	2.50
Broken Hydrants	248.28
All other	348.50
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	\$21,014.94

Due Jan. 1, 1931:

On Levy 1928	\$58.16	
On Levy 1929	542.28	
On Levy 1930	2,756.05	
	<hr/>	\$3,356.49

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Collector of Water Rates.

STATEMENT OF JOINT ACCOUNT

Joint Account Paid by Holbrook

Engineer	\$1,872.00	
Coal	2,279.06	
Repairs to House	17.00	
New Heater for House	325.00	
Payrolls	166.83	
Roberts Land	81.47	
Pipe used for repairs	19.60	
	<hr/>	\$4,760.96
Insurance damage by lightening	3.75	
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Net Amount paid by Holbrook		\$4,757.21

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Joint Account Paid by Randolph

Payrolls	\$1,021.54
Superintendent's Salary	308.75
Use of Truck	47.50
Coal	878.17
Freight and Express	23.61
Telephone	61.65
Lighting	12.96
Chlorine	87.97
Testing Instrument	22.12
Adjusting Chlorinator	43.56
Diffuser	15.05
Manometer	25.00
Repairs of Manometer	20.63
Oil and Waste	143.88
Repairing House	260.11
Valves	150.97
Compensator	29.83
Insurance	241.18
Charts	20.24
Gasket	6.24
Gage Glass	10.33
Soda Ash	13.94
Firebricks	29.50
Cement and Fire Clay	23.25
Grates	55.05
Plumbing	15.24
Hardware	30.89
Rubber Tube	3.33
Use of Compressor	9.87
Stones	3.98
Boxes	9.00

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Arches and Chicks	35.13	
Braintree Water Dept.—Legal Fees	81.47	
Reward	10.00	
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	\$3,751.94	
Less Fire Insurance collected	20.75	
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Net Amount paid by Randolph		\$3,731.19
		<hr/>
Total joint bills paid by Randolph and Holbrook		\$8,488.40
Amount to be paid by each town		\$4,244.20
Amount paid by Randolph	\$3,731.19	
Amount owed by Randolph to balance account	513.01	
	<hr/>	\$4,244.20

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RECORD OF PUMPING

To the Water Commissioners of Randolph and Holbrook:
The following is the record of pumping for the year 1930:

	Gallons Pumped	Daily Av.	Lbs. Coal Burned	Lbs. Daily Av.
January	16,346,299	527,299	55,800	1,800
February	14,431,175	515,399	49,300	1,760
March	16,637,794	536,703	53,200	1,716
April	16,251,995	541,733	51,700	1,723
May	19,980,699	644,538	62,200	2,006
June	25,133,962	837,798	59,800	1,993
July	24,882,810	802,671	66,300	2,138
August	23,682,991	763,967	59,100	1,906
September	20,777,548	692,584	52,800	1,760
October	19,173,721	618,507	51,500	1,661
November	16,581,818	552,727	47,000	1,516
December	17,609,933	568,062	48,300	1,558
	231,490,745	634,221	657,000	1,800

Largest day's pumping—July 1, 1930: 1,298,214 gallons.

Largest week's pumping ended July 7, 1930: 6,760,117 gallons.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM L. SAVAGE,

Engineer.

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

The following regulations, until further notice, shall be considered a part of the contract with every person who uses water:

1. All applications for use of water must be made at the office of the Water Commissioners, and state fully the purposes for which it is intended to be used. Water will not be introduced to premises except on the written application of the owner thereof, or by a duly authorized agent. The property will in all cases be held responsible for the water rates.

2. All persons taking water must keep their water pipes and fixtures in good repair and protected from the frost at their own expense. They will be held liable for all damages resulting from their failure to do so. They shall prevent all unnecessary waste, and water shall not be left running to prevent freezing. The Water Commissioners or their agents may, from time to time, ascertain the quantity of water used, the manner of its use, and whether there is any unnecessary waste. They and their agents shall have free access to the premises supplied, to examine the apparatus, and if any fixtures are found not to be in good order, they shall direct them repaired, and if not repaired within two days the water shall be shut off and not let on again until such repairs are made, and the sum of two dollars paid for shutting off and turning on the water.

3. The occupant of any premises, when unnecessary waste of water occurs, shall be liable to a fine of two dollars for the first offence, and four dollars for the second offence during the same year, and shall be notified thereof in writing; and if such waste is not prevented and the

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aforesaid paid within two days from the time when the said notice is given, the water shall be shut off the premises, and shall not be again let on for the same occupant until the waste be stopped and the fine paid, together with an addition sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water, and in case of a third or subsequent offence the water shall be shut off, and shall not again be let on except by a vote of the Water Commissioners and the payment of such fine, not exceeding ten dollars, as the Water Commissioners may impose.

4. Any person supplied with water shall not allow another to take water from their fixtures without the written permission of the Water Commissioners. If any tenant having no fixtures, has any use of such fixtures, full rates will be charged for such use by each tenant.

5. All parties using water in stables, for horses or other animals, will be charged scheduled rates for the same, whether it be carried by hand or through hose.

6. All persons using water for building purposes are required to obtain a permit from the Water Commissioners before taking water from any faucet or fixtures connected with the water works, and all water takers are warned not to let any party take water from their premises until they show a permit from the Water Commissioners. Any person furnishing water in violation of this section will be subject to a fine of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and if the same when levied is not paid within three days from the time when the notice thereof is given, the water will be shut off from the premises and will not be let on again until such fine is paid.

7. All fixtures and water closets and urinals must be of a kind and quality approved by the Water Com-

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missioners, also a vacuum valve must be installed on all pressure range boilers connected with the system.

8. No peron shall in any case be allowed to open any fire hydrants except by a written permit from the Water Commissioners; but the Engineers of the Fire Department shall in all cases have control of hydrants at fires and for practice.

9. The Commissioners reserve the right to restrict the use of hose or fountain, to shut off the water in all cases when it becomes necessary to make extensions or repairs, or for violations of any of the regulations, or whenever they deem it expedient.

10. The regular rates for the use of water shall be payable in advance on the first days of January and July of each year, except where water is supplied to manufacturers by special agreement. In all cases of non-payment of the water rates within ten days after same is due, as well as for any violations of these rules and regulations, the supply will be shut off, and payment of the amount due, and payment of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water.

11. The Water Commissioners reserve the right to change the water rates at any time, except in cases of dwelling houses and established special rates.

12. For business requiring large quantities of water, and all supplies not enumerated in the tariff of rates, special rates will be made.

13. Parties using water for manufacturing or domestic purposes can erect hydrants on their grounds or standpipes in their building to be used only as a protection against fire without additional charge for water.

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14. All applicants for the introduction of service pipes to premises are required to make written application therefor at the office of the Water Commissioners.

And in no case will the main be tapped more than once for the same premises, unless the additional expense is borne by the owner.

Charged as follows:

The following water rates are established until further notice:

No connection made with the main for any purpose for less than	\$6.00
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Dwelling Houses

Occupied by one family, for the first faucet	6.00
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Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2.00
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Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet for all, each family	5.00
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One faucet for each family	6.00
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Occupied by one family, for the first faucet	6.00
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Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2.00
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Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet for all, each family	5.00
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One faucet for each family	6.00
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Occupied by one family	6.00
For first bathtub	5.00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4.00
Each additional bathtub	2.00
For first pan or self-acting water closet	5.00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4.00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet	2.00
In no case shall the charge for the use of water by a private family, exclusive of hose and stable, be more than	20.00
Where two faucets are used, one for hot and one for cold water, emptying into the same basin, only one charge will be made for both.	
Laundry tub	3.00

Boarding Houses and Hotels

First faucet	\$10.00
Each additional faucet	3.00
First bathtub	10.00
Each additional bathtub	3.00

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First pan or self-acting water closet	10.00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet	3.00

Private Stables

First horse	\$5.00
Each additional horse	3.00
Each cow or ox	1.00

Livery, Express and Boarding Stables

For the first four horses	\$12.00
From five to twelve horses, each	2.00
The above prices to include water for washing carriages.	

Offices, Stores, Markets, Barber Shops, Restaurants. When used for ordinary purposes, same as for dwelling houses.

Building purposes. Each cask of lime or cement	.05
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Hose

For sprinkling streets, washing windows and similar uses, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch nozzle, to be used only on premises and street opposite, not exceeding two hours per day for six months in the year	5.00
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For any use not herein enumerated, special rates will be made.

Meter Rates Payable at Time of Reading.

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For not over 133 cubic feet average per day, per
100 cubic feet .23

For over 133 cubic feet and not exceeding 266
cubic feet average per day, per 100 cubic feet .19

For over 266 cubic feet average per day .15

Provided that in no case where a meter is used
shall the annual charge be less than \$7.00.

Meters may be supplied by the Water Commis-
sioners, for which annual rental will be
charged as follows:

Size $\frac{5}{8}$ -inch	\$1.00 per year
Size $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch	\$1.00 per year

All needed repairs, damages by frost and heat ex-
cepted, will be made at the expense of the town.

RICHARD F. FORREST,
JOHN B. McNEIL,
FRED D. DRISCOLL,
Water Commissioners.

Assessors' Report—1930

The Board of Assessors for the year 1930 submit the following report for the consideration of the Tax-payers of the Town of Randolph.

Tax Rate \$35.00

Our tax rate of \$35.00 per thousand, shows an increase of \$3.60 per thousand from the tax rate of the previous year. The total appropriations voted to be raised through the tax levy of 1930 were \$266,244.84.

Increase in Valuation \$323,735.00

By reference to the table of assessed valuation appended hereto it will be noticed that the total assessed valuation of taxable real estate indicates an increase of \$243,000.00; an increase in valuation of personal property of \$5,700.00; adding the Excise valuation makes a net gain in valuation of \$323,735.00.

Poll List

We made a separate Poll List which was committed early in the year so the Collector would have a better chance of collecting from those who leave the Town and State.

Persons Listed

A book of persons listed by the Assessors was compiled in conformity with the provisions of Section 4, 5, 6 and 7 of Chapter 51 of the General Laws.

Town Maps and Plans

We received six new plans this years and after checking them up found that we had picked up \$48,600

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in valuation, mostly in value of land not previously taxed.

We believe that the completion of the plans of the Town should go forward faster. You will find below an example of what can be done on a pickup of \$50,000 in valuation per year at a \$35.00 tax rate.

1930	\$50,000	Valuation		@	\$35	per	thousand	\$1,750.00
1931 plus	50,000	"	\$100,000	"	"	"	"	3,500.00
1932 "	50,000	"	150,000	"	"	"	"	5,250.00
1933 "	50,000	"	200,000	"	"	"	"	7,000.00
								<hr/> \$17,500.00

We recommend that the sum of \$5,000 be appropriated for Town Maps and Plans in the year 1931.

Special Notice to Taxpayers

The Board of Assessors are desirous of drawing attention to the unsettled conditions of unemployment for the past year or more all over the country, and the hardship that our people have had to submit to in struggling to pay their taxes with other expenses. As a small number of new buildings are being erected this year and the expense of new school buildings will have to be taken care of for a number of years until paid for, the Board of Assessors are asking that you be as considerate as possible in your appropriations for the year 1931.

Board of Assessors,

WALDO E. MANN,
FRANK F. TEED,
JAMES P. DUFFY.

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ASSESSED VALUATION

Personal Estate	\$668,000.00	
Real Estate—Land	1,346,050.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	3,783,900.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,797,950.00

EXCISE TAX

Valuation, Aug. 9th, Commitment	\$425,000.00	
Dec. 22nd, Commitment	153,890.00	
	<hr/>	\$578,890.00
Total valuation		\$6,376,840.00

1929 ASSESSED VALUATION

Personal Estate	\$ 662,300.00	
Real Estate—Land	1,281,950.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	3,605,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,549,250.00
Valuation Excise Tax		503,855.00
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		\$6,053,105.00

APPROPRIATIONS MADE AT ANNUAL TOWN MEETING OF 1920

Provided for through Current Tax Levy, certified to by the Town Clerk.

General Government

Moderator:		
Salary		\$50.00
Selectmen:		
Salaries	\$650.00	
Expenses	600.00	
	<hr/>	1,250.00

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Auditors:

Salaries	\$180.00	
Expenses	18.25	
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Accountant:

Salary	\$1,200.00	
Expenses	150.00	
	<hr/>	1,350.00

Treasurer:

Salary	\$900.00	
Expenses (Including Premium on Bond)	375.00	
	<hr/>	1,275.00

Tax Collector:

Salary in form of commission of 1¼ % on Collections (Estimated)	\$2,250.00	
Expenses (Including Premium on Bond)	855.00	
Tax Titles	500.00	
	<hr/>	3,605.00

Assessors:

Salaries	\$1,800.00	
Expenses (General)	500.00	
Transcript of Deeds, Probate Records and Descriptions of Property for Sale for Unpaid Taxes	300.00	
Poll List	350.00	
Town Maps and Plans	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	3,950.00

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Law Department:

To settle costs and claims that may arise	\$500.00	
Attorneys Fees	400.00	
	<hr/>	900.00

Finance Committee:

Expenses		300.00
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Town Clerk:

Salary (Including \$800.00 for Collection of Water Assessments)	\$1,100.00	
Expenses	125.00	
Vital Statistics	425.00	
	<hr/>	1,650.00

Election and Registration:

Salaries of Registrars	\$150.00	
Election Expenses	1,200.00	
	<hr/>	1,350.00

Town Office:

Expense		1,500.00
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Police Department:

Salary of Chief	\$2,100.00	
Salary of Patrolman	1,900.00	
General Expenses (Includ- ing new auto and motor- cycle and care of beacons)	2,900.00	
	<hr/>	6,900.00

Fire Department:

Salary of Chief (also act- ing as driver)	\$2,000.00
Salaries of 20 call men	1,500.00
Salary of permanent men	2,767.00
Salary of Deputy Chief	125.00
Salary of Spare Driver	358.00

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Fire alarm maintenance (including two new boxes)	700.00	
New wheels and tires (American LaFrance)	500.00	
Foam Generator	515.00	
General expense	2,433.00	
Forest Fires	800.00	
	<hr/>	11,698.00

Sealer of Weights and Measures:

Salary	\$150.00	
Expenses	39.00	
	<hr/>	189.00

Moth Extermination:

Expenses		750.00
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Tree Warden:

Salary	\$250.00	
Expenses	500.00	
Planting new trees	150.00	
	<hr/>	900.00

Health and Sanitation

Expenses	\$3,500.00	
Inspector of Animals—Salary	100.00	
Inspector of Milk—Salary	50.00	
Inspector of Slaughtering—Salary	100.00	
Dog Officer—Salary	150.00	
Article 12—Employment of Health Nurse	1,000.00	
Leasing of Dump	250.00	
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Charities and Soldiers' Benefits

Infirmary:

Expenses (Including repairs ordered by State)	7,650.00
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Outside Relief (Including Mothers' Aid)	5,700.00
State Aid	1,000.00
Military Aid	200.00
Soldiers' Relief	3,800.00

Schools

Teaching	\$60,000.00
Superintendent	1,400.00
Truant Officer	200.00
Nurse	1,325.00
Physician	100.00
Superintendent's Clerk	200.00
Janitors	5,240.00
School Committee	300.00

Other Expenses:

Equipment	1,500.00
Repairs, replacements and renewals including in- stallation of oil burning equipment in High School	7,320.00
Fuel	3,200.00
Books and Supplies	4,500.00
Transportation	4,500.00
Trade and Continuation School	3,800.00
Superintendent's Expenses	150.00
Committee's Expenses	100.00
Physical Education	300.00
Dog Tax \$1,345.24	
Gen. Exp. 2,654.76	
	4,000.00

\$98,135.00

\$96,789.76

VOTED: That the above appropriations be classified as two items, i.e., "Salaries" and "Expenses."

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Turner Library

Repairs	500.00
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Unclassified Items

Memorial Day Expenses	\$300.00	
Armistice Day Expenses	200.00	
Tercentennial Expenses	300.00	
Care of Clock in Congregational Church	20.00	
Printing and Distributing Town Reports	631.00	
Insurance	3,500.00	
Claims (Land Damages—Pond Street)	50.00	
	5,001.00	5,001.00

Public Service Enterprises

Water Department:

Commissioner's Salary	\$375.00
Superintendent's Salary	2,000.00
Joint Account	3,500.00

For Randolph Maintenance, Service construction and purchase of land on the shores of Great Pond and installing one h y d r a n t on South Street and one hydrant on Oak Street	8,050.00
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13,925.00

Maturing Debt and Interest

Maturing Debt	\$15,300.00
Interest	9,000.00

24,300.00

Article 5—Reserve Fund	2,000.00
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Article 6—Unpaid bills of previous years:

Tax Collector	\$17.00	
Outside Relief	213.08	
School Department	1,695.71	
Water Department	31.25	
	<hr/>	1,957.04

Article 7—Overdrafts:

Inspector of Animals, 1927	\$50.00	
Inspector of Slaughtering, 1927	50.00	
Outside Relief, 1929	95.29	
	<hr/>	195.29

Voted: Acquiring sites for school purposes \$5,000.00

Article 16—Repairs to Belcher and Prescott Schools \$5,000.00

(Special Town Meeting)

Leasing headquarters for Lieut. Thomas W. Desmond Post No. 169, The American Legion \$1,500.00

Extensions to Street Lighting System

Article 24—Vesey Road	49.50
Article 25—Waldo Street	33.00
Article 26—Grove Street	49.50
Article 27—Emeline Street	33.00
Article 28—Junction N. Main St. and Wales Ave.	33.00
Article 29—Electric lights, Bartlett Road	33.00
Article 30—Electric lights, Overlook Road	49.50
Article 31—Electric light, Canton Street between Old Street and Overlook Road	16.50
Article 33—Electric light, Abbey Street	16.50

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Highway Department

Surveyor's Salary	\$1,500.00	
General Maintenance (this amount includes \$1,200.00 for the purpose of con- structing a building to house equipment)	11,200.00	
Snow Removal	2,000.00	
Snow plow	350.00	
Street signs	150.00	
Street lights	8,793.00	
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Article 35—Russ Street	1,200.00
Article 36—Alden Street	300.00
Article 37—Allen Street	1,000.00
Article 38—Woodlawn Road	1,000.00
Article 39—Park Street	400.00
Article 40—Overlook Road	1,200.00
Article 41—West Street	400.00
Article 42—South Street	2,200.00
Article 44—Oak Street	1,600.00
Article 45—Orchard Street	1,200.00
Article 46—High Street	500.00
Article 47—Centré Street	800.00
Article 48—Waldo Street	500.00
Article 49—Vesey Road	500.00
Article 51—Sidewalk, South Main Street	5,000.00

Water Department

Article 54—North Main Street renewals	1,280.00
Article 61—Fairview Avenue, dead ends	150.00
Article 75—Mill Street, fire box	115.00
Article 76—Piping land	1,200.00

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Special Town Meeting of June 12th

Article 1—Land Damage, North Main Street	300.00
Article 5—New school buildings	2,000.00
Article 8—Firemen's rubber coats, etc.	350.00
Article 9—Electric light, South Street	33.00
Article 10—Land Damage, North Street	427.00
Article 13—Stetson Hall, oil burner	800.00
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	\$266,244.84

Determination of Tax Rate, 1930

Total Appropriations:

Town	\$266,244.84
Chapter 59, Section 23	466.00
Snow Removal Tax	371.00
County Tax	7,443.95
State Tax	6,020.00
State Highway Tax	2,120.54

Plus Overlay to cover abatements:

1924	284.50
1925	40.20
1926	360.83
1927	878.82
1928	767.61
1929	553.99
1930	2,000.00

Total appropriations plus overlays	\$287,552.28
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Credits from various sources included in Tax Levy of 1930:

Income Tax	\$32,366.06
Motor Vehicle Excise	11,263.25
Corporation Tax	2,627.24
Bank Tax	1,019.31
Licenses	291.30
Fines	525.20

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Special Assessments	386.97	
General Government	5.25	
Protection of Persons and Property	86.81	
Health and Sanitation	147.86	
Highways	340.00	
Charities	2,276.99	
Soldiers' Benefits	1,225.99	
Schools	4,357.33	
Public Service Enterprises	19,620.00	
Interest on Deposits	457.16	
Interest on Taxes and Assess- ments	3,150.93	
Eastern Mass. R. R. Co.	736.92	
All others	251.46	
	<hr/>	\$81,136.03

Less Credits:

Revenue from various sources	\$81,136.03	
Poll Tax	3,488.00	
Total Credits	<hr/>	\$84,624.03
Total amount to be provided for through Tax Levy		202,928.25
Total assessed valuation		5,797,950.00
Tax rate per \$1,000.00		35.00

Taxes Levied and Committed to Collector, 1930

Tax on Real and Personal Estate	\$202,928.25	
Poll Tax	3,488.00	
Moth Tax	225.50	
Warrant—December 26th		
Real Estate	112.00	
Poll Tax	50.00	
Excise Taxes committed		
August 9th commitment	11,263.25	
December 22nd commitment	2,192.58	
	<hr/>	\$220,259.58

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Information Contained in the Table of Aggregates Prepared and Submitted to the State Commissioner

Number of residents and non-residents assessed for property	2469
Number of persons assessed for Poll Tax only	1744
Total number of persons assessed	4213
Number of horses assessed	42
Number of cows assessed	173
Number of neat cattle other than cows assessed	1
Number of swine assessed	1025
Number of dwelling houses assessed	1798
Number of fowl assessed	3550
Number of automobiles and trucks assessed:	
August 9th Commitment	1686
December 22nd Commitment	543
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VALUATION OF EXEMPTED PROPERTY

Religious Organizations:

First Baptist Church

Personal Estate	\$5,000.00	
Building	30,000.00	
Land	4,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$39,000.00

First Congregational Church

Personal Estate	\$5,000.00	
Building	35,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
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St. Mary's Catholic Church

Personal Estate	\$5,000.00	
Buildings	100,000.00	
Land	6,000.00	
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Unitarian Church

Personal Estate	\$2,500.00	
Building	20,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
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Episcopal Church

Personal Estate	\$1,500.00	
Building	7,000.00	
Land	2,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$11,000.00

Methodist Church

Personal Estate	\$500.00	
Building	2,000.00	
Land	500.00	
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Literary Institutions:

Boston School for the Deaf

Personal Estate	\$25,000.00	
Buildings	340,000.00	
Land	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$375,000.00

Ladies' Library Association

Personal Estate	\$500.00	
Building	2,250.00	
Land	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,250.00

Turner Free Library

Personal Estate	\$25,000.00	
Building	40,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$70,000.00

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Charitable Institutions:

Seth Mann 2nd Home for Aged Women		
Personal Estate	\$2,500.00	
Buildings	12,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
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Randolph Visiting Nurse Association		
Personal Estate	\$500.00	\$500.00

Cemeteries:

St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery		
Vault and Buildings	\$1,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
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Central Cemetery		
Vault and Buildings	\$2,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
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Oakland Cemetery		
Land	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
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		\$719,750.00

Recapitulation

Religious Organizations	\$236,500.00
Literary Institutions	449,250.00
Charitable Institutions	20,000.00
Cemetery Associations	14,000.00
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	\$719,750.00

Property Owned by Town for Public Use

Town Hall:	
Personal Estate	\$5,000.00

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Building	50,000.00	
Land	12,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$67,500.00

Schools:

Personal Estate—Equipment and Supplies	\$50,000.00	
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Prescott Primary School		
Building	\$8,500.00	
Land	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,000.00

Prescott Grammar School		
Building	\$21,000.00	
Land	4,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$25,000.00

Chestnut Street School		
Building	\$2,000.00	
Land	500.00	
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North Randolph School		
Building	\$9,000.00	
Land	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,000.00

Belcher School		
Building	\$14,000.00	
Land	1,000.00	
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Tower Hill School		
Building	\$4,500.00	
Land	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,000.00

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Stetson High School

Building	\$140,000.00	
Land	10,000.00	
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Fire Department:

Engine House No. 1

Building	\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00
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Engine House No. 2	1,500.00	
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Engine House No. 2	1,500.00	
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Pumping Engine	2,500.00	
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Combination Fire Truck	2,000.00	
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Hook and Ladder Truck	8,000.00	
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Steam Fire Engine	200.00	
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Ford Truck with Chemicals	100.00	
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Police Department:

Motorcycle	\$200.00	
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Ford Touring Car	500.00	
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Water Department:

Buildings, one-half interest jointly owned by Town of Holbrook (inc. Pumping Sta- tion and Dwelling House)	20,000.00	
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Land	5,000.00	
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Piping system, machinery, tools, etc.	230,500.00	
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Vacant Land—Real Estate:

Clark lot	\$1,500.00	
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North Street lot	300.00	
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E. Fannie Belcher lot	1,000.00	
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Highway Department:

1-ton tractor	\$500.00	
1 gasoline roller	2,500.00	
New equipment	1,000.00	
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Almshouse:

Personal	\$1,500.00	
Buildings	7,000.00	
Land	2,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,500.00

Report of the Fire Department

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit my report of the Fire Department for the year ending Dec. 31, 1930.

This Department has responded to one hundred and ninety-one calls during the year, classified as follows: 73 bell alarms; 118 still alarms; 44 building fires; 119 wood and grass fires; 9 automobiles; 3 calls for Lung-motor and Gas Masks; 13 false alarms and 3 aid calls.

Assessed value of buildings damaged by fire	\$51,225.00.
Insurance on buildings	165,150.00
Insurance paid	17,584.60
Loss on buildings not covered by insurance	3,465.05
Value of contents	58,240.00
Insurance on contents	38,750.00
Insurance paid on contents	4,988.68
Loss on contents not covered by insurance	1,504.50
Number of Oil Burner permits issued during year	33
Number of Fireworks permits issued during year	12
Number of Fire permits issued during year	538
Number of Blasting permits issued during year	2

The apparatus of this Department is in good condition at the present time with the exception of the Forest Fire Truck which had to be abandoned due to its poor

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condition. The south side of the roof on the Central station is in poor condition and I recommend that the abandoned apparatus, now stored at the Town Infirmary, be sold and the proceeds applied to the cost of making the repairs.

The station located on the Riley Estate was opened June 1, 1930 and the American LaFrance assigned to it. As 74 of the 191 calls received this year were north of this station, I feel that it has been a valuable addition to the Department.

The construction of the state road and the removal of the electric cars made it necessary to reconstruct the fire alarm from Station No. 2 to the West Corners, also the installation of alternating current units to replace those using direct current furnished by the street railway. This will increase the cost of maintaining the fire alarm system approximately one hundred dollars per year. It will be necessary to purchase a new Forest Fire Truck this year as our old one is entirely worn out. The Department is well equipped with hose and accessories. The additions made necessary by breakage etc., can be purchased from the General Expense account. Recommendations for 1931 Set in bold face

Salaries	\$8,265.00
General Expense—To be set in bold face	
Central Station	\$1,500.00
Station No. 2	600.00
Fire alarm system (care and maintenance)	700.00
Extinguishment and prevention of Forest Fires	800.00
Purchase of Forest Fire Truck	1,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD L. BAILEY,

Chief.

Report of the School Committee

During the months of July and August your committee made the changes in the school buildings of Randolph which were ordered by the Massachusetts Department of Public Safety. All the alterations, repairs, and additions so long insisted upon, were carried into effect. In some instances the committee went beyond the actual demands of the state officials, as in the painting of the Prescott and the Prescott Primary buildings, and the filling of the yard at the latter building. We have also improved the entrances to various buildings by adding cement landings and steps. For a number of years past, the Department of Public Safety has refused to license the use of some of our buildings. This handicap has been removed and the buildings have been officially inspected; each of them now has a permit authorizing occupation for school purposes. Mr. Roy K. Beaudry of the Department of Public Safety has expressed himself as highly gratified with the present condition of our school buildings.

The installation of an oil-burning equipment at the high school has been made in the expectation that it may give adequate heat. Mr. Beaudry on a recent visit of inspection took the temperatures in all the rooms of the high school. He found that these temperatures ranged from 68 degrees to 70 degrees, a condition which he pronounced highly satisfactory.

During the summer months twelve oil-burning concerns submitted estimates of cost for the installation of oil-burning apparatus at the high school; your committee

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accepted the lowest legitimate bid, and feel that their selection has been more than justified by the results obtained.

The high school now has a clock and bell system which is giving excellent satisfaction. The Howard Clock Co., of Boston made the installation; the new wiring is wholly inside partitions, and outlets for secondary clocks are the same as those of the original wiring. The master clock was refitted, and new secondary clocks installed.

Your committee asks for the appropriation of a sum, under the item, "General Expense," sufficient to enable them to carry out further plans for improvements which we deem necessary. It appears probable that the Belcher building will be used for school purposes during a considerable time in the future. The building ought to be painted, and porches built at the two entrances with cement steps and landings. We would like to paint and freshen the interior of the Prescott building; at least two of the partitions in the Prescott Primary building ought to be removed, and the rooms restored to their original condition. At the high school your committee recommends the construction of a macadam road over the half circle in front of the building. The present road is constantly out of repair, rutted, and unsightly.

The ten-room building in North Randolph will relieve the congestion now apparent in our schools. This new building should be ready for the installation of school furniture on August 1, 1931. At East Randolph the use of the hall of the Improvement Association has enabled us to take care of the younger pupils in that part of the town.

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The Building Committee, of which your school committee are members, found it impossible to construct the proposed school building at East Randolph, within the appropriation, \$20,000.00 voted at the 1930 March town meeting. This was a disappointment, and has made it necessary to continue the use of the Association hall. We hope that an additional appropriation will be made at the 1931 March town meeting, and that the excellent plans of the architect, Mr. Kelley, may then be carried into execution by the Building Committee.

Randolph is committed to the plan of employing teachers who have had little or no experience in actual school-room work, but who are otherwise qualified. Many in fact, the majority of Massachusetts towns, require at least one year's experience in order to qualify for appointment. The very large number of applications made during the summer months for teaching positions in Randolph leads to the conclusion that our normal schools are graduating more teachers than can find employment. We have increased the salaries of our teachers so that they may be more nearly on a level with the rates which prevail in other towns of our size. The maximum salaries have also been increased; both of these advances are in line with plans long urged.

For a more intimate estimate of the classroom activities of teachers and pupils we refer to the report of the Superintendent of Schools. Your committee has confidence that the teachers, now employed are capable and enthusiastic in their work.

It is the opinion of the committee that the schools of Randolph demand the services of a superintendent who may devote his entire time to the supervision of our local schools. In order to carry this proposed change

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into effect it would be necessary to obtain the consent of a majority of the school committees of the three towns now comprising the superintendency district; the valuation of Randolph is over the \$5,000,000 required by law as the minimum for separate superintendence. This proposal for a superintendent of schools who may give his entire time to Randolph schools is by no means new; we hope that the change may soon be made.

FREDERICK E. CHAPIN, Chairman

CHARLES R. KILEY, Clerk

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REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee of Randolph,
Mr. Chairman and Members:

I submit herewith my report of the public schools for the year 1930.

It is common knowledge that schools cannot equalize children but that they can do much to equalize opportunities for children. In a small school system all opportunities of vital interest to the child cannot be given, but it is a fact of primary importance that a small school system can render a special interest to the child because the child is not lost in the confusion of numbers and mass promotions. There is an intimate touch and relationship between teachers and pupils in this town, in and out of school, which a large school system cannot very conveniently observe. This feature has done much to stimulate pupils and to hold them interested in school. It is the underlying force which encourages individual development and directs it towards higher goals and greater pursuits. It is likewise the force which has produced the highest sort of co-operation between the home and school. What we may lack in a varied program of studies for equalization of opportunities is, therefore, greatly offset by social contact, personal interest in the child, special and specific help and home co-operation.

It has long been felt that the work of the grade teacher should be organized and conducted somewhat along the lines of departmental work as now carried on in the high school. The work of the grammar school teacher today is carried on in much the same way as found in the district schools of years ago. All subjects are taught by one teacher. It is natural to suppose

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that all subjects cannot be taught equally well by the same teacher because preference and ability must enter into the work of education as in other fields of activity. Organized knowledge today requires specialization, and a grade teacher, like others, should be given an opportunity to work in her chosen subject to the end that the child may receive the best instruction in that subject.

It is true that in several instances teachers have helped in this matter, particularly in drawing, penmanship and music. This has worked out well. Departmental work, in whole or in part, in buildings where there are several teachers may be organized with little or no difficulty on the basis of ability and preference. Teachers are human—it is reasonable to suppose and to expect that if a teacher is allowed to become an expert in her chosen field that better instruction will follow.

I wish to recommend for your consideration and adoption the course of study for the high school as outlined below. There is nothing radically new in this program save for some new arrangements of subjects and their respective credit weight for the high school diploma. Each course requires a total of twenty-one credits a year or a total of eighty-four for the four years. A total of eighty-two credits out of a possible number of ninety-two will be required for graduation with diploma.

The need of an instructor for physical training is great. We cannot very consistently conform to the requirements in this work unless a teacher is appointed for this important activity. The assistance which teachers and nurse have given to this training and the successful exercises on Health Day is most commend-

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able and an excellent example of co-operation. This work, however, is now demanding too much of their time which must necessarily be taken from classroom periods.

The introduction and use of new modern text books in English, arithmetic and geography in grades four to eight have brought about a greater uniformity and continuity of work in these subjects.

In order to evaluate the efforts and achievements of our grade pupils, honor pencils, on which are inscribed, "Randolph Honor Pupil" are presented to successful pupils every two or three months. Teachers have found this simple but worthwhile method most effective. It is our recognition of work well done.

Repairs and improvements made in the high school, Prescott and Belcher schools during the summer are greatly appreciated and should prove a worthwhile investment for several years to come.

At the close of the year in June we lost by retirement Miss Kittie Molloy who served this town for fifty years. Hundreds of parents and pupils testify to her loyalty, patience and greatful service as a teacher in Randolph.

In closing my report I wish to thank the Committee for their co-operation and help. I am also mindful of the help which teachers, parents, doctors and local organizations have so generously given in the interest of our school children.

Respectfully submitted,

A. O. CHRISTIANSEN,
Superintendent of Schools.

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ENROLLMENT BY SCHOOLS

	1930	1929	1928	1927
Stetson High School	286	244	252	200
Stetson Junior High School	234	184	170	168
Prescott School	508	536	488	449
Belcher School	238	257	252	249
North Randolph School	125	125	109	88
Tower Hill School	89	87	79	76
West Corners School	41	37	41	40
East Randolph School	38
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Totals	1559	1470	1391	1270

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

	Grade	1930	1929	1928
High School	12	45	39	46
High School	11	66	46	43
High School	10	77	67	61
High School	9	98	92	101
Junior High School	8	133	119	114
Junior High School	7	138	148	135
Grammar School	6	141	135	154
Grammar School	5	162	135	121
Grammar School	4	160	165	131
Grammar School	3	154	172	162
Grammar School	2	176	148	152
Grammar School	1	194	186	171
Special Class		15	18	...
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		1559	1470	1391

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SCHOOL CALENDAR 1931-1932

Elementary Grades 1 to 8

Open Dec. 29, 1930. Close Feb. 20, 1931. 8 weeks.
Open Mar. 2, 1931. Close Apr. 17, 1931. 7 weeks.
Open Apr. 27, 1931. Close June 12, 1931. 7 weeks.

Summer Vacation

Open Sept. 9, 1931. Close Dec. 18, 1931. 15 weeks.

Christmas Vacation

Open Dec. 28, 1931. Close Feb. 19, 1932. 8 weeks.

High School

Open Dec. 29, 1930. Close Feb. 20, 1931. 8 weeks.
Open Mar. 2, 1931. Close Apr. 17, 1931. 7 weeks.
Open Apr. 22, 1931. Close June 19, 1931. 9 weeks.

Summer Vacation

Open Sept. 9, 1931. Close Dec. 18, 1931. 15 weeks.

Christmas Vacation

Open Dec. 28, 1931. Close Feb. 19, 1932. 8 weeks.

Schools will close on the following days:

January 1st; April 3rd; October 12th; November 11th
and Thanksgiving Day and the Friday following, No-
vember 26th and 27th.

NO SCHOOL SIGNALS

Three blows repeated at:

7:15 A. M. All schools close.

8:15 A. M. No morning session for first six grades.

12:30 P. M. No afternoon session for first six grades.

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LIST OF TEACHERS

	Position	Educated at	Year Appointed
A. O. Christiansen	Superintend't	Brown, A. B.; Harvard A. M.	1921

High School

Warren J. Swett	Principal	Boston Col. A.B. Harv'd A.M.	1930
Kenneth Clark	Mathematics	U. of N. H., B. S.	1927
Albert J. Murphy	History	Bridgewater, B. S. in Ed.	1928
Winnifred Brennen	Commercial	Burdett	1918
Jane C. Good	Commercial	Burdett	1925
Elizabeth Laughler	English and French	Worcester, B. S.	1927
Florence S. Cox	French	U. of Vermont, Ph. B.	1930
Margaret M. Moore	Latin and French	Georgian Court College A. B.	1928
James J. Riley	Science	Boston College, A. B.	1929
Cyril T. Powderly	English and Latin	Boston Univ., A. B.	1929
Mary E. Sullivan	English and Com. Geog.	Bridgewater, B.S. in Ed.	1929

Junior High School

Mrs. Sarah Powderly	English	Bridgewater	1914
Hannah F. Hoye	English and Music	Quincy Training School	1888
Martha Parshley	Arithmetic & Drawing	Fitchburg	1926
Anna Good	History and Geography	Bridgewater, B.S. in Ed.	1924
Teresa Carlin	English and Arithmetic	Lowell	1926
Martha Foley	Grade 7	Bridgewater	1930
Mrs. Florence Caples	Grade 7, Principal	Bridgewater	1922
Dorothy S. Powers	Grade 7	Radcliffe, A. B.	1930

Prescott School

Mrs. Marie Cormey	Grade 6	Framingham	1925
Mrs. Ellen McGerrigle	Grade 6	Bridgewater	1930
Margaret Donovan	Grade 5	Bridgewater	1924
Grace Murphy	Grade 5	Bridgewater	1926
Dorothy Carney	Grade 4	Bridgewater	1923
Rachael McMahon	Grade 4	Bridgewater	1916
Ellen McLaughlin	Grade 3	Bridgewater	1901
Eleanor Condon	Grade 3	Bridgewater	1929
Fannie Campbell	Grade 2	Notre Dame Academy	1898
Vivian Pickett	Grade 2	Bridgewater, B.S. in Ed.	1929
Kathleen O'Neil	Grade 1	Bridgewater	1930
Mary O'Brien	Grade 1	Bridgewater	1930
Mrs. Mary Savage	Special Class	Simmons	1923

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Belcher School

Mrs. Ethel Chatfield	Principal,	Farmington	1930
	Grade 5		
Elizabeth Riley	Grade 6	Bridgewater, B.S. in Ed.	1930
Emmaline McGerrigle	Grade 6	Bridgewater	1929
Bernice Francis	Grade 4	Hyannis	1927
Dorothy M. Morrill	Grades 3-4	Bridgewater	1930
Clara Tolman	Grade 2	Bridgewater	1888
Jane M. Lynch	Grade 1	Bridgewater	1929

North Randolph School

Mrs. Esther Grand	Principal,	Lowell	1927
	Grades 3-4		
Anna Tucker	Grades 2-3	Bridgewater, B.S. in Ed.	1929
Helen Toomey	Grade 1	Bridgewater	1929

Tower Hill School

Mrs. Elizabeth Lyons	Principal,	Quincy Training	1920
	Grades 1-3		
Mrs. Alice Belcher	Grades 4-6	Quincy Training	1923

West Corner School

Katherine J. Riley	Grades 1-3	Harvard Summer School	1926
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East Randolph School

Constance Dolan	Grades 1-3	Bridgewater	1930
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Drawing Supervisor

Clare Sullivan	All grades	Vesper George	1930
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Music Supervisor

Rose Hand	All grades	A. S. N. M. Harvard and B. U. Extension	
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School Nurse

Mrs. Jessica Mitchell	All grades	R. N.	1927
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School Physician

Geo. V. Higgins, M.D.

Resignations

HIGH SCHOOL

Robert Barclay	Mrs. Mabel Marble
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GRADE SCHOOLS

Mrs. Elizabeth Tierney	Mrs. Elizabeth McDonald, Drawing Eileen V. Dowd
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Retirement

Kitty Molloy

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STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

June 17, 1930

Atkinson, Allouise
Ayers, Ruth
Benjamino, John
Best, Dora
Bossi, Yvonne
Brennan, Alice
Burrell, Virginia
Camelio, Mary
Carroll, Merle
Condon, Grayce
Corrigan, Arthur
Crayton, Ethel
Diauto, Ruth
Doyle, Gladys
Elliott, Robert
Gavin, Glenda
Ginnetty, Anna
Granger, Marie

Granger, Frances
Henry, Walter
Hoye, Thomas
Jones, Elizabeth
Johnson, Albin
McDermott, Joseph
Mulvey, John
Norman, Helen
Nilsen, Agnes
Pierce, Virginia
Pignatelli, Eugene
Powers, Alice
Purcell, Evelyn
Robertson, Ethel
Saunders, Anne
Shea, Harold
Stalliday, Alice
Wilbur, Marion

Young, George

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION
EXERCISES

Class of 1930, S. H. S.

Stetson Hall, Randolph, Tuesday, June 17, 1930
At Eight O'clock

PROGRAM

MARCH	Marshal—Ernest Cushing
	At the Piano—Mildred Forrest
SALUTE TO THE FLAG	Led by John T. Cartwright
ADDRESS OF WELCOME	Arthur Corrigan
CHORUS—"Sleepy Hollow Tune"	Richard Kountz
	Boys' Glee Club
CLASS HISTORY	Virginia Pierce
"COMMONPLACES"	Yvonne Bossi
CHORUS—"The Heavens are Telling"	Haydn
(From the Creation)	Boys and Girls

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CLASS PROPHECY

Alice T. Brennan and Glenda G. Gavin

HISTORY OF RANDOLPH

Anna Ginnetty

COMMERCIAL EDUCATION

Anne K. Saunders

CHORUS—"Little Mother of Mine"

H. T. Burleigh

Girls' Glee Club

CLASS GIFT

Alice Stalliday

CLASS WILL

Eugene J. Pignatelli

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS AND MEDALS

Frederick E. Chapin, Chairman of School Board

"AMERICA"

School and Audience

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

June 12, 1930

GRADUATES

GIRLS

Ahlfont, Erika Isabel
Anderson, Marjorie Gertrude
Anglin, Eleanor Marie
Aylott, Marjorie Helen
Babcock, Alice Greeta
Barrett, Mary Margaret
Bates, Helen Irene
Baxter, Dorothy Mary
Boothby, Clara Annette
Bowley, Marjorie Alden
Boyer, Eleanor Matilda
Boyle, Mary Louise
Briscoe, Ruth Edna
Buckley, Anna Eileen
Burns, Norma Doris
Burrell, Priscilla Field
Clark, Evelyn
Collins, Regina
Creutz, Clara Augusta
Crockett, Doris Drucilla
Doyle, Teresa Alberta
Du Bois, Corrine Vesta
Dupras, Frances Julia
Ferraro, Angie Florence
Ferraro, Lucy Florence
Fischer, Edith Ranghild
Foley, Grace Ellen

Jaeger, Lillian Glennie
Johns, Clara Margaret
Johanson, Elsie Georgia
Johnston, Geraldine Calvina
Jope, Mabel Fay
Kelley, Alice Jean
Krupka, Helena Katherine
Lewis, Florence
Lord, Barbara Mary
Magnussen, Nellie Agnes
Mahoney, Esther Louise
Malm, Elsie Martha
O'Brien, Helen Gertrude
O'Sullivan, Nona Ruth
Parker, Caroline Ruth
Parker, Hazel Louise
Rhodes, Emily Dora
Saunders, Hattie May
Scanlon, Claire
Schultz, Charlotte Alice
Shea, Glenda Louise
Shirley, Louise Elizabeth
Simmons, Jennie Elizabeth
Stalliday, Eileen Agnes
Stoddard, Evelyn Pauline
Sullivan, Anna Elizabeth
Thayer, Lois Mabel

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French, Geneva Frances
Guidice, Virginia Rose
Gurnis, Josephine Barbara
Haley, Alice
Halloran, Catherine Ursula
Hayward, Ethel Madeline
Hicks, Anna Louise
Hurley, Grace Elizabeth

Tower, Marion Jessie
Twarog, Jeanette Helen
Tweed, Ruth Carolyn
Untersee, Mary Alice
Williams, Marguerite
Willis, Dorothy Edna
Wickstrom, Madeline Elizabeth

BOYS

Aberle, Henry Allen
Brady, Edward Bernard
Brennan, Thomas William
Brown, Walter Louis
Cannavan, Edward Judson
Cederholm, Edward Albert
Connors, Arthur James
Connors, James Arthur
Curran, Robert Edward
Daiute, Chester Peter
Dempsey, Edward William
Dolan, Vincent Paul
Eaton, Frederick Rich
Gilbert, Raymond Stuart
Graves, Harold Clifford
Heney, Charles Russell
Hersey, Irvin Edmond
Holbrook, Alfred Morton
Hollis, Alton Harold
Howard, Forbes
Jablonski, Peter John
Lynch, Alfred
Lyons, Raymond Earle
Madan, Robert Mills

Maxwell, George Arthur
Murphy, John Joseph
Murphy, Joseph
McLea, Robert Gordon
McSolla, Robert Patrick
Nelson, Donald James
Nugent, John Francis
O'Kane, William
Rent, Sewall Baston
Robbins, Warren Alton
Rushforth, Alvah Albertus
Sass, Roger Victor
Sliney, Gerald David
Soule, Charles Esten
Soule, Joseph
Stewart, Arthur Leonard
Teed, Frank
Thorne, Robert Carrol
Toomey, John Francis
Tucker, Sidney
Tyler, Frank
Waugh, William Franklin
Wilde, Ralph Clifton

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,
Superintendent of Schools.

The schools are the cornerstones of government and society and they are the makers of our future citizens. The proper training of American youth is the surest guarantee for the security of America.

This process of education of necessity emphasizes three important points,—character, scholarship and physical training. To secure desired results in these three specific lines, the tax payers of the town during the past year have assumed a burden of over \$100,000.

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It is only natural that they should wish for proper returns from this expenditure.

To measure up to the standards of modern requirements a High School should prepare boys and girls for a successful career in the business world or for entrance by examination to higher institutions of learning. As regards the number and qualifications of teachers, the Randolph High School meets these requirements admirably. It has ten properly qualified teachers besides the principal for the instruction of less than three hundred pupils.

It has in the Senior High School three well arranged courses—academic, commercial, and general, as a preparation for colleges, business and Normal Schools. The present organization achieving proper scholastic and disciplinary results continues the Stetson High School among the better institutions of its kind in the commonwealth.

The excellent results obtained in the Junior High School deserve special mention. The thorough work and sincere co-operation of the seven efficient teachers in this school have proven most important factors in the successful administration of school affairs.

An important feature in all grades of school work is the general attitude, and spirit of the pupils. It is only fair to state that our High School has this attitude and that the spirit is excellent.

The great majority of the pupils seem anxious to do their best and to justify the confidence placed in them. Instructions sent out by the principal in regard to the care and preservation of school property, regularity and punctuality of attendance, careful preparation of school work, and various matters of school dis-

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cipline have all received the cheerful co-operation of the student body.

It is only proper that pupils of High School age should realize that they make their own record. No pupil can graduate unless he has obtained a passing grade of at least fifteen units of prepared work. No pupil can take part in athletic contests unless his scholastic standing, general deportment, and attendance record are all satisfactory.

The High School assemblies have been conducted with the view of impressing upon students the seriousness and value of a High School education. These occasions may offer something of entertainment but their chief purpose should be to inspire students to greater effort for higher ideals.

The past year "The Tercentenary Anniversary of the Settlement of the Massachusetts Bay Colony," has been observed by special programs in the school. Declamations, essays and various exercises have helped to portray the growth and value of our institutions from the Colonial Period to the present time. Persons competent to judge have complimented the students in the excellence of their work.

In conclusion I wish to emphasize the fact that a thorough check has been kept on the use of all supplies. Lists of books and materials ordered, and on hand, and the amounts used in each room have been carefully filed and are available for inspection.

The sincere attitude of the school committee has inspired us to exert our humble efforts towards the fulfillment of their educational desires.

Respectfully submitted,

WARREN J. SWETT,
Principal.

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COMMERCIAL COURSE

First Year				Second Year			
Subjects	Hrs. per Week	No. Weeks	Credits	Subjects	Hrs. per Week	No. Weeks	Credits
Required				Required			
English (1)	5	40	5	English (2)	5	40	5
Com. Arithmetic	5	20	2½	Business Practice	5	40	3
Penmanship and Spelling	5	20	2½	Typewriting (1)	5	40	2
General Science	5	20	2½	Biology	5	40	5
Civics	5	20	2½	Physical Training	1	40	1
Physical Training	1+	40	1	Elect One			
Elect One				French (1) or (2)	5	40	5
French (1)	5	40	5	World History	5	40	—
World History	5	40	—			Total—21	
Optional				Optional			
Drawing (Freehand)	1	40	1	Drawing (Freehand)	1	40	1
Music—G. C. Ch. Band	1	40	1	Music—G. C. Ch. Band	1	40	1
Third Year				Fourth Year			
Required				Required			
English (3)	5	40	5	English-Business	5	40	5
Bookkeeping (1)	5	40	5	Bookkeeping (2)	5	40	5
Stenography (1)	5	40	3	Stenography (2)	5	40	3
Typewriting (2)	5	40	2	Typewriting (3)	5	40	2
Physical Training	1	40	1	U. S. History—Civics	5	40	5
Elect One				Physical Training	1	40	1
French (3) or (2)	5	40	5			Total—21	
Chemistry	5+	40	—	Optional			
Physics	5+	40	—	French (3)	5	40	—
				Chemistry	5+	40	5
Optional				Physics	5+	40	—
Drawing (Mechanical)	1	40	1	Drawing (Mechanical)	1	40	1
Music—G. C. Ch. Band	1	40	1	Music—G. C. Ch. Band	1	40	1

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GENERAL COURSE

First Year			Second Year		
Subjects	Hrs. per Week	No. Weeks	Subjects	Hrs. per Week	No. Weeks
Required			Required		
English (1)	5	40	English (2)	5	40
Algebra	5	40	Geometry (Plane)	5	40
Gen. Science	5	20	World History	5	40
Civics	5	20	Physical Training	1	40
Physical Training	1	40	Elect One		
Elect One			Latin (2) or (1)	5	40
Latin (1)	5	40	French (2) or (1)	5	40
French (1)	5	40	Biology	5	40
Optional			Optional		Total—21
Drawing (Freehand)	1	40	Drawing (Freehand)	1	40
Music—G. C. Ch. Band	1	40	Music—G. C. Ch. Band	1	40
Required			Required		
English (3)	5	40	English (4)	5	40
U. S. History—Civics	5	40	Physical Training	1	40
Physical Training	1	40	Elect Three		
Elect Two			Geometry (Solid)	5	20
Latin (3) or (2)	5	40	Trigonometry	5	20
French (3) or (2)	5	40	French (3)	5	40
Chemistry	5+	40	Latin (3)	5	40
Physics	5+	40	Chemistry	5+	40
			Physics	5+	40
Optional			Optional		Total—21
Typewriting	5	40	Optional		
Stenography	5	40	Drawing (Mechanical)	1	40
Drawing (Mechanical)	1	40	Music—G. C. Ch. Band	1	40
Music—G. C. Ch. Band	1	40	Typewriting	5	40

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COLLEGE PREPARATORY

First Year				Second Year			
Subjects		Hrs. per Week	No. Weeks	Subjects		Hrs. per Week	No. Weeks
Required			Credits	Required			Credits
English (1)	English (2)	5	40	English (2)	5	40	5
Latin (1)	Latin (2)	5	40	Latin (2)	5	40	5
Algebra	French (1)	5	40	French (1)	5	40	5
World History	Geometry (Plane)	5	40	Geometry (Plane)	5	40	5
Physical Education	Physical Education	1+	40	Physical Education	1+	40	1
			Total—21				Total—21
Optional				Optional			
Drawing (Freehand)	Drawing (Freehand)	1	40	Drawing (Freehand)	1	40	1
Music—G. C. Ch. Band	Music—G. C. Ch. Band	1	40	Music—G. C. Ch. Band	1	40	1
	Biology	5	40	Biology	5	40	5
Third Year				Fourth Year			
Subjects		Hrs. per Week	No. Weeks	Subjects		Hrs. per Week	No. Weeks
Required			Credits	Required			Credits
English (3)	English (4)	5	40	English (4)	5	40	5
Latin (3)	French (3)	5	40	French (3)	5	40	5
French (2)	Geometry (Solid)	5	40	Geometry (Solid)	5	20	2½
U. S. History—Civics	Trigonometry	5	40	Trigonometry	5	20	2½
Physical Education	Physical Education	1+	40	Physical Education	1+	40	1
			Total—21				Total—21
Optional				Optional			
Drawing (Mechanical)	Chemistry	1	40	Chemistry	5+	40	5
Music—G. C. Ch. Band	Physics	1	40	Physics	5+	40	—
Chemistry or		5+	40				Total—21
Physics	Drawing (Mechanical)	5+	40	Drawing (Mechanical)	1	40	1
Advanced Algebra	Music—G. C. Ch. Band	5	40	Music—G. C. Ch. Band	1	40	1

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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,
Superintendent of Schools.

I hereby submit a tabulated report of my activities from January 1st, 1930, to December 31st, 1930:

All grade pupils have been weighed three times.

High School pupils have been weighed once.

Pupils in all schools under weight, 105.

Home calls for truancy and illness from Sept. to June, 374.

Home calls for illness from Sept. 1st to Dec. 31st, 84.

Pupils X-rayed in January, 14.

Pupils X-rayed in March, 6.

Pupils examined and tests read, 4. (These examinations were held at the Ladies Library Association).

Pupils recommended for Braintree Camp, 4.

Pupils attending Camp in Braintree, 3.

Pupils sent home with impetigo, 37.

Pupils sent home with pediculosis, 40.

Intelligence test was given for children who were retained below their grades because of illness or other reasons. Some of these children have been put in special classes in order that they may brought up to their respective grades by special attention to their background subjects.

Dr. Higgins examined all the boys and girls on the basketball teams before they were permitted to play. Each one was found to be in good condition.

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At the pre-school clinics, which were held in North Randolph, Tower Hill, Prescott and Belcher Schools, 84 children were given careful examinations by Dr. Higgins, and each child's defects discussed with his parents. In most cases defects have been remedied by the removal of tonsils and adenoids, and in many instances dental work has been done.

The Health Day program was held on Stetson High School grounds. The afternoon was set aside by the School Committee for parents and the public to view the demonstrations of physical exercises which are a regular part of the daily school routine. Grades 1 to 7 in all the schools took part in the exercises.

In September a "Clean-teeth" Campaign was started, and a health poster offered to the room first attaining a 100 per cent record. This poster was awarded the second week of the campaign to Grade 6, Prescott School (Mrs. Cormey's room). This grade continued to win a poster each week until Grade 5 (Miss Murphy's room), of the same building finally captured it. At the time of the examination by local dentists many rooms had reached the 100 per cent mark. Belcher School, led; North Randolph, second; and Prescott School, third.

The mouths of practically all the school children are receiving constant attention by our local dentists, Drs. Smith, Maguire and Ames. A part of this work is done in the offices of these dentists. It is earnestly hoped that this splendid work will become a permanent feature of our health program.

At Christmas time, through the generosity of the people and several organizations here, the worthy needy of the town, especially where there were children, were

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most generously cared for with food and clothing. These children were made very happy by the generous gifts of toys and candy supplied by several manufacturers, the local Red Cross and the Ladies' Library Association. I feel, too, that these various organizations have done much to keep the children in school.

At this time I would like to thank the Chairman, Miss Fannie Knight of the Christmas Seal Sale, for \$10.00 for free milk, and \$10.00 to be awarded to the dental clinic when it is established. I also wish to thank the Red Cross for \$10.00 which was given for dental work. The firemen of Randolph turned over a dance profit of \$50.00 which is now being used as needed. They also collected, repaired and painted toys for the children in Randolph. Over 150 children have thus been remembered and over 50 baskets of food distributed.

In closing my report I wish to thank all who have helped to make my work a success.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. JESSICA V. MITCHELL.

REPORT OF THE DRAWING SUPERVISOR

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,
Superintendent of Schools.

I am submitting herewith my report of four months' work in the schools of Randolph.

All grades, one to eight inclusive, are visited once in every two weeks at which time an individual four weeks drawing outline is submitted to each teacher. It has been my aim to teach thoroughly those subjects

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which could be covered in the time given to drawing, namely: nature work, object drawing, construction, design and color and picture study.

Drawing in the high school is elective and divided into two parts, freehand and mechanical. In freehand, considering the fact that the student spends only one period a week in class work, the course of study is arranged to broaden students in as many branches of design as possible. In this group special interest is centered on design, poster and commercial work. The mechanical class has progressed from simple three view working drawings to more complex plates dealing with the elements and details of machine design.

I would like to express my appreciation to the teachers of the town for their helpful attitude and faithful support in my work. I would also like to thank the superintendent for his interest and assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARE SULLIVAN,
Supervisor of Drawing.

REPORT OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,
Superintendent of Schools.

The interest in music has been well maintained during the past year.

Good progress has been made and much ground has been covered with a thoroughness that is productive of good results.

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On account of the large number of pupils in the High School classes, it seems advisable to devote a second period in music once a week for the benefit of the Freshmen and Sophomore classes.

The High School band has resumed its lessons under a competent instructor and is receiving the hearty co-operation of Mr. Swett, our high school principal. It is earnestly desired that this band will be well supported and receive the best of co-operation from parents and all interested in a high school band.

Respectfully submitted,

ROSE G. HAND.

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Report of the Trustees of the Turner Free Library

Trustees 1930

Seth T. Crawford	President
Herbert F. French*	Vice-President
Frank W. Belcher	Treasurer
William H. Leavitt	Secretary
Walter F. Stephens	James H. Hurley
Harold W. MacAuley	
(Selectmen of Randolph Ex-Officio)	
Harold F. Howard	Mrs. Alice M. T. Beach
Mrs. Helen W. Pratt	Asa P. French
Joseph D. Wales	Frank N. French
Albert C. Wilde	Herman W. French
Raymond L. Mason (elected to fill vacancy)	

*Deceased May 10, 1930

Harold F. Howard elected Vice-President to fill vacancy.

PUBLIC LIBRARY

To the Citizens of Randolph:

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 3 of the By-laws of The Turner Free Library this, the fifty-fifth annual report is submitted, showing the condition of the trust, consisting of the building, library and funds, together with the reports of the Librarian and Treasurer and so much of the reports submitted to the Trustees by the various committees as seems of general interest.

The Library Committee reports that the books,

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charts and furnishings are in good condition. All books belonging to the library were accounted for by the Librarian.

The Building Committee reports that a large amount of work has been done upon both the exterior and interior of the building, the principal item being the renovation of the entrance hall. The whole of this has been cleaned, the plaster of the walls and ceiling has been washed and tinted, the walls have been newly painted, the woodwork and floors refinished, and there have been further minor repairs and changes. There have been repairs to the roof and the iron grill work there which seemed likely to become a source of danger has been taken down.

A renovation of the delivery room, reading room and reference room, similar to that carried out in the entrance hall is urgently needed. The trustees have made an investigation of the probable cost of this and an appropriation of \$1,000.00 is requested for the same, and for such other exterior and interior repairs as may from time to time be necessary.

The Trustees have for some time had in mind the desirability of improving the plot of land in front of the building by providing a driveway of semi-circular type and walks leading to the front entrances of the library, and of the two stores on the ground floor, with grass plots covering the remaining portions. They feel that to do this would not only afford a much more convenient access to the library and stores, tending to eliminate the muddy and slippery conditions which now prevail in bad weather, but would also greatly enhance the appearance and dignity of the building and its surroundings. They have looked into the probable cost of this work and an appropriation of \$1,150.00 is requested for this purpose.

The Librarian's report shows interesting and valuable gifts of books during the year, including a very

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substantial gift from Mr. L. Dwight Granger of sets of standard works and bound magazines from the private library of his father, the late Dr. Frank C. Granger, who was for many years a valued member of the board of trustees, and the trustees desire to express their very sincere appreciation of all of these gifts.

The trustees also wish to express their appreciation of the loyal and efficient services rendered by Miss Sarah C. Belcher, the Librarian, who retired during the year, and of Miss Eunice L. Belcher as Assistant Librarian and as succeeding Librarian.

The report of the Librarian showing in detail the doings, management and results of the various departments of the Library, the report of the Treasurer showing the investment of the funds and the receipts and expenditures of the Library, and the report of the Finance Committee are hereunto subjoined.

Respectfully submitted,

SETH T. CRAWFORD,
President, Board of Trustees.

January 2, 1931.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

Randolph, Mass., January 2, 1931.

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

I have the honor to submit the annual report of the Librarian for the year ending December 31, 1930.

The Library has been open to the public 302 days. 19,865 books have been borrowed and 323 magazines. We have issued 262 borrower's cards making a total of 2,661.

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There have been 301 books added during the past year making a total of 31,971 accessioned volumes. Many of these were gifts, some of which are the following:

From the library of the late Dr. F. C. Granger: 25 volumes Classic Library—39 volumes Bancroft's Works—9 volumes Masters in Art—23 volumes Allison's History of Europe—25 volumes History of the Nations—12 volumes Works of Thomas Jefferson—100 volumes bound magazines.

Several interesting books from the Mass. Tercentenary Committee.

"Gold Star Records of Massachusetts."

"Pathways of the Puritans" from Governor Allen.

Three new magazines have been added to our list—Radio Digest, American Girl and Aviation Magazine, making the number to date 35.

The reference room is used to a great extent by the pupils of the Randolph Schools and by those attending various Colleges and Academies.

A new Webster Dictionary and a set of the World Book have been placed on the shelves and are proving a great help to the students.

I wish to express to the Trustees, my appreciation of their confidence in me as shown by my appointment as Librarian, and the public may be assured of courteous service from the employees of the Library.

Respectfully submitted,

EUNICE L. BELCHER,

Librarian.

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REPORT OF THE TREASURER

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

In compliance with the requirements of the By-Laws, I hereby submit the annual report of the Treasurer of the Turner Free Library:

Income Receipts

Turner Fund Income	\$582.01
R. W. Turner Fund income	1,120.78
Boston Elevated Ry. Bonds income	225.00
Brockton Gas Light Co., rent and heat	330.76
Wm. H. Morgan, rent and heat	400.00
Fines and collections	103.97
Randolph Savings Bank, interest	15.18
Randolph Trust Co., Savs. acct. int.	32.36
Randolph Trust Co., checking acct. int.	3.61
R. W. Turner Fund, reimburse int.	4.35
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	\$2,818.02
Balance income cash on hand Jan. 1, 1930	
on deposit in Randolph Trust Com-	
pany and Randolph Savings Bank	1,295.80
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	\$4,113.82

Disbursements Account Income

Books	\$417.81
Periodicals	77.65
Re-binding books	100.30
Librarian, salary	600.00
Assistant Librarian, salary	292.50
Extra help	13.30
Janitor, salary	300.00
Electric light and bulbs	110.56

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Safe Deposit Box, rent	10.00
Repairs	107.34
Fuel	202.74
Printing	2.00
Supplies	3.29
Sundries	18.47

\$2,255.96

Balance income cash on hand, January 1, 1931, on deposit in Randolph Trust Co. and Randolph Savings Bank	1,857.86
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\$4,113.82

The Turner Fund Is Invested In:

	Par	Book
1 N. Y. Central & Hudson R. R. Co. bond 4%1934	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
1 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. bond 4%1956	1,000.00	1,000.00
2 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bonds 5%-1956	2,000.00	2,000.00
3 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bonds 5%-1956	300.00	300.00
3 Union Pacific R. R. Co. Bonds 4%-1947	1,500.00	1,500.00
1 Western Tel. & Tel. Co. Bond 5%-1932	1,000.00	1,000.00
1 Western Tel. & Tel. Co. Bond 5%-1932	1,000.00	1,008.76
10 shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y. 5%	1,000.00	902.16
10 shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y. 5% no par value		
33 shares Union Pacific R. R. Co. 4%	3,300.00	3,300.00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank		308.56

\$12,319.48

The Royal W. Turner Fund Is Invested In:

3 Philadelphia Co. Bonds 5%-1967	\$3,000.00	\$2,946.00
2 Indianapolis Power & Light Co. Bonds 5%-1957	2,000.00	1,924.00
2 Brooklyn Manhattan Transit Co. Bonds 6%-1968	2,000.00	1,872.50
2 Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific R. R. 4%-1934	2,000.00	1,799.27
5 New York Tel. Co. Bonds 4½%-1939	5,000.00	5,000.00
2 Rio Grande Western R. R. Co. Bonds 4%-1949	2,000.00	1,596.01
20 shares California Packing Corp. 4% no par value		1,247.32
10 shares N. Y. Central R. R. Co. 7%	1,000.00	1,205.66
10 shares Illinois Central R. R. Co. 7%	1,000.00	1,162.74
10 shares Southern Railway Co. 7%	1,000.00	1,067.41
2 shares N. Y. Central R. R. Co. 7%	200.00	200.00
1 share N. Y. Central R. R. Co. 7%	100.00	107.00
2 shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y. 5% no par value		150.00

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2 shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y. 5% no par value	150.00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	384.34
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	\$20,662.25
The Remaining Funds are invested in:—Bold Face Line	
5 Boston Elevated Railway Bonds 4½%-1937	5,000.00 5,000.00

Royal W. Turner Fund

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PRINCIPAL FUND RECEIPTS

Randolph Savings Bank	\$107.00
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PRINCIPAL FUND PAYMENTS

N. Y. Central R. R.Co. Bond	\$107.00
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BILLS PAID BY TOWN OF RANDOLPH, 1930

Town Appropriation of	\$500.00
Robert E. Comins Company	\$215.34
John T. Boyle	284.66
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	\$500.00

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK W. BELCHER,

Treasurer.

January 2, 1931.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the Turner Free Library and find same correct, with proper vouchers for all expenses, and have examined the securities and verified cash balances and find same correct, as per statement.

JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM.

Norfolk, ss.

Randolph, Massachusetts.

Subscribed and sworn to before me.

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Notary Public.

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REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

Your committee on Finance submits the following report:

The committee has audited the accounts of the Treasurer for the year 1930, and found them correct. All moneys received have been duly accounted for, and no moneys have been paid out except upon vouchers properly approved.

The committee has examined, also, the securities representing the investments of the funds of the Library, and has found them to be intact, and as represented.

The following changes in the investment of the fund have been made during the year:

Royal W. Turner Fund

Withdrawn from Randolph Savings Bank	\$107.00
Purchased 1 share New York Central Railroad Company Stock	107.00

January 2, 1931.

ASA P. FRENCH,
Chairman.

Report of Collector of Taxes

To the Citizens of the Town of Randolph:

Below you will find my annual report of levies committed to me. Also reports of your Auditors.

Randolph, Mass., January 20, 1931.

Levy 1926

Dr.

December 31, 1930:

Uncollected Taxes	\$980.80
Adjustments	120.26
Interest Collected	193.31

\$1,294.37

Credits

December 31, 1930.

Taxes paid Treasurer	\$852.63
Abatements	245.23
Tax Titles	3.20
Interest paid Treasurer	193.31

\$1,294.37

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1926, and find same correct as per above statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
Auditors.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

WALDO E. MANN,

Justice of Peace.

My Commission expires May 4, 1934.

Randolph, Mass., January 20, 1931.

Levy 1928

Dr.

December 31, 1930:

Uncollected Taxes	\$17,772.79	
Refunds and Adjustments	77.70	
Interest Collected	1,401.15	
	<hr/>	\$19,251.64

Credits

December 31, 1930:

Taxes paid Treasurer	\$14,393.58	
Adjustments	16.53	
Tax Titles	453.22	
Abatements	593.53	
Interest paid Treasurer	1,401.15	
Taxes Uncollected	2,393.63	
	<hr/>	\$19,251.64

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1928, and find same correct as per above statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
Auditors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

WALDO E. MANN,

Justice of Peace.

My Commission expires May 4, 1934.

Randolph, Mass., January 20, 1931.

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Levy 1929

Dr.

December 31, 1930:

Uncollected Taxes	\$73,607.53	
Interest Collected	1,820.73	
Adjustments and Refunds	60.72	
	<hr/>	\$75,488.98

Credits

December 31, 1930:

Taxes Paid Treasurer	\$47,645.65	
Adjustments	.37	
Tax Titles	513.39	
Abatements	1,451.29	
Interest paid Treasurer	1,820.73	
Uncollected Taxes	24,057.55	
	<hr/>	\$75,488.98

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1929 and find same correct as per above statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

WALDO E. MANN,
Justice of Peace.

My Commission expires May 4, 1934.

Randolph, Mass., January 20, 1931.

Levy 1930

1930

August 25th, Tax Levy	\$203,153.75
August 9th, Excise Tax	11,263.25
August 9th, Poll Tax	3,488.00

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December 22nd, Excise Tax	2,192.58	
December 22nd, Omitted List	162.00	
December 31st, Interest Col- lected	174.34	
Adjustments and Refunds	192.53	
	<hr/>	\$220,626.45

Credits

December 31, 1930:

Taxes paid Treasurer	\$124,341.18	
Tax Titles	1,281.00	
Abatements	2,231.44	
Interest paid Treasurer	174.34	
Uncollected Taxes	92,598.49	
	<hr/>	\$220,626.45

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1930, and find same correct as per above statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
Auditors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

WALDO E. MANN,
Justice of Peace.

My Commission expires May 4, 1934.

I wish to thank you all sincerely for your hearty co-operation.

Believe me, I am still your friend,

WALTER H. LYONS,
Elected thirteen consecutive years. Collector of Taxes.

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REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR FOR 1927

Taxes uncollected Jan. 1, 1930	\$516.61	
Adjustments	36.35	
Interest collected for 1930	77.27	
	<hr/>	\$630.23
Cash paid to Town Treasurer	\$417.45	
Abatements for 1930	206.46	
Tax title	6.32	
	<hr/>	\$630.23

Yours truly, with many thanks,

R. J. PERKINS,
Tax Collector for 1927.

Report of the Board of Health

The following cases of contagious disease were reported to this Board during the year.

Mumps	14
Measles	22
Scarlet Fever	19
Chicken Pox	14
Whooping Cough	27
Diphtheria	3
Tuberculosis (with one death)	11

HAROLD W. MACAULEY,
WALTER F. STEPHENS,
JAMES H. HURLEY,
Board of Health.

REPORT OF MILK INSPECTOR

Randolph, Mass., January 14, 1931.

Board of Health, Randolph, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I am giving you below my report for the year ending December 31, 1930:

Milk licenses issued	78
Oleomargarin licenses issued	9
The total receipts were \$43.50, divided as follows:	
Milk licenses	\$39.00
Oleomargarin licenses	4.50

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM MAHADY,
Inspector of Milk.

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REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

During the year ending December 31, 1930, the following animals were inspected:

Cattle	255
Swine	1,016
Goats	13

And 97 stables housing these animals were inspected. Improvements being recommended in twenty. Twenty-three rabid dog cases were also handled by this department.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. TRUELSON,
Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

To the Board of Selectmen,
Randolph, Mass.

From May 2, 1930 until December 31, 1930, the carcasses of the following animals were examined:

Swine	76
Calves	5
Cows	3
Sheep	2

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. CARROLL.

Report of Police Department

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit report of the work done by the Police Department of the Town of Randolph for the year ending December 31, 1930.

Calls answered and investigations made*	1,767
*Summons served	177
Cases settled out of Court	94
*Arrests	205
Arraignments in Court	196
Bound over to Grand Jury	7
Found guilty in District Court	154
Appealed to Superior Court	13
†Found guilty in Superior Court	14
Pending in Superior Court	4
‡Acquitted	28
Placed on file	17
Placed on Probation	37
Fined	94
Committed to House of Correction	6
Committed to Concord Reformatory	1
Committed to Shirley Industrial School for Boys	1
Committed to Lyman School	1

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Stolen Property Recovered	\$5,629.00
Net returns paid to Town Treasurer from fines	
over and above expenses of prosecution	\$428.06

Respectfully submitted,

PATRICK T. McDONNELL,

Chief of Police.

* Some arrests and summons were served for out of town police.

† Includes 7 cases bound over to the Grand Jury, all of which were found guilty in Superior Court.

‡ Of the 28 cases acquitted the police were complainants on but two.

Report of the Board of Selectmen

Your Board of Selectmen deem it unnecessary to present any lengthy report. The reports of the different departments present in detail the various activities of the Town officials and the manner in which the affairs of the town have been administered.

A spirit of harmony and co-operation conduces in a marked degree to the welfare and progress of any community. Such a spirit has been manifest not only in the Board of Selectmen but in all departments of the town. We feel that it has been a year of real progress and constructive activity.

WALTER F. STEPHENS,
HAROLD W. MACAULEY,
JAMES H. HURLEY,
Selectmen.

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Sealer of Weights and Measures

To the Board of Selectmen,
Randolph, Mass.

Gentlemen:

During the year 1930 I have sealed:

Scales	101
Weights	168
Liquid Measures	343
Gasoline Pumps	66
Kerosene Pumps	9
Yard Sticks	5

There were re-sealed and tested:

Gasoline Pumps	15
Scales	10

Inspections made:

Pedlars' licenses	10
Pedlars' scales	8

Fees collected and turned over to the Town

Treasurer		\$92.08
Equipment purchases	\$30.28	
Expenses	8.72	
Salary of Sealer	150.00	
	<hr/>	189.00
Appropriation		\$189.00

Respectfully submitted,

DANIAL P. LYONS,
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Report of the Tree Warden

To the Voters of the Town of Randolph:

The public shade trees of a community are an asset and ornament to the lovers of nature. What is more beautiful than to ride along the highways lined with stately trees?

Last year 28 new trees were planted and 7 removed. Much work can be done on our shade trees as conditions existing the present day are harmful to them. Many of them are starving on account of the new highways being built all over the country. Much work can be done in pruning, cavity filling and fertilizing to keep these healthy.

Many towns are starting nurseries of their own as the price of trees have advanced in the past few years.

We wish to take this opportunity to extend our thanks to the Ladies' Library Association for the gift of 4 trees.

I think that I shall never see
A poem lovely as a Tree,
A tree whose hungry mouth is prest
Against the earth's sweet flowing breast,
A tree that looks at God all day
And lifts her leafy arms to pray;
A tree that may in summer wear
A nest of robins in her hair;
Upon whose bosom snow has lain;
Who intimately lives with rain.
Poems are made by fools like me—
But only God can make a tree.

J. T. MOORE,
Tree Warden.

Report of the Moth Superintendent

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The moth situation in this town for the year ending December 31, 1930 is as favorable as can be expected with the money appropriated.

The elm beetle appeared again last year making quite a little headway and many elms were stripped. The tent caterpillar is still with us and should be held in check. The money appropriated is not sufficient to control the gypsy moth situation alone and unless some definite action is taken, we will become so infested with these pests that it will require a great deal more time and money to control it at a later date.

The spraying machine will have to be overhauled this year and more material purchased.

To you voters who know the danger and damage these insects will do, I ask do we not need more attention to this work and in order to do this we must have a larger appropriation.

J. T. MOORE,
Local Moth Supt.

Report of Trustees of Stetson School Fund

Randolph, Mass.,

Jan. 21, 1931.

The auditors of the Town of Randolph have this day examined investment of Stetson School Fund and find same as follows.

8 Shares Webster & Atlas, \$100.00 each	\$800.00
8 Shares Lawrence Gas, \$25.00 each	200.00
10 Shares Randolph Co-operative, \$200.00 each	2,000.00
Deposit in Randolph Trust Co.	9,340.17
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	689.75
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	\$13,029.92

Also a deposit of \$1,068.32 to the credit of the Turner Medal Fund.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,

Auditors.

PAID OUT 1930

Trustees (1929)	\$20.00
R. & H. Light & Power Co.	57.36
Brockton Gas Co.	52.92
Timothy Kelleher	187.05
Edward Moor	35.00

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Frank Deanto	323.00
Leon Clifford	8.00
Reformatory for Women	10.50
Mrs. Frank Belcher	4.50
Frank Teed	11.00
Edward J. Megley	775.70
B. F. Hayden	19.20
State Chemical Co.	30.00
Morgan Hardware Co.	38.22
Commissioner Public Safety	5.00
Randolph Trust Co.	3.00
Katherine Derochen	12.00
Deposited in Randolph Sav. Bank	33.20
Deposited in Randolph Trust Co.	454.93
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	\$2,080.58
Balance Jan. 21, 1931	118.05
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	\$2,198.63
Balance Jan. 1, 1930	\$621.69
Webster & Atlas Bank Int.	64.00
Randolph Co-operative Int.	110.00
Lawrence Gas. Company Int.	28.80
Hall Rent	683.05
Withdrawal Randolph Tr. Co.	200.00
Randolph Trust Checking Int.	2.96
Randolph Savings Bank Int.	33.20
Randolph Trust Co. Int.	454.93
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	\$2,198.63

Report of the Highway Surveyor

To the Citizens of Randolph:

I herewith present my report for 1930. We accomplished the usual spring repairs which are necessary each year.

The cost of maintenance of the highway department is increasing every year. Five years ago there was an area of about two miles of tarvia roads within the town. At the present time we have about 15 to 16 miles of tarvia roads, which must be maintained. The cost of tarvia, sand and labor amounts to approximately 20 to 21 cents per gallon when spread on the road. In order to properly care for the tarvia roads which we now have, a light coating of tarvia should be spread each year.

I would recommend that a road machine be purchased, costing approximately \$350 to \$400. The one now in use has been in service for 14 years, and the cost of maintenance is more than that of a new machine.

As the roads in the center of the town are in a fairly good condition, I recommend that considerable attention be given to the back streets, and also that we open a campaign for sidewalk construction.

I wish to thank the citizens for the co-operation they have given, and the assistance they have rendered when called upon.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES LYNCH,
Highway Surveyor.

Report of the Planning Board

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of
Randolph:

Your temporary planning board has held one or more meetings in practically every month of the past year, or since its appointment by the Town Moderator, in accordance with the vote of the Town establishing a temporary planning board, to serve for one year from the 1930 town meeting date.

We have made a conscientious study of the requirements of the citizens of the town in relation to the greater protection of our homes and areas; in relation to land and building sites; in relation to the better development of business and of recreational facilities.

One of the major projects which we have considered has been the extension of assessors' map, now in process of preparation, for which various sums have been appropriated at previously held town meetings. By means of this map, definite boundaries and ownerships are being established, resulting in the facilitation of title searching and of property selling; as well as in the creation of a greater revenue to the town from property heretofore untaxed.

The second project on which we have carefully deliberated, and which we have investigated, has been the possible development of community recreational centers, our aim being the safeguarding of the moral and physical welfare of our children, through increasing their happiness in health-giving play, in the proper environment.

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The third major project studied by us has been the appointment of a board of survey. We believe that such a body would effectually prevent the recording of any plan of land development which might prove detrimental to the future orderly growth and welfare of the town.

We wish to thank the board of selectmen and assessors, and all other town officials and citizens who have so willingly co-operated with us.

We wish to make specific mention of, and to extend our thanks to Mr. Joseph T. Leahy, for his examination and report of the records of the bequest to the Town of Randolph of "The Great Pasture Lot," under the terms of the will of the late E. Fanny Belcher.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) JOHN J. MADDEN,
Chairman, Temporary Planning Board.

(Signed) JESSIE C. DUNBAR,
JOHN E. KELLEY,
EDGAR B. COLE,
JAMES A. MULLEN,
HELEN M. HANEY.

Randolph, Feb. 2, 1931.

1931 Town Meeting Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts
you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants
of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in
elections therein, to meet at the polling places in their
respective precincts, to wit:

Polling Place in Precinct No. 1,
STETSON HALL, IN SAID TOWN

Polling Place in Precinct No. 2
NORTH RANDOLPH IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION
HALL, IN SAID TOWN

On MONDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF MARCH, 1931
at 5:45 o'clock in the forenoon.

then and there to bring in to the Wardens of their respective precincts their votes on the official ballot for a Moderator for one year, Town Clerk for one year, Town Treasurer for one year, three Selectmen and Overseers of Public Welfare for one year, three members of the Board of Health, one for one year, one for two years, one for three years, one Assessor for three years, two members of the School Committee for three years, and one member of the School Committee for two years, one Trustee of Stetson School Fund for three years, one Col-

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lector of Taxes for one year, One Water Commissioner for three years, one Highway Surveyor for one year, one Tree Warden for one year, three Auditors for one year and seven Constables for one year.

THE POLLS WILL BE OPENED AT FIVE FORTY-FIVE O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON AND WILL BE CLOSED AT TWO O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON.

You are further directed to notify and warn said inhabitants qualified to vote as aforesaid to meet at the 'TOWN HALL in said Randolph on Monday the 16th day of March, 1931 at seven-thirty P. M., then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1931, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to refund any and all of the revenue notes issued in anticipation of revenue of the year 1931, in accordance with the provisions of Section 17 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, any debt so incurred to be paid from the revenue of 1931.

Article 3. To see if the Town will appoint the Selectmen to be the Agents and Attorneys of the Town, to prosecute, defend and compromise any and all suits in which the Town may in any manner be interested as a party or otherwise, except in so far as the same relate in any manner to the Water supply, and to employ counsel if necessary.

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Article 4. To see if the Town will authorize and appoint the Water Commissioners to be the Agents and Attorneys of the Town, to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the Town may be interested as a party or otherwise, so far as the same in any manner relates to the preserving, taking and use of the waters of Great Pond, or to the construction of the water works, either jointly or separately, as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money to defray the general Town Expenses for the current year, under the following headings:

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Moderator,	Salary
Selectmen,	Salaries and Expenses
Auditors,	Salaries and Expenses
Accountant,	Salary and Expenses
Treasurer,	Salary and Expenses (including Treasurer's Bond)
Tax Collector,	Salary and Expenses (including Tax Collector's Bond)
Assessors,	Salaries and Expenses
Law Department,	Expenses and Claims
Finance Committee,	Expenses
Town Clerk,	Salary and Expenses
Election and Registration,	Salaries and Expenses (including Registrars of Voters)
Town Office,	Expenses

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PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department,	Salaries and Expenses (including Traffic signs, signals and Lockup)
Fire Department,	Salaries and Expenses (including Fire Alarm System and Forest Fires)
Sealer of Weights and Measures	Salary and Expenses
Tree Warden,	Salary and Expenses
Moth Extermination,	Expenses

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health Department,	Salaries and Expenses
Vital Statistics,	Expenses
Inspector of Animals,	Salary
Inspector of Milk,	Salary
Inspector of Slaughtering,	Salary
Dog Officer,	Salary
Health Nurse,	Salary

HIGHWAYS

Highway Surveyor's Salary
General Maintenance and Repairs
New Construction
Sidewalks, etc.
Snow Removal
Street Lights
Street Signs
Land Damages
Drainage

CHARITIES AND SOLDIER'S BENEFITS

Overseers of Public Welfare,	Salaries and Expenses
Infirmaries, Salary and Expenses	

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Outside Relief, Expenses (including Poor out of Infirmary and Mothers' Aid)

State Aid

Military Aid

Soldier's Relief

Old Age Assistance

SCHOOLS

Salaries and Expenses (including conveyance of pupils, employment of School Nurse, etc.)

TURNER LIBRARY

Repairs

UNCLASSIFIED

Memorial Day, Expenses

Armistice Day, Expenses

Care of Clock in First Congregational Church

Printing and Distributing Town Reports

Insurance (Fire and Workmen's Compensation)

Other items

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Water Department,

Maintenance

Service Construction

Joint Account

New Construction

Main Extensions

Acquiring Land

Other Items

MATURING DEBT AND INTEREST

Maturing Debt

Interest

General

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Article 6. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money for the Reserve Fund for extraordinary or unforeseen emergencies as per Section 6, Chapter 40 of the General Laws.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money to cover unpaid bills of previous years in the following department; Public Welfare.

Article 8. To hear and act on the reports of the Town Officers.

Article 9. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint a Special Officer, or Officers to enforce the laws.

Article 10. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the pay of Town Laborers and others hired by the day or hour.

Article 11. To hear and act on the report of any committee, and choose any committee the Town may think proper.

Article 12. To see what action the Town will take in regard to raising and appropriating money for the employment of a District Nurse, as provided for by Section 5, Chapter 40 of the General Laws, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 371, Acts of 1921.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1500.00, for the purpose of leasing a building for headquarters of Lieut. Thos. W. Desmond Post No. 169, The American Legion, or act in any other manner thereto.

Article 14. To see what action the Town will take

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relative to balances of the following specific appropriations:

Police Department
School Department
Soldiers and Sailors
Tercentennial Expenses
Traffic Signals
Sites
Honor Roll

and the following balances that can be only applied to appropriations for which money can be borrowed for like purposes:

Highway Department,
Canton Street
Union Street
Water Department,
Extensions
Stacy Street

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$440.50 to apply on the Tax Collectors salary account which shows a deficit of this amount.

Article 16. To hear the report of the committee appointed at the Annual Town Meeting, April 1st, 1929, TO REVISE AND AMEND THE TOWN BY-LAWS and to take action thereon.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to transfer \$1,225.00, from the Overlay Surplus Account to the Law Department Account to cover a Court Judgment of this amount.

STREET ACCEPTANCES

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Hills Street for a distance of 400 feet from

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North Main Street as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by Royal L. Mann, Ervin L. Black, John T. Trefry and others.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept Overlook Road as a public way 400 feet from its present terminus southerly, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by Louis J. Potash, Albert C. Webber, Charles Beattie and others.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Druid Hill Avenue, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by F. O. Riley, Edw. A. Sabeau, F. E. Clifford and others.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way Norraway Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by L. B. Steele, Gerald J. Mahoney, John I. Malm and others.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Fencourt Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen and as recommended by the School Building Committee.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Fairfield Road as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by Richard J. Carmody, William J. Pettipas, Stephen J. Sullivan and others.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Waldo Street, for the unaccepted portion as far as Mitchell Street, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by Edward King, John R. Madden, Patrick J. Foley and others.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Castleton Avenue as laid out by the Select-

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men and as petitioned for by Webster Boyer, Walter P. Stetson, L. B. Sanborn and others.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Royal Street from North Main to Mitchell Streets, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by William J. Small, George R. Robertson, James F. Keefe and others.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Cole Terrace as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by Fred A. Diauto, Raymond E. Lyons, Edward H. Duffy and others.

REPAIR AND REBUILDING OF STREETS

Article 28. To see if the Town will rebuild Overlook Road as a public way 400 feet from its present terminus southerly, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Louis J. Potash, Charles Beattie, Albert C. Webber and others.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote the sum of \$2,000.00 for the purpose of extending and resurfacing Oak Street with a tarvia finish beginning at the end of last work and extending towards North Street as far as the money will go, as petitioned for by Weston L. Mann, Harry A. Hopkins, Fred W. Marshall and others.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to build Fencourt Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen and raise and appropriate money therefor, as recommended by the School Building Committee.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild Vesey Road from the part now constructed, in an easterly direction as petitioned for by Fred J. Driscoll, Fred O. Evans, Robert J. Teece and others.

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Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money to rebuild that section of Old Street from the present repaired part, southerly to Chestnut Street, as petitioned for by Herbert A. Poole, Herbert A. Jones, Dr. W. E. Buck and others.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the building of Plain Street (as extended) as petitioned for by Dimitrula Koskoris, James F. Ginnerty, Dominick J. Hand and others.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild that portion of West Street between Cross and Warren Streets and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by A. Berwick, W. E. Southwick, C. Lloyd Claff and others.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to extend the construction of Russ Street and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Leonard D. Shanks, Stanley Powers, James Wilson and others.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to build Waldo Street the balance of the distance to Mitchell Street and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Edward King, John R. Madden, John J. Madden and others.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to complete the building of Woodlawn Road to Sherwood Avenue and raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 therefor as petitioned for by Walter J. Good, L. B. Sanborn, Leon E. Clifford and others.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for the building and construction of Fairfield Road as petitioned for by Richard L. Carmody, Edgar F. Beers, W. J. Petipas and others.

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Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to build Cole Terrace as laid out by the Selectmen and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Raymond E. Lyons, Fred A. Diauto, Edgar B. Cole and others

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to build Royal Street from North Main Street to Mitchell Street and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by William J. Small, Geo. R. Robertson, James F. Keefe and others.

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild Centre Street from near the residence of John Marcille westerly to South Main Street and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by John H. Marcille, David J. Good, Walter J. Good and others.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to build Norraway Avenue and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by L. B. Steele, Gerald J. Mahoney, John I. Malm and others.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild Belcher Street and provide drainage for same, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 therefor as petitioned for by W. R. Yundt, A. J. Robertson, Harold L. Robbins and others.

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to repair or rebuild Mount Pleasant Square and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Arthur L. Mann, Ralph R. Swallow, Arthur H. Lyons and others.

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to build Druid Hill Avenue and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by T. O'Riley, Edw. A. Sabean, L. E. Clifford and others.

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Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to complete the building of Highland Avenue from Fitch Terrace, in a southerly direction to the end of Highland Avenue and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by William B. Corrigan, Jessie C. Dunbar, A. F. Crafts and others.

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild Allen Street from that part now constructed, in an easterly direction and raise and appropriate money for the same as petitioned for by Albert Arneson, Herbert A. Poole, Frank M. Little and others.

Article 48. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild Chestnut Street from that part now constructed and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Charles H. Truelson, Perley C. Nason, Edward F. Johnson and others.

Article 49. To see if the Town will vote to build Castleton Avenue and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Joseph A. Piotte, Webster Boyer, James S. Foley and others.

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to reconstruct Pond street in conjunction with the State and County and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by J. M. Gladback, Robert S. Cutting, John T. Trefry and others.

WATER EXTENSIONS

Article 51. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to lay the water main along Hills Street in a westerly direction from North Main Street for a distance of 400 feet and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Royal L. Mann, Ellis H. Mann, Ervin L. Black and others.

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Article 52. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to install a water main on Overlook Road, 400 feet southerly from its present terminus, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Louis J. Potash, Charles Beattie, Albert C. Webber and others.

Article 53. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main from Center Street over Fencourt Avenue and into the school lot recently purchased by the Town, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as recommended by the School Building Committee.

Article 54. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main on North Main Street, from its present terminus opposite the residence of Ed. J. Dolan, in a northerly direction 1200 feet, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Ernest S. Bossi, Martin E. Young, Louis J. Courtney and others.

Article 55. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main from the corner of Oak Street and Norraway Ave, along Norraway Ave., a distance of 1000 feet and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Gerald Mahoney, Frank F. Teed, R. E. O'Brien and others.

Article 56. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main along Grove Street in a westerly direction from its present terminus, 1200 feet, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by N. Frank Randall, E. N. Soule, R. A. Yates and others.

Article 57. To see if the Town will instruct the Water Commissioners to lay the water main along Canton

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Street 1000 feet from the present dead end, near the residence of George W. Doherty, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by George W. Doherty, Lawrence A. Sass, C. William Gabel and others.

Article 58. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main along Center Street 800 feet in a westerly direction from the present dead end near the residence of Clarence Rowe and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Clarence Rowe, Leon Clifford, Wm. Pettingill and others.

Article 59. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to lay the water main from South Main Street 500 feet on Woodlawn Road, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Charles M. Buzzell, Walter J. Good, Leon Clifford and others.

ELECTRIC LIGHT EXTENSIONS

Article 60. To see if the Town will vote to place electric lights on Fencourt Avenue, and raise and appropriate money therefor as recommended by the School Building Committee.

Article 61. To see if the Town will vote to install one electric light on Cole Terrace and raise and appropriate the sum of \$16.50 for same as petitioned for by Fred A. Diauto, Raymond E. Lyons, Edgar B. Cole and others.

Article 62. To see if the Town will vote to install nine electric lights on Stacy Street between North Main and High Streets and raise and appropriate money for the same as petitioned for by Robert A. Yates, W. F. Ames, Ervin L. Black and others.

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Article 63. To see if the Town will vote to install two electric lights on Centre Street and raise and appropriate money for the same as petitioned for by Clarence Rowe, Leon E. Clifford, Charles G. Lewis and others.

Article 64. To see if the Town will vote to install electric lights at the entrance to the Stetson High School Grounds and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by George F. Taylor, Charles E. Mahoney, Leo P. Gaynor and others.

Article 65. To see if the Town will vote to install two electric lights on Woodlawn Road and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Charles M. Buzzell, Walter J. Good, L. E. Clifford and others.

Article 66. To see if the Town will vote to install one electric light at the junction of North Main and Pleasant Streets and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Joseph W. O'Mahoney, Alice D. Desmond, J. H. Marcille and others.

Article 67. To see if the Town will vote to install one electric light at the junction of North Main and Orchard Streets and raise and appropriate money for the same as petitioned for by Horace French, Joseph D. McKim, Waldo E. Mann and others.

MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES

Article 68. To see if the Town will vote to call the new school at North Randolph "THE CHARLES GABRIEL DEVINE SCHOOL" as recommended by the American Legion and the School Building Committee.

Article 69. To see if the Town will vote to call the new school at East Randolph "THE DANIEL JOSEPH McNEILL SCHOOL" as recommended by the American Legion and the School Building Committee.

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Article 70. To see if the Town will vote to accept Sections 70, 71 and 72 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, governing the appointment and duties of a Planning Board; and instruct the Moderator to appoint a committee to act until the Annual Town Meeting of 1932; or act in any other manner thereon as petitioned for by John J. Madden, Helen M. Haney, John Edmund Kelley and others.

Article 71. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$150.00 to defray the incidental expenses of the Planning Board or act in any other manner thereon as petitioned for by John J. Madden, Helen M. Haney, John Edmund Kelley and others.

Article 72. To see if the Town will vote to accept "The Board of Survey" act, Sections 73 to 81 inclusive of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, or act in any other manner thereon. This will give the Board power to prevent the recording of any plan of land development which, in the opinion of the Board, might prove detrimental to the future development, growth and welfare of the Town.

Article 73. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 to continue work on the Assessor's maps of the town, with the understanding that the finished map shall provide not only property lines but all street lines properly laid down to scale; or act in any manner thereon as petitioned for by John J. Madden, Helen M. Haney, John Edmund Kelley and others.

Article 74. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for a Dental Clinic to be under the direction of the Board of Health as petitioned for by Dr. H. N. Smith, Eileen Courtney, Arthur L. Butler and others.

Article 75. To see what action the Town will take relative to installing a new equipment at the pumping

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station, under the direction of the Water Commissioners, in conjunction with the Water Commissioners of Holbrook, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 76. To see if the Town will vote to purchase an Air Compressor for the joint use of the Highway Department and the Water Department and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 77. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 85 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, relative to pensions and retirement of permanent members of Police and Fire Departments or take any action in relation thereto as petitioned for by W. Stanley Atherton, J. P. Reilly, Eugene L. McAuliffe and others.

Article 78. To see what action the Town will take relative to By-Laws for the Planning Board

Article 79. To see if the Town will authorize the Water Commissioners to appoint any of their members to another office or position under their control and fix the salary of such person in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 36, Acts of 1929 or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 80. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint an additional police officer, and according to the Civil Service rules and regulations, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by W. Stanley Atherton, William S. Condon, F. D. McCarty and others.

Article 81. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a new motor pumping engine of not less than seven hundred and fifty gallons capacity for the Fire Department and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by W. Stanley Atherton, Edwin K. Weddall, A. L. Butler and others.

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Article 82. To see if the Town will vote to empower the Selectmen to appoint a Fish and Game Warden for the Town of Randolph, as permitted by Section 7 of Chapter 21 of the General Laws as amended and raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for the same as petitioned for by W. R. Yundt, Dr. H. N. Smith, Charles H. McGrath and others.

Article 83. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for building a sidewalk of a permanent nature on the northerly side of Union Street as petitioned for by Frank L. Hand, John B. McNeill, Una C. Belcher and others.

Article 84. To see if the Town will vote to construct a cement sidewalk on the northerly side and on the westerly side of Stetson Hall and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 85. To see if the Town will vote to construct a macadam road over the half circle in front of the Stetson High School and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 86. To see if the Town will vote to construct a macadam road on the half circle in front of the Stetson Hall building and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 87. To see what action the Town will take relative to improving the land in the rear of the High School westerly from the present improvement, and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by George F. Taylor, Michael F. Hand, Robert T. McAuliffe and others.

Article 88. To see if the Town will vote to install a fire alarm box on Fencourt Avenue, at or near the school lot, as recommended by the School Building Committee.

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Article 89. To see if the Town will vote a sum of money, in addition to the amount previously raised and appropriated, for erecting and originally equipping and furnishing a two room School Building in East Randolph, and raise and appropriate money for that purpose, as recommended by the School Building Committee.

Article 90. To see if the Town will vote to install a Fire Alarm Box on Old Street at the premises of the new school lot, and raise and appropriate money therefor as recommended by the School Building Committee.

Article 91. To see if the Town will vote to install an oil burning equipment in the new school building on Old Street, and raise and appropriate money for the same as recommended by the School Building Committee.

Article 92. To see if the Town will vote a sum of money for grading, building walks and driveways, and erecting a flagpole on the school lot on Old Street as recommended by the School Building Committee.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said Town seven days at least, before the day and hour for holding said meeting.

Hereof, fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, on or before the day and hour appointed for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, this seventh day of February, A. D. 1931.

WALTER F. STEPHENS,
HAROLD W. MACAULEY,
JAMES H. HURLEY,

Selectmen of Randolph.

A True Copy:

Attest:

Constable

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Town of Randolph



For the Year Ending December 31

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Selectmen and Overseers of Public Welfare, Town
Clerk and Treasurer, Assessors, Board of Health,
School Committee, Tax Collector, Fire De-
partment, Highway Surveyor, Police De-
partment, and Town Accountant.

of the

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Together with the Reports of

The Trustees of the Stetson School Fund
The Trustees of the Turner Free Library
Water Commissioners, Animal Inspector,
Milk Inspector, Moth Superintendent,
Sealer of Weights and Measures,
Slaughter Inspector
and
Tree Warden

For the

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1931

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TOWN OFFICERS, 1931

Elected

Moderator (elected annually)—James F. Kennedy.

Town Clerk and Treasurer (elected annually)—John B. McNeill.

Selectmen and Overseers of the Public Welfare (elected annually)—Walter F. Stephens, Harold W. Macauley, James H. Hurley.

Assessors (elected for 3 years)—Frank F. Teed, term expires 1934; Waldo E. Mann, term expires 1933; James P. Duffy, term expires 1932.

School Committee (elected for 3 years)—Charles R. Kiley, term expires 1934; William S. Condon, term expires 1934; W. Frank Ames, term expires 1933; Frederick E. Chapin, term expires 1933 and William J. O'Keefe, term expires 1932.

Trustees of Stetson School Fund (elected for 3 years)—W. Frank Ames, term expires 1934; Frederick E. Chapin, term expires 1933 and William J. O'Keefe, term expires 1932.

Board of Health (elected for 3 years)—Arthur L. Mann, term expires 1934; William E. Buck, term expires 1933; William M. Colby, term expires 1932.

Tax Collector (elected annually)—Walter H. Lyons.

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Water Commissioners (elected for 3 years)—John B. McNeill, term expires 1934; Fred D. Driscoll, term expires 1933 and Richard F. Forrest, term expires 1932.

Highway Surveyor (elected annually)—John A. Frederickson.

Tree Warden (elected annually)—John T. Moore.

Auditors (elected annually)—Raymond L. Mason, James V. Donovan and Michael F. Cunningham (Deceased).

Constables (elected annually) — John A. Forrest, George L. Frawley, William C. Mann, Edmund J. Brady, George M. Brewster, Louis J. Courtney, Martin E. Young.

Appointed by Town Clerk.

Assistant Town Clerk—Helen M. Brady (Provisions of Section 19 of Chap. 41 of the General Laws).

Appointments by Selectmen

Town Accountant (appointed for 3 years)—Elmer L. Burchell (term expires 1933).

Registrars of Voters (appointed for 3 years)—Carlton B. Lyons, term expires 1932; Joseph J. Dench, term expires 1933; Walter L. Hickey, term expires 1934 and John B. McNeill, Town Clerk, ex officio.

Chief of Police—Patrick T. McDonnell, (Chap. 31, Section 49).

Chief of Fire Department—Harold L. Bailey, (Chap. 48, Section 42).

Forest Warden—Harold L. Bailey.

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Warden of Infirmary—John H. Marcille; Matron—Mrs. Stella Hughes.

Keeper of the Lock-up (appointed annually)—Timothy Kelleher.

Fence Viewers—Frank C. Wales, Charles Truelson and William Mahady.

Surveyors of Wood and Bark—Edwin C. Soule, N. Frank Randall, Charles H. Truelson.

Field Drivers—John T. Wales, William Carroll, Frank H. Walsh.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—Daniel P. Lyons.

Public Weighers—Michael Diauto, Frank Diauto, Clara Diauto, Dominick Diauto, Frank Esposito, Michael E. Leahy, H. B. Mann, Ellen Reilly, Dennis Murphy, John White.

Inspector of Animals—Charles H. Truelson.

Moth Superintendent—John T. Moore.

Dog Officer—Frank M. Condon.

Special Police Officers (to serve without pay)—Edmund J. Brady, George Frawley, Thomas H. Good, Percy H. Thompson, Timothy Kelliher, William S. Condon, William Mahady, Patrick J. Flynn, Stephen J. Hart, Joseph Simmons, Henry J. Mann, John R. Luddington, Elmer Poole, William A. Colby, Arthur L. Mann, Edward J. Dolan, Walter W. Woodward, Leon H. Crothers, Charles E. Main, Robert Torrance, Flor-

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ence Sullivan, Harry Dolan, William C. Mann, Irving S. Hill, John F. Welch, Charles F. Blakeley also Joseph H. Duggan (Milton Police and Joseph J. Dalton (Milton Police). Special Constables—Patrick T. McDonnell and E. Clifton Payne.

Committees Appointed by Moderator

Committee of nine to serve on Finance Committee: Joseph M. Gladbach, Chester L. Paine, Royal L. Mann (terms expire 1932); Joseph Belcher, Henry V. Morgan, Walter F. Stephens, (terms expire 1933); Daniel G. Donovan, John B. Brennan, Bennie F. Hayden (terms expire 1934).

Committee of nine to serve on Planning Board until 1932 Annual Town Meeting—John J. Madden, James A. Mullen, Mrs. Jessie C. Dunbar, Helen M. Haney, John E. Kelley, Eugene L. McAuliffe, Edgar B. Cole, Henry N. Corp and Erskine H. Cox.

Representative to General Court from 9th Norfolk

Representative District

Harold W. Macauley, Randolph, Mass.

Representative to Congress from 14th Congressional District

Richard B. Wigglesworth, Milton, Mass.

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Report of the Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING—1931

Election of Officers

Total number of ballots cast for Town Officers:
Precinct 1—1,686; Precinct 2—380; Total 2,066.

MODERATOR (1 year)

	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Total
James F. Kennedy	1,268	292	1,560
Blanks	418	88	506

TOWN CLERK (1 year)

John B. McNeill	1,423	321	1,744
Blanks	263	59	322

TOWN TREASURER (1 year)

John B. McNeill	1,378	304	1,682
Blanks	308	76	384

SELECTMEN AND OVERSEERS OF PUBLIC WELFARE

(1 year)

William F. Costello	115	122	237
James H. Hurley	850	147	997
Harold W. Macauley	1,115	246	1,361
Arthur L. Mann	533	136	669
Walter F. Stephens	1,001	231	1,232
William Robert Yundt	528	96	624
Blanks	916	162	1,078

ASERSSORS (3 years)

Peter M. Gibson	134	20	154
James H. Hurley	696	143	839
Frank F. Teed	723	184	907
Blanks	133	33	166

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SCHOOL COMMITTEE (3 years)

William S. Condon	726	267	993
John E. Kelley	753	76	829
Charles R. Kiley	743	104	847
Mildred B. Taber	542	197	739
Blanks	608	116	724

SCHOOL COMMITTEE (2 years)

W. Frank Ames	720	174	894
John P. McCarthy	599	67	666
Frederick W. Schulz	116	92	208
Blanks	251	47	298

TRUSTEES STETSON SCHOOL FUND (3 years)

W. Frank Ames	728	193	921
Charles R. Kiley	744	137	881
Blanks	214	50	264

BOARD OF HEALTH (3 years)

Arthur L. Mann	732	153	885
Charles Truelson	667	196	863
Blanks	287	31	318

BOARD OF HEALTH (2 years)

William E. Buck	748	222	970
Daniel G. Donovan	760	102	862
Blanks	178	56	234

BOARD OF HEALTH (1 year)

William M. Colby	705	195	900
Helen M. Haney	725	122	847
Blanks	256	63	319

TAX COLLECTOR (1 year)

Walter H. Lyons	1,368	331	1,699
Blanks	318	49	367

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WATER COMMISSIONER (3 years)

John B. McNeill	1,359	303	1,662
Blanks	327	77	404

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR (1 year)

John A. Frederickson	851	290	1,141
James J. Lynch	774	78	852
Blanks	61	12	73

TREE WARDEN (1 year)

John T. Moore	1,270	291	1,561
Blanks	416	89	505

AUDITORS (1 year)

Michael F. Cunningham	1,180	250	1,430
James V. Donovan	1,247	259	1,506
Raymond L. Mason	1,166	256	1,422
Blanks	1,465	375	1,840

CONSTABLES (1 year)

Charles T. Blakely	617	253	870
Edmund J. Brady*	871	189	1,060
George M. Brewster*	829	164	993
Louis J. Courtney*	840	135	975
James Durkee	565	149	714
John A. Forrest*	1,051	209	1,260
George L. Frawley*	927	185	1,112
William Mahady	693	151	844
William C. Mann*	974	202	1,176
Martin E. Young*	987	180	1,167
Blanks	3,448	843	4,291

A true copy of record: Attest

JOHN B. McNEILL, Town Clerk.

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Recount for School Committee (3 Year Term)

Randolph, Mass.

March 7, 1931.

Upon petition duly filed with the Town Clerk dated March 5, 1931, the Registrars of Voters of Randolph met this day to recount the Ballots cast March 2, 1931 for the three (3) year term for School Committee. The envelopes were delivered to the Registrars by the Town Clerk, then opened and ballots counted, with the following result:

	Original			
	Count	Recount	Gains	Losses
Condon	993	991		2
Kelley	829	827		2
Kiley	847	849	2	
Taber	739	742	3	
Blanks	724	723		1
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Total	4,132	4,132	5	5

The Registrars present were Hickey, Dench and Lyons, and John B. McNeill, ex officio.

At the Annual and Special Town Meetings, all of the appropriations made may be found in the Town Accountant's Report taken from an attested list made by the Town Clerk.

Article 10. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the pay of town laborers and others hired by the day or hour.

Voted—That laborers employed by the town, be compensated as follows, and that horses be paid for according to the following schedule:

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Day work between the hours of 7 A. M. and 5 P. M.

Laborers—Sixty (60) cents per hour.

Horses—Fifty (50) cents per hour.

Night work between the hours of 5 P. M. and 7 A. M.

Laborers—Time and one-half: viz, at ninety (90) cents per hour.

Horses—Time and one half: viz, seventy-five (75) cents per hour.

Laborers employed for all other purposes:

Laborers—Sixty (60) cents per hour straight time for day and night work.

Article 16. To hear the report of the committee appointed at the Annual Town Meeting, April 1, 1929, TO REVISE AND AMEND THE TOWN BY-LAWS and to take action thereon.

Under this article the following By-Laws were adopted for the town:

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE 1

Town Meetings and the Procedure Thereat

Section 1. The annual town meeting for the transaction of business shall be held on the evening of the second Monday of March, at 7.30, and the annual meeting for election of officers shall be held on the first Monday of March at 5.45 a. m. and shall close at 4 p. m.

Section 2. A town meeting shall, unless a different time or method is prescribed by law, be called by posting an attested copy of the warrant, calling the same at the Town Hall, at the Town Clerk's Office, at

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the Post Office, and at six other public places in the town at the discretion of the officer serving the warrant.

Section 3. The rules of parliamentary procedure, as established by practice in this town, shall govern town meetings, but no parliamentary motion shall be used for the purpose of shutting off debate on any question until the meeting has had a reasonable opportunity of hearing both sides of that question.

Section 4. The method of appointing Town Committees and their number shall be left to the decision of the meeting at which they are proposed, except as otherwise provided by Statute or by these By-Laws.

Section 5. No article in the Warrant shall be again taken into consideration after having been disposed of, unless ordered by a vote of a majority of the voters present and voting.

Section 6. The presence of three hundred (300) voters at a town meeting for the transaction of business shall be required to constitute a quorum, except for a motion to adjourn, for which no quorum shall be required.

Section 7. The Board of Public Welfare, Assessors, School Committee, Police Department, Fire Department, Highway Surveyor, Board of Health, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Town Treasurer, Town Accountant and other boards and officers making reports, shall deliver to the Selectmen their annual report prior to the 20th day of January in each year. The Selectmen shall cause these reports, together with their own report and a list of town officers and other matter usually published to be printed and distributed one week, at least, before the annual meeting in March.

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ARTICLE 2

Duties of the Selectmen

Section 1. The Selectmen shall have the general direction and management of the property and affairs of the town in all matters not otherwise provided for by law or by these By-Laws, except that they shall have no control over the property and affairs of the Water Department.

Section 2. All conveyance of land or interests in land which may hereafter be authorized by vote of the town or otherwise except land held under tax titles, shall be signed by a majority of the Board of Selectmen, unless otherwise provided by law, or these By-Laws, or by special vote of the town, and the same will be sealed with the town seal.

Section 3. The Selectmen shall be the agents and attorneys of the town to prosecute, defend and compromise any and all suits in which the town may be in any manner interested as a party or otherwise, except insofar as the same relate in any manner to the water supply, and to employ counsel, if necessary.

ARTICLE 3

Power of the Water Commissioners

Section 1. The Water Commissioners shall be the agents and attorneys of the town to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the town may be interested as a party or otherwise, so far as the same in any manner relates to the preserving, taking and the use of the water of Great Pond, or to the construction of the water works, either jointly or separately, as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885, and to employ counsel, if necessary.

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ARTICLE 4

Town Officials

Section 1. The Town Clerk shall keep a file of all town reports, reports submitted by all committees chosen by the town, and all original documents relating to the affairs of the town, which come into his custody. He shall index suitably all such reports and all the records of the town in his custody in a manner convenient for reference and examination.

Section 2. All Town Officials having an office in the Town Hall shall post a notice in a prominent position in the Town Hall of their office hours. The Town Clerk, Town Treasurer and the Tax Collector shall have office hours during some part of every working day.

ARTICLE 5

Finance Committee

Section 1. There shall be a Finance Committee consisting of nine voters of the Town. The members of this committee shall serve without pay.

Section 2. The Finance Committee of the town in office at the time this By-Law shall become effective, except those ineligible to serve under the succeeding section of this article, is hereby continued in office and the members thereof shall continue to hold office until their successors shall take office as hereinafter provided.

Section 3. At each annual town meeting after this By-Law becomes effective, the Moderator shall appoint three new members in place of the three members whose terms expire during the calendar year of this meeting, who shall take office at the expiration of the town meeting, and any adjournments thereof at which

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they are appointed and whose term shall expire at the expiration of the town meeting and any adjournment thereof which meeting is held three years from the meeting at which they were appointed. No person, however, holding an elective town office shall serve on or be appointed to the Finance Committee nor shall any person who has a private financial interest in any article in any town meeting warrant serve on the Finance Committee and act on such Town Meeting Warrant.

Section 4. No article in any Town Warrant, except articles for the election of officers and determination of such matters as are required by law to be determined and the raising of money in anticipation of the payment of taxes, shall be acted upon by the town until the subject matter of said articles be first submitted to the Finance Committee for its consideration and report.

Section 5. The Finance Committee shall prepare its report on the articles in the Town Warrant, which report it shall cause to be printed and in the hands of the Selectmen for distribution not later than the first Monday of March.

Section 6. Any vacancy in the Finance Committee shall be filled by the majority vote of the remaining members of the Committee and the Selectmen.

ARTICLE 6

Junk Dealers, Hawkers and Pedlars

Section 1. No person shall be a collector of, or a dealer in, junk, old metals, or second-hand articles, or a keeper of a shop for the purchase, sale or barter

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of junk, old metals or second-hand articles, unless licensed therefor by the Selectmen, upon payment of a fee of \$25.00.

ARTICLE 7

Streets, Drains, Water and Sewer Extensions, etc.

Section 1. No person shall place or cause to be placed in any public place, street, or private way, or in any running stream or body of water, dirt, rubbish, wood, timber or other materials tending to cause obstruction, nor deposit garbage, carrion, filth, or offal, except in such places as shall be permitted by the Board of Health, under a penalty of not less than twenty dollars.

Section 2. No person shall construct or maintain any drain or conduit from any house, shop, or other building, or from any vault, cesspool, or cistern, to or upon any street or way so as to discharge water or other matter in or upon any such street or way except when permitted in writing so to do by the Board of Health, under a penalty of not less than two, nor more than twenty dollars.

Section 3. No person shall pasture or tether any animal in any street in the town in such a manner as to obstruct the street or sidewalk, under a penalty of not less than two, nor more than twenty dollars.

Section 4. No person, shall break or dig up, or aid in breaking or digging up the ground in any street or square in the town, or set up any post, fence, tree, or edgestone in any street or square in the town without a permit from the Selectmen, under a penalty of not less than two, nor more than twenty dollars for such offence.

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Section 5. No person shall bathe or swim in any waters within the town in a state of nudity in places exposed to public view, or in the immediate sight of the occupant or occupants of any dwelling house, shop or factory, under a penalty of not less than one, nor more than twenty dollars for each offence.

Section 6. No person shall own or keep in this town any dog which, by biting, barking, howling, or in any other manner, disturbs the peace or quiet of any neighborhood, or endangers the safety of any person. Whoever violates the provisions of this section shall be liable to a penalty of ten dollars.

Section 7. No person shall make any indecent figure or write any indecent or obscene words upon any fence, building or structure in any public place, or upon any sidewalk or wall.

Section 8. No person, unless required by law so to do, shall make any marks, letters or figures of any kind, or place any sign advertisements or placard upon or against any wall, fence, post, ledge, stone, tree, building, sidewalk, or structure in or upon any street in this town without the permission of the owner thereof.

Section 9. No person shall throw stones, snowballs, sticks, or other missiles, nor kick at football, nor play at any game in which a ball is used, nor fly any kite or ballon, nor shoot with or use a bow and arrow, gun, air-gun, or sling, in or across any of the public ways of the town, nor obstruct any street in the town; nor unnecessarily make any alarming or tumultuous noise; nor take hold of, nor ride upon, the hind part of any carriage, or other vehicles, without leave; nor join in any assemblage or group in the street, or on any sidewalk in the town, to the annoyance of persons, or

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so as to obstruct the free passage of persons; nor otherwise disturb the quiet of any person improperly; nor drive, wheel or draw any coach, cart, or other carriage of burden or pleasure, except children's carriages drawn by hand upon any sidewalk in the town; nor drive or permit any horse under his care to go, or stand, upon any sidewalk in the town; or to stand on any crosswalk; nor behave himself in a rude or disorderly manner; nor use any profane, indecent, or insulting language in any street or other public place in the town, or near any dwelling house or other buildings therein; nor be or remain upon any doorstep, portico, or other step or projection of any such building or house, to the annoyance of other persons, under a penalty of not less than one, nor more than twenty dollars for each offence.

Section 10. No person shall coast upon any sidewalk in the town, nor shall any person coast upon any of the public ways of the town except upon such street as the selectmen may designate each year by public notice.

Section 11. Said streets may be protected by barriers and any unauthorized person or persons moving such barriers shall be subject to a fine of not more than \$20.00 for each offence.

Section 12. No person shall resort to or frequent any schoolhouse grounds or enclosure in the town to interfere with or annoy any person lawfully using or enjoying the same; nor shall any person resort to or frequent any cemetery or graveyard in the town and there engage in or be present in any game of cards or other sport, or lounge or loiter therein to the annoyance or interference of persons properly visiting or resorting to said places, under a penalty of not less than five, nor more than twenty dollars for each offence.

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Section 13. No person shall place over any sidewalk any awning, shade, or signboard less than seven feet from the ground at the lowest part, nor construct or maintain any awning, shade, or signboard extending beyond the line of the sidewalk, and for any offence against this By-Law an offender shall pay a fine of \$10.00.

Section 14. No person shall obstruct the free, open and convenient use by the public for travel of any sidewalk, by occupying the same with goods, wares, merchandise or other chattels, or truck unloading merchandise, or by using the same as a place of resort, amusement, recreation or business.

Section 15. No person shall deliver, place or cause to be delivered or placed upon any sidewalk in this town, any coal, truck, bale, box, crate, barrel, package, bundle, or any other article or thing, so as to obstruct the free, open and convenient use of such sidewalk or any part thereof, for more than thirty minutes at one time or for more than ten minutes at one time after being notified to remove such obstruction by a police officer.

Section 16. Any person who intends to erect, alter, repair or take down any building or part, thereof, on land abutting on any street or public place in this town and desires to make use of such street or place for the purpose of placing thereon building materials or rubbish, shall give notice thereof to the Selectmen. Thereupon the Selectmen may grant a permit to occupy such a portion thereof to be used for such purposes as in their judgment the necessity of the case demands and the security of the public allows; such permit to run for not longer than sixty days and to be on such conditions, and by furnishing such security, by bond, or

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otherwise, for the observance and performance of the conditions and for the protection of the town, as the Selectmen may require, and especially in every case upon condition that during the whole of every night, from sunset in the evening until sunrise in the morning, proper lights shall be so placed as effectively to secure all travelers from liability to injury. Such permit may be renewed at the discretion of the Selectmen.

ARTICLE 8

By-Laws for Planning Board

Section 1. A board of five members is hereby established to be known as the PLANNING BOARD. The terms of members shall be three years, but at the annual town meeting to be held in the month of March 1932, there shall be elected two members to serve for one year, two members to serve for two years, and one member to serve for three years, and thereafter there shall be elected at the annual meeting in each year such members as are necessary to fill vacancies.

Section 2. Vacancies otherwise occurring in the board shall be filled as provided in General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 11.

Section 3. The duties of such board shall be such as are stated in Chapter 41, Sections 70 to 72, of the General Laws, and further to consider and advise upon municipal improvements either at the request of other officials of the town or upon its own initiative. It shall consider and develop a town plan, with special attention to main ways, land developments, zoning playgrounds and parks and sites for permanent school plants. The board shall meet at regular intervals. It may hold public meetings. It shall at all times have access to public documents or information in the possession of any town official or department. It shall

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examine the plans for the exterior of any public building, monument or similar feature, and for the development and treatment of the grounds about the same before the adoption thereof, and may make such recommendations thereon as it may deem needful. It may provide for public lectures and other educational work in connection with its recommendations. It may incur expenses necessary to the carrying on of its work within the amount of its annual or special appropriations.

Section 4. All plans for laying out, extending, discontinuing or changing the limits of any playground, public park, and every purchase of land for the site of any public building, and all plans for the location, erection or alteration of public buildings, shall be submitted to said board for its opinion, at least, two weeks in advance of action by the board of selectmen or the town.

Section 5. The Board shall make a report to the town annually, giving information regarding the conditions of the town and plans or proposals for the development of the town and estimates of the cost thereof. Such report shall be sent to the Selectmen not later than such time in January in each year as the Selectmen may prescribe or as may be prescribed by law in force relative to reports, and a copy thereof shall be filed with the Massachusetts department of public welfare.

ARTICLE 9

Section 1. All complaints and prosecutions for breach of these By-Laws shall be instituted and commenced within sixty days, unless otherwise provided from the time of committing such breach.

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Section 2. These By-Laws shall take effect from and after their adoption by the town, approval by the Attorney-General, and publication, as provided by law.

Section 3. Upon adoption by the town, approval by the Attorney-General and publication, as provided by law, of these By-Laws, all previous By-Laws now or heretofore in force shall become null and void.

Section 4. The penalty for breach of any By-Law, unless otherwise provided for therein, shall be a fine not exceeding the sum of \$20.00.

Section 5. These By-Laws may be amended at any annual town meeting, an article having been inserted for the purpose in the Warrant for such meeting, said amendment to take effect when approved by the Attorney-General, and published according to law.

Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., June 9, 1931.

The foregoing by-laws are hereby approved,

JOSEPH E. WARNER,
Attorney-General.

Randolph, Mass., Aug. 7, 1931.

I hereby certify that these By-Laws have been published in the Randolph Sentinel-News on July 24th, July 31st and August 7th, 1931.

Attest:

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

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Article 68—Voted: That the new school at North Randolph be called the "CHARLES GABRIEL DEVINE SCHOOL."

Article 69—Voted: That the new school at East Randolph be called the "DANIEL JOSEPH McNEILL SCHOOL."

Adjourned Annual Town Meeting

March 19, 1931.

Article 70—Voted: That the town accept Sections 70, 71 and 72 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, governing the appointment and duties of a Planning Board, and that the Moderator be instructed to appoint a committee of nine to act until the Annual Town Meeting of 1932.

Article 72—To see if the town will vote to accept the "Board of Survey" Act, Sections 73 to 81 inclusive of Chap. 41 of the General Laws, or act in any other manner thereon. This will give the Board power to prevent the recording of any plan or land development which, in the opinion of the Board might prove detrimental to the future development, growth and welfare of the town.

Voted: That we accept "The Board of Survey" act, Section 73 to 81 inclusive of Chapter 41 of the General Laws.

Article 77—Voted: That Section 85 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws relative to pensions and retirements of permanent members of Police and Fire Departments, be accepted by the town. Voted—Yes 222; No 6.

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Article 79—To see if the Town will authorize the Water Commissioners to appoint any of their members to another office or position under their control and fix the salary of such person in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 36, Acts of 1929, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted—That the Water Commissioners be so authorized.

STREET ACCEPTANCES

The following streets were accepted provided that persons having any claim for damages arising out of the taking and constructing of same, waive their right of damages within three (3) months from this date, i. e.; March 19, 1931:

HILLS STREET—400 ft. from No. Main Street, as laid out by the Selectmen

OVERLOOK ROAD—400 ft. from its present terminus, as laid out by the Selectmen

DRUID HILL AVENUE—726 ft. as laid out by the Selectmen

NORROWAY AVENUE—750 ft. from Oak Street, as laid out by the Selectmen

FENCOURT AVENUE—as laid out by the Selectmen and as recommended by the School Committee

FAIRFIELD ROAD—as laid out by the Selectmen

ROYAL STREET—350 feet from No. Main Street, as laid out by the Selectmen

COLE TERRACE—as laid out by the Selectmen.

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ELECTRIC LIGHT EXTENSIONS

FENCOURT AVENUE—three (3).

COLE TERRACE—one (1).

STACY STREET—seven (7).

CENTRE STREET—two (2).

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL GROUNDS entrance—
two (2) Flood lights.

WOODLAWN ROAD—two (2).

NORTH MAIN AND PLEASANT STREETS—one
(1).

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Randolph, Mass., November 27, 1931.

Article 7—Voted: That the Town accept Section 37 of Chapter 82 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 130 of the Acts of 1925 and Acts amendatory thereof, relative to the establishment of building lines.

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Department of Corporations and Taxation

Division of Accounts

State House, Boston

March 11, 1931.

To the Board of Selectmen.

Mr. Walter F. Stephens, Chairman,

Randolph, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Randolph for the period from January 1, 1929 to November 3, 1930, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws. This report is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Edward H. Fenton, Chief Accountant of this Division.

Very truly yours,

THEODORE N. WADDELL.

TNW/MEF

Director of Accounts.

Mr. Theodore N. Waddell,

Director of Accounts.

Department of Corporations and Taxation.

State House, Boston.

Sir :

In accordance with your instructions, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Randolph for the period from January 1, 1929 to November 3, 1930, and report thereon as follows:

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The financial transactions of the town, as recorded on the books of the several departments receiving or disbursing money for the town or committing bills for collection, were examined and verified for the period covered by the audit.

The books and accounts of the town accountant were examined, and recorded receipts being compared with the treasurer's books, and the payments being checked with the selectmen's warrants authorizing the treasurer to disburse town funds and with the treasurer's books. The appropriations, as recorded on the ledger, were checked to the town clerk's records of town meeting proceedings. The ledger accounts were analyzed, a trial balance was drawn off, proving the accounts to be in balance, the necessary adjusting entries were made, and a balance sheet, which is appended to this report, was prepared showing the financial condition of the town on November 3, 1930.

It was found that all departmental accounts receivable were not being set up on the ledger, it being the practice to set up only those which were uncollected at the close of the year. In the future all bills receivable will be recorded in the ledger at the time of billing, in order that all the transactions may appear on the books and so that the accounts due the town may be properly followed up.

An examination of the paid vouchers on file disclosed the fact that many bills and pay-rolls are not properly approved. For example, school department and water department bills are approved only by the respective superintendents. Bills of all departments, before being placed on a warrant for payment, should bear the approval of the heads of the departments or of a majority of the board or committee entrusted with the management of a town department.

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Expense bills of officials should not be paid unless they are itemized in sufficient detail to show the actual expenses incurred, while payments to members of boards elected to serve without compensation, such as the school committee, for "time" spent in the performance of their duties, may not be legally made.

The books and accounts of the town treasurer were examined and checked. The recorded receipts were checked with the records in the several departments collecting money for the town, with other sources from which the town received money, and with the town accountant's records. The payments were checked with the selectmen's warrants authorizing disbursements of town funds, and the cash balance was verified by an actual count of the cash in the office and by a reconciliation of the bank account with a statement furnished by the bank in which town funds are deposited.

The payments on account of debt and interest were proved with the amounts falling due, the cancelled securities and coupons being checked.

It is recommended that the practice of paying some bills and pay-rolls by cash be discontinued, and that all payments by the treasurer be made by check. This will eliminate the necessity of having a large amount of cash in the treasurer's office, as well as the necessity of having the payees sign the vouchers and pay-rolls, as the cancelled checks will serve as receipts for payments made by the treasurer.

A table showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash is appended to this report.

The books and accounts of the tax collectors were examined and checked. The commitments of poll and property taxes for the levies of 1923 to 1930, inclusive, and of motor vehicle excise taxes for the years 1929

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and 1930, were examined. In order to prove the tax accounts, it was necessary to check the postings of cash collections and of abatements in detail, many clerical errors being found. The commitments were proved, the payments to the treasurer were verified by a comparison with the treasurer's books, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved to the accountant's ledger.

As may be seen from the appended balance sheet, the levies of 1923, 1924 and 1925 show credit balances, due to collections and abatements having been credited to them after the levies had been settled by the collector, apparently with funds advanced by him. Interest due the town on the balances of the levies thus settled by the collector personally has been computed by the town accountant and set up on the ledger, and it would seem that this amount should be taken from the excess of these levies and the balance refunded to the collector.

The outstanding tax accounts were further verified by mailing notices to a large number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town, the replies received thereto indicating that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

The books and accounts of the water department were examined and checked in detail. The commitments were analyzed, the recorded collections were checked to the commitment book and to the treasurer's cash book, the abatements were compared with the records of abatements granted by the water commissioners, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved to the accountant's ledger.

The outstanding water accounts were further verified by mailing notices to a number of persons whose names appear on the books as owing money to the

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town, the replies thereto indicating that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

The town clerk's records of dog and of sporting licenses issued were examined, and the payments to the county and to the Division of Fisheries and Game, respectively, were verified.

The records of the sealer of weights and measures were examined, and the payments to the treasurer were verified.

The books and accounts of the treasurer of the library trustees were examined and checked. The securities representing the investments of the trust funds were examined and the income and expenditures were proved and found to be as recorded on the books.

The cash balance as of November 3, 1930, was verified by a reconciliation of the bank accounts with statements furnished by the banks.

In connection with the investments of trust funds, attention is again called to Section 54, Chapter 44, General Laws, which reads as follows:

Trust funds, including cemetery perpetual care funds, unless otherwise provided or directed by the donor thereof, shall be placed at interest in savings banks, trust companies incorporated under the laws of the commonwealth, or national banks, or invested by cities and towns in securities which are legal investments for savings banks. This section shall not apply to Boston.

The surety bonds furnished by the various officials for the faithful performance of duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

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In addition to the balance sheet, there are appended to this report tables showing a reconciliation of the town treasurer's and library cash, summaries of the tax, assessment, water, and departmental accounts receivable, together with tables showing the transactions of the various trust funds.

For the co-operation and assistance rendered by the several officials during the process of the audit, I wish, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

EDW. H. FENTON,

Chief Accountant.

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BIRTHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1931

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
Jan. 3	Federico DiPasqua	F	Ignazio and Mary—Minutuli
15	Joan Christine Tangen	M	George H. and Bertha—Backius
16	Frances Josephine McGrory	F	John R. and Alice L.—Kiley
19	Edna Louise Grandell	F	Albert A. and Edna—Matson
22	Mary Catherine Walsh	F	Peter James and Agnes—Keenan
23	Dorothy Warren	F	Arthur, Jr. and Julia—Fate
24	Eleanor Audrey Morrell	F	Chester A. and Anna J.—Nowell
25	Grace Frances Rhodes	F	Albert W. and Lillian E.—Wallace
29	Janet Mary Craddock	F	Edwin R. and Sarah M.—Chaffee
Feb. 3	George Thomas Burke	M	Thomas J. and Annie S.—Dwelley
9	John Joseph Camelio	M	John and Ann Roey—Rowan
10	Noreen Teresa Mullins	M	Charles L. and Elinora—Amaral
14	Barbara Ann Hurry	F	John Wm. and Doris E.—Black
20	Allen Linwood Grant	F	Roger W. and Phena—Anderson
28	John Edward Beshong	M	John Peter and Sarah C.—Patten
Mar. 2	Helen Edna Johnson	F	Norman O. and Annie B.—Brown
4	Audrey Joan Teece	F	Robert J. and Doris K.—Driscoll
15	Robert Earl Ferguson	M	Theodore and Isabel—Greer
19	Barbara Ann Silverman	F	Maxwell L. and Dalma M.—Knapp
20	Barbara Jean Sampson	F	Clifford and Doris—Fletcher
22	Mildred Catherine Godfrey	F	Albert K. and Josephine M.—Conroy
25	Roger Turner Perkins	F	Clarence W. and Beatrice—Turner
26	Lillian Shirley Pease	M	Andrew G. and Lizzy L.—McKay
28	Donald Richard Carmichael	F	Roger L. and Elvera H.—Berg
29	Lorraine Josephine Niles	F	
30		M	

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31	Edwin Paul Heger	M	Charles E. and Mary A.—Antaya
31	Patricia Benedicta McAuliffe	F	John L. and Bland C.—Sharkey
Apr. 3	Lillian Ruth Tikkanen	F	Oiva and Lillian—Hylan
4	Donald Louis Frigoletto	M	Joseph A. and Mary M.—Burke
9	Lawrence Otis Sass	M	Lawrence O. and Florence—Ayers
11	Henry Joseph LaBelle	M	Edmund M. and Mary—Shepard
14	Emily Catherine Edunas	F	James and Emily G.—Rhodes
15	Beverly Arlene Parker	F	Charles H. and Agnes—Caldwell
15		F	
19	Paul Francis Vogel	M	Carl N. and Mary—Connolly
20	Claire Theresa Cheverie	F	William J. and Mary E.—Lally
26	Francis Corrigan	M	William B. and Frances T.—Giblin
May 2	Natalie Jean Hooper	F	Herbert W. and Mildred W.—Bailey
9	William J. Shanks	M	Charles E. and Dora—Curtis
15	David Mahoney	M	Gerald and Alice E.—Grady
20	Richard Robert Pierce	M	Kenneth L. and Esther H.—Dixon
23	Donald Messere	M	Joseph and Edith E.—Curry
29	Wesley Kendall Winters	M	Wesley K. and M. Irene—Tougas
June 1	Leonard Wayne Johnson	M	Charles H. and Lela T.—Phelps
5	Eleanor Fustolo	F	Cosmo and Rose E.—Camelio
8	Elizabeth Marie Callahan	F	John T. and Ruth M.—Joje
12	Leo Charles McElroy	M	Theodore C. and Catherine M.—Lyman
23	John Richard Flavell	M	William L. and Ruth V.—Evans
25	Grace Ellen Gardner	F	Clifford F. and Grace L.—Burrell
26	Geraldine Ruth Hawkins	F	Roy H. and Nellie—Stafford

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July 2	Bertha Estelle Bussey	F	Herbert S. and Stella E.—Rourke
18	Richard Peter McLea	M	Peter and Caroline A.—McCartney
29	Eleanor Annette Norman	F	Robert P. and Helen L.—Tweedie
30	William James Small	M	William and Eren—Soderberg
Aug. 1	Helen Joan Bertram	F	Walter R. and Elise—Blakely
2	Mary Lois Hopkins	F	Harry A. and Loretta M.—Akerley
3	Esmond Joseph Benjamiano	M	Joseph and Carmela—Cinquegrano
5	Shirley Ruth Duke	F	Thomas F. and Bessie A.—Hackley
10	Jane Audrey Seaverns	F	Dana H. and Evelyn F.—Barrus
18	Dorothy Louise Crockett	F	Earle C. and Hazel M.—Jones
18	Ruth Josephine Vaughn	F	Elmer and Lillian A.—Conley
21	Jean Ann Macauley	F	Carl and Irene—Thuotte
22	James Maurice Hurley	M	William Leo and Joan E.—Mulcahey
Sept. 5	Lorraine Dorothy Willis	M	Willandrew and Mildred—Magnussen
7	Edward George Hackett	F	Paul P. and Mary—Bennett
11	Ruth Gloria Hurwitz	M	Jack and Sadie F.—Lewengrub
14	Frank Fernald Fairfield	F	Paul J. and Ruby—Studley
15	Stillborn	M	
17	James Edward Cullen	M	John F. and Mary E.—Fagan
22	Margaret Alyce O'Rourke	F	Andrew R. and Alice V.—Simmons
23	Mary McDonnell	F	Patrick T. and Anastasia C.—Kane
26	Joan Marie Sumner	F	Henry C. and Marguerite—McCabe
Oct. 5	Geraldine Tierney	F	Thomas M. and Mary G.—Leary
6	Louise Frances Smith	F	Richard F. and Dorothy A.—Zirngiebel
12	William Lancke	M	William G. and Johanna—Arren
21	Edward Cary Hoeg	M	Arthur E. and Sadie—Cary
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Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
27	Herbert Francis Saunders	M	Herbert F. and Rose A.—Boutin
28	Jeanette Francis Smith	F	Peter A. and Maude E.—Joep
28	Anna Margaret Cleggett	F	John J. and Anna M.—Currie
Nov. 16	William Joseph Whealan	M	James P. and Susan C.—McLaughlin
21	Mary Connors	F	Leo Henry and Madeline M.—Hird
22	Stillborn	M	
24	Richard Spencer Buzzell	M	Charles M. and Sybil E.—Allen
24	Patricia Shirley Gaffney	F	Frank and Catherine C.—Thomas
24	Robert Edmund Tierney	M	Edmund F. and Elizabeth—Condon
25	Geneva Cannizzaro	F	Salvatore and Giovannina—Barravecho
Dec. 2	Anne Mole	F	Annibole and Marianna—Teti
2	Barbara Anne Lyman	F	Joseph T. and Loretta—Jordan
9	Stillborn	F	
9	Joan Pearson	F	Ralph H. and Ethel—Jondro
10	Jacqueline Mary Lang	F	John P. and Lena—Cousineau
11	Lauretta Rose Stewart	F	Ralph G. and Lauretta R.—Pomeroy
13	Clare Loraine Reid	F	Rupert M. and Clare A.—Fulton
14	— Mann	M	Benjamin J. and Catherine—Brady
29	Annabelle Ellen Stoltz	F	Dewey A. and Viola—Teed
29	Elizabeth Ann Coghlan	F	Maurice and Mary E.—Murphy

Births of 1930 Recorded in 1931

Aug. 16	Stillborn	M	
Sept. 16	David Gould Hoeffner	M	Charles W. and Lillian—Gould
Dec. 7	Stillborn	F	

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NOTICE

The attention of parents is called to the law relating to the registering of births. The present requirement is as follows:

Chap. 29, Sec. 6, of the Revised Laws. Parents within forty days after the birth of a child . . . shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the town or city in which such child is born.

Sec. 8. A parent . . . who neglects to do so for ten days after the time limited therefor, . . . shall forfeit not more than five dollars for each offence.

Attention of PHYSICIANS and MIDWIVES is called to Chap. 280, Sec. 1, Acts of 1912: Sec. 1. Physicians and midwives shall, within forty-eight hours after the birth of every child in cases of which they are in charge, mail or deliver to the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which the birth occurred, a notice stating the date and place of the birth, giving the street number, if any, the number of the ward in a city and the family name. Failure to mail or deliver the said notice shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars for each offence.

In accordance with the provisions of the law, the Town Clerk is prepared to furnish to parents, physicians and midwives applying therefor, blanks for return of births as required by law.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

MARRIAGES RECORDED—1931

Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
Jan. 6	Michael Joseph Costa	Brockton
	Thelma Marion Wood	Brockton
19	Everett D. Genereux	Randolph
	Marvelle P. LaSarge	Randolph
24	John F. Rock	Randolph
	Annunziata Marchionni	So. Boston
24	Daniel Willis	Randolph
	Edna L. Hayward (Beale)	Randolph
Feb. 8	John P. Hanley	Randolph
	Alice A. Callahan (Gormely)	Randolph
19	Albert F. Ingalls	Malden
	Hazel L. Rand	Malden
Mar. 15	Gustave Stoltz	Randolph
	Ellen Cohn (Jeralmon)	Randolph
25	Robert O. Maynard	Randolph
	Phoebe D. S. MacDonald	Randolph
April 4	Harold P. MacPhail	Randolph
	Dorothy N. Mutch	Boston
7	William A. Doyle	Randolph
	Doris L. Johnson	Burlington
8	Herbert S. Bussey	Randolph
	Stella E. Golding (Rourke)	Randolph
18	Thomas K. McDonald	Randolph
	Ione M. Smith	Randolph
21	Charles H. Burrell	Brockton
	Marcia H. Sloan	Brockton
25	Walter A. Larsen	Randolph
	Velma M. Ames	Randolph

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Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
27	Benjamin Nardi	Brockton
	Eleanor Barrieau	Brockton
May 2	Francis N. Belcher	Randolph
	Elsie V. Johnson	North Easton
9	Hayden M. Saben	Lexington
	Helen W. Pratt (Belcher)	Randolph
9	Raymond L. Smart	Peabody
	Marjorie L. Mann	Randolph
16	Edmund J. Oberlies	Randolph
	Gladys A. Dimmick	Brooklyn, N. Y.
23	Carl O. G. Peterson	Boston
	Elna S. Henrikson	Milton
31	Henry Albert Johansen	Randolph
	Edith E. Lupien	Avon
June 3	Hilding T. Cedarholm	Randolph
	Ruth L. Dixon	Randolph
3	Harold B. Driscoll	Randolph
	Beatrice A. Payne	Randolph
10	William E. O'Neil	Randolph
	Grace V. Hurley	Dorchester
14	John J. Reardon	East Bridgewater
	Winifred J. Mullen	Randolph
19	Ralph H. Pearson	Randolph
	Ethel Jondro	Rockland
21	Joseph William Snow	Foxboro
	Gladys Eva Sawyer	Walpole
22	Edmund R. Flaherty	Randolph
	Frances Z. O'Brien	Taunton
23	Stephen Joseph Gallagher	Randolph
	Mamie McEwan (Sproules)	Randolph
24	Hugh V. McCabe	Randolph
	Mary Mildred Owens	Brockton

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Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
28	N. Andrew Bono	Randolph
	H. Louise Moore	Randolph
July	3 Channing Wilson Willis, Jr.	Brockton
	Viola Emily Walden	West Bridgewater
	4 David J. Sheehan	Medford
	Marion E. Doyle	Randolph
	4 Charles Wentworth Simpson	Canton
	Gertrude Weston Niles	South Braintree
	4 Thomas Leo Patten	Randolph
	Dorothy Johnson	Stoughton
	6 Theodore Francis Wooding	Roxbury
	Gertrude Elizabeth Colwill	Randolph
	7 George Michael Gotshalk	Bridgewater
	Bessie Katz (Berkowitz)	Bridgewater
	23 William Francis McKurdy	Randolph
	Alice Louise Powers	Randolph
	26 Edward E. Brown	Boston
	Blanche I. Meaney	Randolph
Aug.	29 Albert L. Ryder	Randolph
	Marie Larsen	Randolph
	1 Elmer Wilson	South Hanson
	Marion Alberta Dennis	Randolph
	8 Preston B. Atwood	West Roxbury
	Rhoda M. Brown	Randolph
	14 William P. Ormon	Milton
	Hilda B. MacKinnon	Randolph
	15 Charles Fulton Murray	Merion, Pa.
	Minnie Alice Crayton	Randolph
	15 Owen F. Sullivan	Randolph
	Eleanor A. McIsaac (Gillis)	Randolph
	19 Ralph George Stewart	Avon
	Rose Lauretta Pomeroy	Randolph

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Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
Sept. 5	John A. Couture	Mattapan
	Frances Catherine Good	Randolph
7	William H. Mattie	Randolph
	Mary Helen Doyle	Randolph
7	William S. Gray	Roslindale
	Louise C. Truelson	Randolph
12	Arthur Hylen	Randolph
	Evelyn Randall Saravo (Hawkins)	Randolph
12	Dennis J. Griffin	Braintree
	Alice R. Lyons	Randolph
12	Edwin D. Holmes	Holbrook
	Henrietta Waters Brown	Randolph
19	David J. Sheehan	Stoughton
	Hazel D. Hussey	Stoughton
26	Hans Albert Berger	Avon
	Bertha Maud Hobart	Avon
26	Gustav Blunck	Randolph
	Selma Walter	South Boston
Oct. 1	Peter W. Anderson	Randolph
	Esther Moore	Randolph
10	Garfield E. Farmer	Randolph
	Elsie Cecelia Hagg	Stoughton
12	Thomas N. Moore	Randolph
	Lillian E. Barnes	Brockton
17	Robert James DuMont	Boston
	Marion Crone Hurley	Randolph
20	Arthur Beaumont, Jr.	Randolph
	Dorothy G. Jaeger	Randolph
20	John Young	Randolph
	Carrie L. Corson (Haynes)	Randolph
24	Charles S. Holbrook	Randolph
	Gladys Irene Shurtleff	No. Abington

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Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
25	Ralph Harper Gilbert	Randolph
	Helen Harris	Randolph
25	Paul J. Fairfield	Randolph
	Ruby V. Studley	Randolph
31	Irving Watson	Brockton
	Elinor R. Laird	Brockton
Nov. 7	Sam Callas	Randolph
	Stella Sedgwick	Randolph
8	Thomas A. Sweeney	Randolph
	Lillian R. Barker	Randolph
18	William J. Sproules	Randolph
	Felicia Shulzda	Randolph
21	Royal Leslie Mann	Randolph
	Ruth Elizabeth Cutting	Roxbury
25	John J. Lane	Quincy
	Lillian M. Forrest	Randolph
26	Joseph L. McDonald	Randolph
	Blanche G. Spears	Boston
26	George Vincent Evans	Randolph
	Winifred R. Young	Randolph
Dec. 25	Bernard W. McHugh	Brockton
	Mildred C. Condon	Randolph
25	Charles Walcott Russell	Flushing, N. Y.
	Florence Gill Hayner	Flushing, N. Y.

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DEATHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1931

Date of Death		Name	Age		Cause of Death	Birthplace
			Y.	M.		
Jan.	4	Frank N. French	47	6	Peritonitis	Randolph, Mass.
	9	Ann Casey	81	—	Arterio Sclerosis	Ireland
	12	Libero A. Sass	67	2	Arterio Sclerosis	Italy
	13	August Bolin	74	10	Carcinoma	Sweden
	15	Patrick Carroll	66	5	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph, Mass.
	22	John Mahoney	47	—	Arterio Sclerosis	Boston, Mass.
	24	Sarah J. Westervelt	84	1	Carcinoma	Cornwall, N. Y.
	26	Charles C. Mitchell	75	9	Myocarditis	Dover, Maine
	1	Grace F. Rhodes	—	—	Marasmus	Randolph, Mass.
	6	Henry T. Burrell	72	5	Carcinoma	Weymouth, Mass.
Feb.	7	Eunice I. Anderson	22	1	Rheumatic Heart	Randolph, Mass.
	12	Alice H. Hasty	61	7	Carcinoma	Boston, Mass.
	16	Ada S. Tucker	87	9	Hemorrhage	Peabody, Mass.
	17	Helen Ronan	69	—	Oedema of Brain	W. Brookfield, Mass.
	18	Patrick Moriarty	41	—	Tuberculosis	Ireland
	23	Sarah A. Carney	77	10	Pneumonia	Randolph, Mass.
	24	Eugene A. McCarthy	51	10	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Randolph, Mass.
	10	Arthur W. Alden	70	11	Hemorrhage	Randolph, Mass.
	11	Ellen Haggerty	70	—	Septic Infection	Ireland
	28	Edward W. Gowins	14	5	Auto Accident	Cambridge, Mass.
Mar.	29	Margaret A. Doyle	13	—	Hemorrhagic	Boston, Mass.
	30	Stillborn	—	—	—	—
	1	Francis Reilly	78	11	Oedema of Brain	Randolph, Mass.
	2	Blanche E. Hofin	39	9	Shock	Sunberry Cy., N. B.
	3	John Lane	87	—	Myocarditis	England
	3	Thomas Collins	47	—	Pneumonia	Washington, Mass.
	7	Grace E. Wright	47	—	Myocarditis	Albany, N. Y.
	10	Ingrid Pearson	63	7	Carcinoma	Sweden

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DEATHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1931

Date of Death	Name	Age		Cause of Death	Birthplace
		Y.	M.		
17	Budd Keith	59	11	Pneumonia	New Brunswick
30	Mary F. McKay	67	8	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph, Mass.
May	Frank L. Creutz	19	—	Convulsions	Kittery, Maine
	Persis Nunes	32	5	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Roxbury, Mass.
	Caleb N. Huse	70	7	Angina Pectoris	Newburyport, Mass.
	Rufus B. Plummer	80	—	Fractured Skull	Dixfield, Maine
7	Nora A. Sullivan	51	6	Endocarditis	Ireland
11	Franklin W. Hayden	76	6	Anemia	Quincy, Mass.
13	Mary A. Leighton	42	11	Hemorrhage	England
17	Joseph March	69	—	Fractured Skull	St. Johns, N. F.
17	Viola D. Abrams	74	—	Pul. Embolus	New Orleans, La.
20	Mary A. Hodgkins	43	—	Embolism	Ireland
31	Louise M. Brooks	62	—	Arterio Sclerosis	Halifax, N. S.
June	Edna Hall	85	10	Senile Decay	Maine
	Patrick B. Doyle	54	—	Peritonitis	P. E. Island
10	H. Alphonse Stetson	78	11	Hemorrhage—Accident	Randolph, Mass.
July	Ellen M. Johnsen	65	7	Myocarditis	Denmark
	Susie M. Stoddard	56	10	Hemorrhage	Nova Scotia
	Emelio M. Ferraro	10	—	Hemorrhage	Cambridge, Mass.
	George A. Averill	75	9	Pneumonia	Shelburn Falls, Mass.
30	Robert J. Kelleher	7	6	Encephalitis	Brockton, Mass.
Aug.	Marion S. Zwicker	39	2	Peritonitis	Nova Scotia
	Peter C. Egersheim	75	—	Carcinoma	Germany
Sept.	William F. Rooney	86	1	Arterio Sclerosis	Waterford, Ireland
	James M. Mahan	65	4	Hemorrhage	Holliston, Mass.
	Mary E. Sullivan	68	—	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph, Mass.
	Mary Mackdon	92	7	Diabetes Mellitus	Ireland
8	Arthur Kelleher	—	—	Hemorrhage	Brockton, Mass.

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DEATHS RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1931

Date of Death	Name	Age		D.	Cause of Death	Birthplace
		Y.	M.			
10	Chester Ray	37	6	8	Burns—explosion	Italy
12		—	—	—	Prematurity	Randolph, Mass.
17	Stillborn					
24	Elizabeth Fleming	72	10	13	Accident	Scotland
24	John Fleming	76	4	—	Accident	Scotland
30	Frederick Acorn	86	5	16	Arterio Sclerosis	P. E. Island
Oct. 3	Ella F. Bowen	63	—	—	Angina Pectoris	Randolph, Mass.
6	Frank Bodenstein	72	—	—	Carcinoma	Sullivan Cy., N. Y.
7	Dustin J. Alward	63	4	—	Pneumonia	Frederickton, N. B.
11	Johanna F. Kane	72	7	—	Oedema of Brain	Australia
11	John H. Johnson	61	—	—	Myocarditis	Sweden
11	Ralph Curcio	72	2	22	Hemorrhage	Italy
15	Anna L. Curcio	62	—	—	Peritonitis	Gloucester, Mass.
17	Rev. T. J. Kelleher	72	11	20	Pneumonia	Randolph, Mass.
17	Ella Upham	75	6	2	Carcinoma	Philadelphia, Pa.
21	Sarah L. Campagna	86	9	18	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph, Mass.
21	Andrew A. Wold	57	—	22	Myocarditis	West Roxbury, Mass.
22	John A. Nelson	59	5	12	Pul. Embolism	Smoland, Sweden
27	Alice C. Tierney	32	3	24	Fractured Skull	Randolph, Mass.
Nov. 1	Louisa A. Thompson	75	—	—	Injuries—Accident	Nova Scotia
6	Paul J. Kachele	38	2	3	Tuberculosis	Boston, Mass.
7	Alice V. Reilly	47	2	1	Carcinoma	Randolph, Mass.
9	James W. Thompson	26	5	19	Pul. Tuberculosis	No. Stonington, Conn.
11	Sarah J. Mackedon	67	—	—	Carcinoma	Randolph, Mass.
22	Stillborn					
25	Mich'l F. Cunningham	69	—	—	Pneumonia	Randolph, Mass.
Dec. 3	Wm. J. Winterflood	57	—	—	Embolus	East Boston, Mass.
9	Stillborn					

INTERMENTS IN RANDOLPH IN 1931

of persons dying elsewhere

Date	Name	Age		Y.	M.	D.	Place of Death
Jan.	Alice A. O'Neill	73	7	11			Holbrook, Mass.
	Robert Huke	82	1	7			Brighton, Mass.
	Patrick Gilbride	80	9	25			Braintree, Mass.
	Leonard A. Faunce	90	2	29			Brockton, Mass.
	Margaret A. Ward	76	—	—			Weymouth, Mass.
	Mabel Splan	32	7	22			Jamaica Plain, Mass.
Feb.	James J. O'Brien	63	—	—			Quincy, Mass.
	Stillborn	—	—	—			
	Leo N. Drysdale, Jr.	2	8	25			Braintree, Mass.
	Mary G. Callahan	44	4	24			Avon, Mass.
	William Cullinan	46	8	7			Taunton, Mass.
	Margaret Griffin	66	—	—			Braintree, Mass.
	Mary Iannuzzi	47	8	—			Braintree, Mass.
	Wendall C. Newman	—	—	3			Braintree, Mass.
	Alice M. Beach	72	1	24			Boston, Mass.
	Willis H. Martin	77	1	12			Braintree, Mass.
Mar.	Andrew J. Pomeroy	65	11	—			Boston, Mass.
	Myles Dempsey	71	10	19			Holbrook, Mass.
	William Holden	74	—	—			Tewksbury, Mass.
	Mary E. Sullivan	79	—	—			Taunton, Mass.
	John King	70	—	—			Holbrook, Mass.
	John E. Pratt	3	5	16			East Bridgewater, Mass.
	Grace Leo	—	1	1			Braintree, Mass.
	Stephen Frazier	55	8	5			Braintree, Mass.
	John J. Bradley	59	11	—			Boston, Mass.
	Annette L. Case	78	9	7			Braintree, Mass.
April 9							

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INTERMENTS IN RANDOLPH IN 1931

of persons dying elsewhere

Date	Name	Age		Place of Death
		Y.	M. D.	
16	Charles A. Bourbeau	50	2 24	Holbrook, Mass.
17	Eva Crocker	43	8 4	Roxbury, Mass.
18	Annie M. Chandler	84	7 17	Holbrook, Mass.
27	Archie W. Delano	62	5 21	Lynn, Mass.
May 7	James Harrison	44	—	Quincy, Mass.
7	Michael J. Mooney	67	7 12	Braintree, Mass.
8	Mary E. White	53	29 25	Stoughton, Mass.
8	Timothy E. Galvin	75	5 24	Holbrook, Mass.
15	Michael J. Connolly	58	—	Walpole, Mass.
22	Edward H. Harrison	68	—	Avon, Mass.
31	Rose Salamone	5	—	Quincy, Mass.
June 1	Ella L. Whalen	72	7 17	Roslindale, Mass.
19	Henry W. Lajoie	75	3 4	Holbrook, Mass.
20	George H. Perrault	—	— 15	Holbrook, Mass.
21	Hanna Slater	86	8 7	Holbrook, Mass.
23	Francis S. Bannon	52	7 14	Tewksbury, Mass.
July 3	Charles F. Bryant	65	—	Boston, Mass.
14	Stillborn	—	—	Braintree, Mass.
15	Rachel McDonald	33	—	Brockton, Mass.
Aug. 4	Angelina Giso	47	1 2	Braintree, Mass.
4	Doris Pizzano	—	3 1	Brockton, Mass.
10	George DeYoung	20	2 9	Taunton, Mass.
17	Benjamin F. Wright	87	11	Quincy, Mass.
18	Franklin E. Beale, Jr.	3	hours	Dedham, Mass.
21	Stillborn	—	—	Boston, Mass.
21	Cecelia O. Murphy	40	—	Quincy, Mass.

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INTERMENTS IN RANDOLPH IN 1931 of persons dying elsewhere

Date	Name	Age		Place of Death
		Y.	D.	
Sept.	25 Henry W. Tobin	57	11 24	Boston, Mass.
	1 Patrick Mack	92	—	Holbrook, Mass.
	1 Ann M. LaFleur	76	—	Brockton, Mass.
	1 Stillborn	—	—	Brockton, Mass.
Oct.	4 William N. O'Brien	78	—	Quincy, Mass.
	10 Everett M. Hickey	64	8 4	Holbrook, Mass.
	21 Thomas Kilfoye	83	2 15	Tewksbury, Mass.
	24 Nathan Dixon	65	—	Malden, Mass.
	27 Amos J. Beland	65	7 16	Holbrook, Mass.
	1 Elaine M. Millis	—	1 10	Braintree, Mass.
Nov.	1 Elida P. LeVangie	47	—	Brockton, Mass.
	1 Helen LeVangie	3	3 23	Braintree, Mass.
	9 William F. Hickey	36	4 7	Holbrook, Mass.
	23 Catherine Mullen	94	—	Quincy, Mass.
	28 Arthur Gagnon	5	—	Cambridge, Mass.
	2 Ralph L. Clay	53	9 2	Brockton, Mass.
Dec.	4 George T. McCauley	76	—	Boston, Mass.
	7 John Shea	62	—	Hartford, Conn.
	12 Elizabeth Lyons	60	—	Braintree, Mass.
	18 ——— Lufkin	—	3	Boston, Mass.
	30 Everett E. Hobart	48	11 14	Avon, Mass.
	6 Mary A. Pettiti	46	—	Boston, Mass.
26	7 Thomas H. Corcoran	70	—	Boston, Mass.
	11 Teresa C. Dench	66	7 5	Roxbury, Mass.
	26 Winifred Burns	65	—	Providence, R. I.
	28 George A. Payne	74	15 4	Quincy, Mass.

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CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES

Anemia, Rheumatic Heart, Marasmus, Prematurity, Encephalitis, Septic Infection, Diabetes, Burns, Shock, Convulsions, Endocarditis, Senile Decay, 1 each.

One each of above	12
Embolism	6
Carcinoma	10
Peritonitis	4
Arterio Sclerosis	9
Hemorrhage	10
Stillborn	3
Myocarditis	6
Angina Pectoris	2
Tuberculosis	6
Pneumonia	8
Accidents	2
Oedema of Brain	3
Fractured Skull	3
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TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

TABLE OF VITAL STATISTICS—YEAR 1931

	Intentions of Marriage	Marriages	Births	Deaths
January	3	4	9	8
February	0	2	7	9
March	3	2	14	5
April	5	7	10	8
May	7	6	6	11
June	8	10	7	3
July	5	9	4	5
August	8	6	9	2
September	6	9	9	11
October	9	10	8	13
November	4	7	7	7
December	2	2	10	2
	60	74	100	84

Whole number of births recorded:

Males	41
Females	59
	100

Parents both native born	78
Parents 1 native born, 1 foreign born	13
Parents both foreign born	9
	100

Whole number of Marriage Intentions	60
Whole number of Marriages	74

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STATEMENT OF LICENSES ISSUED AND FEES RETAINED

Dog Licenses to December 31, 1931:	
429 males @ \$2.00 each	\$858.00
119 females @ \$5.00 each	595.00
44 females (spayed) @ \$2.00 each	88.00
9 Transfers	
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	\$1,541.00

Cash to County Treasurer	\$1,422.60	
Fees retained	118.40	
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		\$1,541.00

Hunting, Fishing and Trapping Licenses:	
151 Resident Citizens' Sporting Licenses @ \$2.75 each	\$415.25
10 Resident Citizens' Sporting Licenses "No Fee" issue	
1 Trapping License	5.25
2 Duplicate Licenses	1.00
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	\$421.50

Cash paid Massachusetts Division of Fisheries and Game	\$383.50	
Fees retained	38.00	
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		\$421.50

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Town Clerk.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Report of the Town Treasurer

John B. McNeill, Town Treasurer, in account with the
Town of Randolph, year 1931:

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Balance on hand		
January 1, 1931	\$115,938.30	
Received during year	473,483.60	
	<hr/>	\$589,421.90

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Paid sundry persons		
as per warrants	\$585,838.97	
Balance—on deposit		
in banks:		
Special Fund	\$3,538.81	
General Cash	44.12	
	<hr/>	\$3,582.93
	<hr/>	\$589,421.90

Randolph, Mass., January 29, 1932.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Town Treasurer and have reconciled his bank balances and verified his cash and find same correct, as per balance at end of the year 1931.

JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors.

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Norfolk, ss.

January 29, 1932.

Subscribed and sworn to before me:

JAMES E. FOLEY,

Notary Public.

John B. McNeill, Treasurer, in account with the Town
of Randolph:

SPECIAL FUND

Balance on Hand January 1, 1931	\$3,385.30	
Interest on deposits	153.51	
	<hr/>	\$3,538.81

SOLDIERS' MONUMENT FUND

Balance on hand, January 1, 1931	\$264.55	
Interest	12.50	
	<hr/>	\$277.05
Payments	\$8.70	
Balance—Randolph Savings Bank	268.35	
	<hr/>	\$277.05

SCHOOL PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT FUND

Balance on hand January 1, 1931	\$54.42	
Interest	2.46	
Balance on Deposit	<hr/>	
Randolph Trust Co		\$56.88

CODDINGTON FUND

Balance on hand January 1, 1931	\$1,900.00	
Interest	91.31	
	<hr/>	\$1,991.31
Interest withdrawn	\$91.31	
Balance on deposit—Randolph Savings Bank	1,900.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,991.31

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 29, 1932.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph have this day examined the

Coddington Fund (on deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	\$1,900.00
Special Fund (on deposit Savings Dept. of Randolph Trust Co.)	3,538.81
Soldiers' Monument Fund (on deposit Randolph Savings Bank)	268.35
School Playground Equipment Fund (on deposit Randolph Trust Co.)	56.88

and find same to correspond with the accounts of the Town Treasurer.

JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Town Auditors.

Norfolk, ss.

January 29, 1932.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

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Report of the Town Accountant

RECEIPTS

General Revenue

TAXES

Current Year:

Poll	\$1,942.00	
Personal	15,529.80	
Real Estate	103,222.79	
	<hr/>	\$120,694.59

Previous Years:

Poll	\$1,068.00	
Personal	1,138.35	
Real Estate	69,823.38	
	<hr/>	\$72,029.73

Old Age Assistance

\$982.00	
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Excise Tax:

Previous Years	\$4,796.61	
Current Year	7,355.72	
	<hr/>	\$12,152.33

Special Assessments:

Moth Tax (previous years)	\$87.50	
Current Year	158.00	
	<hr/>	\$245.50

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From State:

Income Tax—Valuation	\$14,869.80	
Income Tax—Educational	17,658.10	
Corporation Tax	1,309.76	
Gas, Electric and Water Tax	2,231.99	
Railroad, Telegraph and Telephone Tax	682.91	
Street Railway Tax	313.54	
Trust Co. Tax	403.32	
National Bank Tax	116.32	
	<hr/>	\$37,585.74

LICENSES AND PERMITS

Licenses:

Liquor	\$1.00	
Junk	50.00	
Pedlars	43.00	
Sunday Golf	4.50	
Pool, Billiards and Bowling	9.00	
Milk and Oleo	47.50	
Victualers	28.50	
All Other (including Gasoline)	92.00	
	<hr/>	\$275.50

Permits—Plumbing and Cesspool	\$237.00	
All Other	7.00	
	<hr/>	\$244.00
Court Fines	\$256.09	\$256.09

GRANTS AND GIFTS

From State:

Gasoline Tax	\$2,248.70
Veterans' Exemption	134.09

From County:

Dog Licenses	1,302.94	
	<hr/>	\$3,685.73

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COMMERCIAL REVENUE: DEPARTMENTAL

Sealer of Weights and Measures	\$108.89	
Forestry	22.00	
Health	308.94	
Construction—State	2,562.90	
Construction—County	2,562.91	
General—Use of Roller	175.00	
Treasurer—Tailings	4.20	
Infirmary:		
Sale of Produce	40.00	
Board (Inside)	245.00	
Board (Outside)	49.00	
Charities:		
Cities and Towns	913.65	
State—Relief	1,018.63	
State—Mothers' Aid	200.00	
Soldiers' Benefits: State Aid	695.00	
Soldiers' Relief	5.00	
Schools:		
Tuition State Wards	2,317.66	
Other Tuition	4,904.61	
All Other	16.10	
Unclassified:		
Tax title redemptions	1,980.39	
	<hr/>	\$18,129.88
Public Service Enterprises—(Water Dept.)		
Schedule Rates	\$3,693.73	
Rental and Meter Rates	15,777.61	
All Others	289.86	
Braintree Water Dept.	1,293.05	
Insurance	88.75	
Broken Hydrants	96.00	
Sale of Boiler	35.00	
Miscellaneous	17.92	
	<hr/>	\$21,291.92

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Interest:

Special	\$153.51	
General	333.54	
Taxes	4,572.78	
School Building Loan	2,145.47	
Coddington Fund	91.31	
Tax Titles	198.88	
	<hr/>	\$7,495.49

Refunds:

School	\$37.50	
Water—Maintenance	10.67	
Water—No. Main Street	8.00	
Fire Department	14.41	
Outside Relief	6.00	
Tax Title Expenses	40.00	
Town Clerk's Expense	.47	
Board of Health	50.00	
North and East Randolph Schools	202.05	
Old Age Assistance	36.00	
	<hr/>	\$405.10

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Temporary Loans:

Anticipation of Revenue	\$175,000.00	
General Loan—Pond Street	3,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$178,000.00
Balance on Hand Jan. 1, 1931	\$112,553.00	
Special Fund	3,385.30	
	<hr/>	\$115,938.30
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		\$589,411.90

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PAYMENTS

General Government

EXPENDITURES

Selectmen:

Salaries	\$650.00
Clerks	90.40
Others	73.40
Stationery and Postage	80.30
Printing and Advertising	91.75
Carfares	41.00
Telephone	89.72
Office Equipment	40.00
All Other	11.00

\$1,167.57

Moderator:

Salary	\$50.00
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\$50.00

Auditing Department:

Salaries	\$180.00
Expenses	17.50

\$197.50

Accounting Department:

Salary	\$1,200.00
Clerk	19.80
Stationery and Postage	111.15
Traveling Expense	5.00
All Other	12.09

\$1,348.04

Treasurer's Department:

Salary	\$900.00
Clerks	1,040.00
Stationery and Postage	128.63

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Carfares	3.00	
Telephone	50.83	
Bonds	170.00	
Certifying Notes	17.02	
All Other	5.52	
	<hr/>	\$2,315.00

Collector's Department:

Salary	\$2,483.47	
Clerks	50.00	
Bond	300.00	
Stationery and Postage	218.10	
Printing and Advertising	80.00	
Tax Titles	314.01	
All Other	.74	
	<hr/>	\$3,446.32

Assessors Department:

Salaries	\$1,800.00	
Writing State Book	250.00	
Clerks	376.60	
Stationery and Postage	55.61	
Carfares	5.00	
Telephone	52.72	
Transcript of Deeds	286.82	
Maps and Plans	1,000.00	
Poll Lists	330.65	
All Other	16.80	
	<hr/>	\$4,174.20

Finance Committee:

Clerks	\$52.30	
Printing	183.00	
Postage	5.00	
Distributing Reports	20.00	
	<hr/>	\$260.30

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Law Department:

Town Counsel	\$300.00	
Special Attorneys	125.00	
Witness Fees	55.20	
Costs and Claims	90.00	
	<hr/>	\$570.20

Town Clerk:

Salary	\$1,100.00	
Clerks	17.40	
Recording Fees	332.50	
Stationery and Postage	62.91	
Printing and Advertising	56.75	
Telephone	12.93	
Dog Tax	17.50	
Certifying Notes	2.98	
All Other	7.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,609.97

Election and Registration Dept.:

Salaries	\$150.00	
Election Officers	314.00	
All Other	81.10	
Stationery and Postage	1.74	
Printing and Advertising	199.50	
Meals	75.00	
All Other	13.97	
	<hr/>	\$835.31

Planning Board:

Postage and Stationery	\$23.91	
Printing	14.75	
Rent	6.00	
Subscriptions	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$59.66

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Town Office Expense:

Janitor's Salary	\$720.00	
Fuel	358.70	
Light	469.30	
All Other	6.50	
	<hr/>	\$1,554.50

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department:

Police Chief's Salary	\$2,500.00
Patrolmen's Salaries	2,553.86
Special Police	782.80
Other Employees	115.00

Automobile, Motorcycles and
Care of Same:

Automobile	345.19
Motorcycles	417.40
Gas and Oil	601.23
Equipment for Men	107.27

Maintenance of Buildings:

Repairs	679.39
Janitor's Supplies	5.18
Garage Rental	50.00
All Other	6.94

Other Expenses:

Printing, Stationery and Postage	34.90	
Telephone	228.43	
Signs and Signals	298.02	
Prisoners' Meals	43.75	
All Other	74.55	
Office Equipment	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$8,853.91

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Fire Department:

Chief's Salary	\$2,000.00
Drivers' Salaries	3,500.00
Spare Drivers' Salaries	180.00
Deputy Chief's Salary	125.00
Firemen's Salaries	1,500.00
Other Employees	42.00
Equipment for Men	57.50

Maintenance and Repairs:

Apparatus	597.89
Alarm Boxes, Etc.	670.16
Gas and Oil	320.94
All Other	72.43

Fuel and Light:

Fuel	501.58
Light	269.23

Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:

Repairs	232.20
Furniture and Furnishings	14.30
Rent of No. 2 Station	125.00
All Other	92.18

Other Expenses:

Stationery, Printing and Postage	2.00
Telephone	130.47
All Other	19.64

\$10,462.47

Forest Fires:

Fighting Fires	\$488.40
Apparatus	1,140.95
Chemicals	25.30

\$1,654.65

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Sealers of Weights and Measures:

Salary	\$150.00	
Transportation	20.00	
Seals	16.49	
All Other	3.50	
	<hr/>	\$189.99

Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth Extermination:

Labor	\$764.10	
Trucks	77.25	
Insecticides	115.51	
Hardware and Tools	11.40	
Apparatus	23.14	
All Other	8.21	
	<hr/>	\$999.61

Planting and Trimming Trees:

Superintendent's Salary	\$250.00	
Labor	403.80	
Trucks	90.00	
Trees	54.00	
All Other	23.81	
	<hr/>	\$821.61

Game Warden:

Salary	\$92.40	
	<hr/>	\$92.40

Dog Officer	\$150.00	
	<hr/>	\$150.00

Health Department:

Board of Health, Salaries	\$342.12	
Agent	35.00	
Stationery and Postage	42.20	
Printing and Advertising	102.00	
Telephone	1.10	

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All Other	123.49	
Medical Attendance	4.00	
Norfolk County Hospital	2,590.36	
Mass. Eye and Ear Infirmary	31.10	
Mass. General Hospital	47.55	
Mass. Memorial Hospital	19.50	
Boston City Hospital	23.53	
Vital Statistics:		
Births	13.50	
Deaths	19.00	
Inspection:		
Plumbing Inspector	210.50	
Inspector of Animals	100.00	
Inspector of Slaughtering	100.00	
Inspector of Milk	50.00	
Health Nurse	1,250.00	
Out Poor Physicians	225.00	
School Nurse	1,269.00	
School Physician	700.00	
Other Expenses:		
Killing Dogs	4.00	
Burying Animals	33.00	
Dump Lease	125.00	
Removing Rubbish	174.75	
All Other	35.00	
	<hr/>	\$7,670.70

HIGHWAYS

Surveyor's Salary	\$1,500.00
Office Supplies	9.15
Telephone	58.80
Labor	5,464.69
Trucks	1,353.20
Highway Material	1,798.02

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Equipment and Repairs	1,186.01	
Fence Repairs	160.74	
Gas and Oil	234.80	
All Other	134.11	
	<hr/>	\$11,899.52

Allen Street:

Labor	\$649.30	
Trucks	103.00	
Highway Material	190.32	
Surveying	11.15	
Gas & Oil	41.89	
	<hr/>	\$995.66

Belcher Street:

Labor	\$1,213.31	
Trucks	212.61	
Highway Material	443.09	
Equipment and Repairs	10.10	
Surveying	52.35	
Gas & Oil	67.52	
	<hr/>	\$1,998.98

Centre Street:

Labor	\$709.56	
Trucks	243.00	
Highway Material	290.21	
Equipment and Repairs	22.41	
Gas and Oil	34.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,299.18

Chestnut Street:

Labor	\$575.38	
Trucks	182.24	
Highway Material	174.00	

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Equipment and Repairs	22.39	
Gas and Oil	28.61	
Drilling and Blasting	16.99	
	<hr/>	\$999.61

Cole Terrace:

Labor	\$399.36	
Trucks	67.50	
Highway Material	196.97	
Equipment and Repairs	10.87	
Gas and Oil	24.75	
	<hr/>	\$699.45

Druid Hill Avenue:

Labor	\$520.45	
Trucks	128.25	
Drilling and Blasting	21.31	
Gas and Oil	28.73	
	<hr/>	\$698.74

Fairfield Road:

Labor	\$412.03	
Trucks	171.00	
Highway Material	77.50	
Equipment and Repairs	2.62	
Use of Compressor	23.15	
Gas and Oil	13.06	
	<hr/>	\$699.36

Fencourt Avenue:

Labor	\$438.40	
Trucks	117.56	
Highway Material	64.46	
Gas and Oil	4.50	
	<hr/>	\$624.92

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Highland Avenue:

Labor	\$584.12	
Trucks	222.75	
Highway Material	143.15	
Equipment and Repairs	19.97	
Gas and Oil	27.10	
	<hr/>	\$997.09

Mount Pleasant Square:

Labor	\$128.78	
Trucks	46.67	
Highway Material	100.50	
Gas and Oil	22.00	
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Old Street:

Labor	\$302.73	
Trucks	96.75	
Highway Material	90.75	
Gas and Oil	7.98	
	<hr/>	\$498.21

Norroway Avenue:

Labor	\$450.74	
Trucks	143.99	
Highway Material	92.75	
Drilling and Blasting	12.36	
	<hr/>	\$699.84

Royal Street:

Labor	\$23.80	
Gas and Oil	1.50	
	<hr/>	\$25.30

Russ Street:

Labor	\$317.77	
Trucks	179.98	

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Highway Material	87.50	
Equipment and Repairs	11.63	
Steam Shovel	385.00	
Gas and Oil	17.45	
	<hr/>	\$999.33
Vesey Road:		
Labor	\$618.56	
Trucks	220.49	
Highway Material	75.75	
Equipment and Repairs	21.65	
Blasting	6.72	
Gas and Oil	56.75	
	<hr/>	\$999.92
West Street:		
Labor	\$397.87	
Trucks	96.75	
Highway Material	461.98	
Blasting	7.60	
Gas and Oil	35.80	
	<hr/>	\$1,000.00
Woodlawn Road:		
Labor	\$395.84	
Trucks	121.50	
Highway Material	139.23	
Equipment and Repairs	19.51	
Blasting and Drilling	17.57	
Gas and Oil	6.22	
	<hr/>	\$699.87
Main St., Bridge to Crawford Square:		
Contract	\$1,200.00	
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Pond St.:

Contracts	\$8,508.88	
Labor—Town	127.20	
Frames, Grates and Service Boxes	240.44	
Advertising	35.60	
	<hr/>	\$8,912.12

Street Signs:

Labor	\$16.80	
Signs	126.35	
Freight	3.49	
Material	3.30	
	<hr/>	\$149.94

Street Lights	\$9,118.05	
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Snow and Ice Removal:

Labor	\$931.09	
Horse Plows	159.50	
Auto Plows	786.75	
Tractor Plows	233.50	
Plow Repairs	289.35	
Tractor Repairs	78.09	
Tractor Storage	60.00	
Gas and Oil	78.07	
Trucks	66.37	
Sand	252.53	
All Other	12.01	
	<hr/>	\$2,947.26

Land Damage:

North Main St.	\$100.00	
North St.	50.50	
Pond St.	340.00	
	<hr/>	\$490.50

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Charities:

Old Age Assistance—Cash Paid	
Out	\$1,574.00
Old Age Assistance Investigation	75.00
Stationery	8.99
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	\$1,657.99

Outside Relief:

Cash Paid Out	\$3,266.00
Rents	624.90
Medicine and Medical Attendance	94.18
Fuel	584.70
Groceries	5,556.95
Clothing	51.75
Traveling Expenses	5.00
Relief by Other Cities	143.39
Relief by Other Towns	129.93
Relief by State	260.71
Mothers' Aid—By Town	636.00
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	\$11,353.51

Infirmery:

Superintendent's Salary	\$1,149.99
Other Employees	465.80
Groceries and Provisions	1,438.26
Dry Goods and Clothing	87.20
Fuel and Light	786.03
Repairs on Buildings	1,432.11
Burial of Inmates	85.00
Grain and Feed	118.70
Telephone	49.25
All Other	235.74
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	\$5,848.08

Soldiers' Benefits:

State Aid	\$708.00
Fuel	145.25

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Groceries	423.45	
Cash Paid Out	4,542.00	
Burial of Indigent Soldiers	195.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,013.70

School Department:

Superintendent's Salary	\$1,519.92
Clerk's Salary	336.96
Truant Officer's Salary	200.00
Teachers' Salaries—High	19,517.25
Teachers' Salaries—Elementary	44,127.50
Janitors' Salaries—High	1,843.33
Janitors' Salaries—Elementary	3,686.84
Police Duty (Fourth of July)	45.00
School Census	81.55
Supervision	252.67
Printing, Stationery and Postage	46.31
Telephones	292.35
Traveling Expenses	162.09
All Other—General	140.85

Text Books and Supplies:

High—Books	1,838.87
High—Supplies	2,213.56
Elementary—Books	2,747.09
Elementary—Supplies	1,581.22
Trade and Continuation	3,123.94
Transportation—Elementary	3,792.50

Fuel and Light:

High—Lights	505.20
Elementary—Lights	359.23
High—Fuel	2,039.95
Elementary—Fuel	2,715.64

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Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:

High—Repairs	1,723.18
High—Janitor's Supplies	98.37
High—All Other	220.69
Elementary—Repairs	2,051.73
Elementary—Janitors' Supplies	186.47
Elementary—All Other	244.92

Equipment:

High	454.98
Elementary	985.67
Rent	80.00

Other Expenses:

Diplomas and Graduation Exercises	189.95
Physical Education	82.75
All Other	77.64

\$99,465.97

North Randolph School Construction:

Contracts—

Suffolk Construction	\$52,534.00
Dwyer Levling Co.	281.00
Bianchi Cast Stone Co.	3,300.00
A. N. Zottoli Co.	400.00
T. A. Paradis	5,907.00
N. B. Foster	4,844.00
McLean & Cousens	14,522.00
Eastern Waterproof & Painting	451.00
H. M. Sanders	1,389.00
Richards, Wilcox Co.	450.00
Allen Shade Holder Co.	204.00
Surette School Supply Co.	150.75
A. Flanagan	3,353.10

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Architects' Fee	1,682.30	
Various	396.06	
Bonds and Insurance	643.00	
	<hr/>	\$90,507.21

East Randolph School:

Contracts—

Architect's Fee	\$1,092.60	
W. H. Barker	12,399.00	
Frank Curran	4,426.00	
H. M. Sanders	633.50	
Eastern Waterproofing & Painting	67.40	
M. B. Foster	730.00	
Bonds and Insurance	407.14	
All Other	214.78	
	<hr/>	\$19,970.42

North Randolph School Grading and

Flag Pole:

Contracts—

L. A. Reardon	\$1,705.00	
American Flag Pole Co.	225.00	
E. C. Sargent	50.00	
Labor	5.00	
Advertising	12.18	
	<hr/>	\$1,997.18

High School Drive:

Labor	\$550.74	
Trucks	106.87	
Highway Material	499.64	
Equipment and Repairs	7.73	
Gas and Oil	28.00	
All Others	1.35	
	<hr/>	\$1,194.33
Library Repairs	\$1,000.00	
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Unclassified:

Memorial Day Celebration	\$350.00	
Armistice Day Celebration	150.00	
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Printing Town Reports	\$671.00	
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Insurance	\$3,699.92	
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Lease of A. L. Headquarters	\$1,500.00	
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Care of Clock, Congregational Church	\$20.00	
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Drainage, Puzone's Land	\$419.20	
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Accounts Payable:		
Lease of Dump	\$125.00	
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Unpaid Bills:		
Outside Relief	\$1,199.83	
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Water Department—Maintenance:

Commissioners' Salaries	\$375.00
Superintendent's Salary	2,000.00
Reading Meters	150.00
Typewriter	94.00
Stationery and Postage	272.10
Printing and Advertising	76.00
Telephone	97.57
Garage Rent	50.00
All Other	60.00
Labor	1,753.20
Truck Repairs	159.90

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Gas and Oil	207.12	
Pipe and Fittings	658.03	
Meters and Fittings	1,658.74	
Service Boxes	22.74	
Hydrant	15.25	
Gate Valves	100.36	
Freight	50.30	
Guards	80.00	
All Other	120.75	
	<hr/>	\$8,001.06

Service Connections:

Labor	\$631.20	
Pipe and Fittings	757.05	
All Other	76.18	
	<hr/>	\$1,464.43

Joint Account:

Labor	\$1,427.33	
Oil, Waste and Packing	188.02	
Coal	1,953.01	
Repairs on Buildings	30.59	
Chlorine	84.15	
All Other	3,502.43	
	<hr/>	\$7,185.53

New Equipment—Boiler:

Contracts	\$2,313.80	
Tube Cleaner	186.20	
	<hr/>	\$2,500.00

Fencourt Avenue:

Labor	\$936.20	
Truck—Repairs	17.77	
Leadite	15.10	
Pipe and Fittings	249.64	
Hydrant	65.00	

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Gate Valves	73.76	
Gas and Oil	58.51	
Tools	5.00	
Freight	41.32	
All Others	33.36	
	<hr/>	\$1,495.66

Hills Street:

Labor	\$713.25	
Leadite	9.90	
Pipe and Fittings	248.50	
Hydrant	65.00	
Gate Valves	56.68	
Tools	26.25	
Gas and Oil	27.68	
Freight	42.93	
All Others	5.95	
	<hr/>	\$1,196.14

Overlook Road:

Labor	\$494.20	
Tools	12.00	
Leadite	9.90	
Pipe and Fittings	248.50	
Hydrant	65.00	
Gate Valves	56.68	
Blasting	244.50	
Gas and Oil	12.59	
Freight	42.93	
All Other	5.95	
	<hr/>	\$1,192.25

Woodlawn Road:

Labor	\$760.80	
Leadite	15.10	
Pipe and Fittings	302.08	
Hydrants	125.00	

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Gate Valves	120.48	
Blasting	61.15	
Gas and Oil	41.54	
Freight	50.94	
All Other	22.63	
	<hr/>	\$1,499.72

North Main Street Extension:

Labor	\$4.80	
Gate Valves	60.68	
Gas and Oil	35.00	
All Others	42.06	
	<hr/>	\$142.54

North Main Street Renewals:

Labor	\$1,232.90	
Pipe and Fittings	1,081.47	
Service Boxes	36.09	
Blasting	40.25	
Gas and Oil	42.72	
All Other	18.44	
	<hr/>	\$2,451.87

Interest:

Anticipation of Revenue Notes	3,785.36	
Refunding Loan	292.50	
School Loans	6,283.00	
Fire Department Loan	250.00	
Highway Loans	455.00	
Water Loans	678.75	
	<hr/>	\$11,744.61

Municipal Indebtedness:

Anticipation of Revenue	\$165,000.00
School Loans	9,539.77
Water Loans	2,000.00
Refunding Loan	1,000.00

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Fire Loan	1,500.00	
Highway Loans	3,000.00	
Premium on Bonds	2,460.23	
	<hr/>	\$184,500.00
Agency:		
State Tax	\$6,450.00	
Old Age Assistance Tax	1,800.00	
State Parks and Reservations	115.69	
County Tax	7,854.54	
Auditing Municipal Accounts	1,492.18	
	<hr/>	\$17,712.41
Refunds:		
Taxes—Real Estate and Poll	\$23.06	
Excise Tax	123.96	
Bank Tax	14.76	
Interest on Poll and Real Estate	2.92	
	<hr/>	\$164.70
Balance:		
Cash, Dec. 31, 1931 (General)	\$197.63	
Special Fund	3,385.30	
	<hr/>	\$3,582.93
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		\$589,411.90

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Temporary Loans

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1931		\$70,000.00
Notes issued during 1931		175,000.00
Maturities paid during 1931	\$165,000.00	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1931	80,000.00	
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	\$245,000.00	\$245,000.00

INDEBTEDNESS INSIDE STATUTORY LIMIT

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1931		\$149,605.50
Contracted during 1931 (Highway Loan—Pond Street)		3,000.00
Maturities paid during 1931:		
*High School Loan	\$1,478.90	
High School Equipment Loan	1,000.00	
Refunding Loan	1,000.00	
Fire Ladder Truck Loan	1,500.00	
Highway Loan (Canton Street)	1,000.00	
Highway Loan (Union Street)	2,000.00	
School Loan (No. and E. Randolph)	6,000.00	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1931	138,626.60	
	<hr/>	<hr/>
	\$152,605.50	\$152,605.50

INDEBTEDNESS OUTSIDE STATUTORY LIMIT

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1931		\$48,394.50
Contracted during 1931		
Maturities paid during 1931:		
*High School Loan	\$3,521.10	
Water Loan (Extensions)	1,000.00	
Water Loan (Stacy Street)	1,000.00	
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1931	42,873.40	
	<hr/>	<hr/>
	\$48,394.50	\$48,394.50

* This loan was contracted for 21/71% inside and 50/71% outside debt limit.

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BORROWING CAPACITY

(Inside Statutory Limit of Indebtedness)

Valuation April 1, 1929		\$5,549,250.00
Valuation April 1, 1930		5,797,950.00
Valuation April 1, 1931		5,912,300.00
Less Abatements, 1929	\$93,643.15	
Less Abatements, 1930	65,843.75	
Less Abatements, 1931	65,436.93	
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	\$224,923.83	
Valuation for three years		\$17,259,500.00
Less Abatements		224,923.83
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		\$17,034,576.17
3% of average total borrowing capacity		\$170,345.76
Less Indebtedness (Inside Statutory Limit) outstanding Dec. 31, 1931	\$138,626.60	
Net borrowing capacity (Inside Debt Limit) Dec. 31, 1931	31,719.16	
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	\$170,345.76	\$170,345.76

Respectfully Submitted,

ELMER L. BURCHELL,

Town Accountant.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

Date of Maturity	Highway Loan, Union Street	Water Loan, Stacy Street	Fire Ladder Truck Loan	Highway Loan, Canton Street	Highway Loan Pond Street	Refunding Loan	High School Loan	Water Loan Extensions	School Loan, N. & E. Randolph
1932	\$2,000	\$1,000	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$5,000	\$1,000	\$9,000
1933	2,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	5,000	1,000	6,000
1934		1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	5,000	1,000	6,000
1935						1,000	5,000	1,000	6,000
1936						1,000	5,000	1,000	6,000
1937						1,000	4,000	1,000	6,000
1938							4,000	1,000	6,000
1939							4,000	1,000	6,000
1940							4,000	1,000	6,000
1941							4,000	1,000	6,000
1942								1,000	6,000
1943								1,000	6,000
1944								1,000	6,000
1945									5,000
1946									5,000
1947									5,000
1948									5,000
1949									5,000
1950									5,000
	\$4,000	\$3,000	\$3,500	\$3,000	\$3,000	\$6,000	\$41,000	\$11,000	\$107,000
									74,500
									<u>\$181,500</u>

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1931

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Cash General	\$197.63	Anticipation of Revenue Notes	\$80,000.00
Cash Special	3,385.30	Tax Title Revenue	7,633.92
Taxes, 1928	494.32	Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Revenue	8,599.60
Taxes, 1929	3,960.64	Departmental Revenue	6,960.03
Taxes, 1930	31,238.82	Water Revenue	4,360.40
Taxes, 1931	93,465.47	Overlay, 1931	540.43
Old Age Assistance Tax	787.00	Overlay, Surplus	131.65
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax, 1929	503.25	War Bonus	3,385.30
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax, 1930	2,133.94	Tailings	7.20
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax, 1931	5,912.41	Excess and Deficiency	41,095.94
Tax Titles	7,633.92	Tax Collector's Salary	1,804.65
Accounts Receivable:		Tax Collector's Expense	155.32
Town Officers	108.50	Law Department, Rosetti Case	400.00
State and Military Aid	903.00	Highway Department—Pond Street	10,587.88
Health Department	850.79	High School Drive Lights	140.00
Killing Dogs	4.00	Piping Puzone's Land	780.80
Public Welfare	4,838.99	Land Damage:	
Land Damage	254.75	Bridge to Crawford Square	500.00
Pond Street Construction	7,874.19	North Street	262.00
Water Rates, 1929	89.34	North Main Street	175.00
Water Rates, 1930	909.65	Pond Street	272.00
Water Rates, 1931	3,361.41	West and Warren Streets	254.75
Overlay, 1928	168.84	Stetson Hall Oil Burner	800.00
Overlay, 1929	257.67	Accounts Payable	842.71
Overlay, 1930	305.75		
	<u>\$169,689.58</u>		<u>\$169,689.58</u>

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Net Funded Debt	\$181,500.00	Refunding Loan	\$6,000.00
		Water Extensions	11,000.00
		High School Loan	41,000.00
		Water Loan—Stacy Street	3,000.00
		Fire Ladder Truck Loan	3,500.00
		Highway Loan—Canton Street	3,000.00
		Highway Loan—Union Street	4,000.00
		Highway Loan—Pond Street	3,000.00
		North and East Randolph School Loan	107,000.00
	<hr/> \$181,500.00		<hr/> \$181,500.00
Trust Funds—Cash and Securities	\$59,327.28	Coddington School Fund	\$1,900.00
		Stetson High School Fund	13,460.01
		Turner Fund	1,119.66
		Library Funds	42,517.96
		Soldiers' Monument Funds	268.35
		Playground Fund	61.30
	<hr/> \$59,327.28		<hr/> \$59,327.28

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND PAYMENTS FOR 1931

ACCOUNT	Appropriations and Balances	From Reserve Fund	Refund	Raised and to be Raised by Assessors	Transferred	Payments	Transferred	Balance	To Revenue
Selectmen	\$1,300.00					\$1,167.57		\$132.43	
Moderator	50.00					50.00			
Auditors	198.25					197.50		.75	
Accountant	1,350.00					1,348.04		1.96	
Treasurer	2,315.00					2,315.00			
Tax Collector	5,392.28		\$40.00			3,446.32			
Assessors	4,200.00					4,174.20		\$1,959.97	25.99
Law Department	1,400.00					570.20		400.00	25.80
Planning Board	150.00					59.66		*90.00	429.80
Finance Committee	300.00					260.30			.34
Town Clerk	1,225.00	\$52.00	.47		\$332.50	1,609.97			39.70
Election and Registration	900.00					835.31			64.69
Town Office	1,500.00				100.00	1,554.50			45.50
Police Department	9,200.00				200.00	8,853.91	\$475.00		71.09
Fire Department	12,110.00		14.41			12,117.12			7.29
Game Warden	200.00					92.40	100.00		7.60
Sealer of Weights and Measures	190.00					189.99			.01
Tree Warden	850.00					821.61			28.39
Moth Extermination	1,000.00					999.61			.39
Health Department	7,344.76		50.00		1,969.00	7,820.70	1,332.50	*126.25	84.31

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND PAYMENTS FOR 1931

ACCOUNT	Appropriations and Balances	From Reserve Fund	Refund	Raised and to be Assessors	Transferred	Payments	Transferred	Balance	To Revenue
Highway Department	11,900.00					11,899.52			.48
Allen Street	1,000.00					995.66			4.34
Belcher Street	2,000.00					1,998.98			1.02
Centre Street	1,300.00					1,299.18			.82
Chestnut Street	1,000.00					999.61			.39
Cole Terrace	700.00					699.45			.55
Druid Hill Avenue	700.00					698.74			1.26
Fairfield Road	800.00					699.36			.64
Fencourt Avenue	625.00					624.92			.08
Highland Avenue	1,000.00					997.09			2.91
Mt. Pleasant Square	300.00					297.95			2.05
Noroway Avenue	700.00					699.84			.16
Old Street	500.00					498.21			1.79
Plain Street	200.00						200.00		
Royal Street	500.00					25.30	450.00		24.70
Russ Street	1,000.00					999.33			.67
Vesey Road	1,000.00					999.92			.08
West Street	1,000.00					1,000.00			
Woodlawn Road	700.00					699.87			.13
Bridge to Crawford Sq.	1,200.00					1,200.00			
Pond Street	19,500.00					8,912.12		10,587.88	

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND PAYMENTS FOR 1931

ACCOUNT	Appropriations and Balances	From Reserve Fund	Refund	Raised and to be Assessed by	Transferred	Payments	Transferred	Balance	To Revenue
Snow Removal	2,700.00				700.00	2,947.26		1452.74	
Street Signs	150.00					149.94		.06	
Street Lights	9,179.24					9,118.05		61.19	
High School Drive Lights	140.00							140.00	
Piping Puzone's Land	1,200.00					419.20		780.80	
Land Damage	1,954.25					490.50		1,463.75	
Old Age Assistance	2,000.00					1,657.99			
Outside Relief	7,700.00		6.00		1,850.00	11,353.51		342.01	
Infirmary	5,900.00	1,800.00				5,848.08		2.49	
Soldiers Relief, State Aid, Military Aid	5,800.00							51.92	
Schools	106,022.52		37.50		670.00	6,013.70	200.00	256.30	
School Drive	1,200.00					99,465.97	2,169.00	3,814.59	
N. Randolph School						1,194.33		5.67	
Construction	90,334.74		174.28			90,507.21		1.81	
N. Randolph School Grad- ing and Flag Pole	2,000.00					1,997.18		2.82	
E. Randolph School									
Construction	19,960.59		27.77			19,970.42		*16.00	1.94
Library Repairs	1,000.00					1,000.00			
Insurance	3,800.00					3,699.92			100.08

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND PAYMENTS FOR 1931

ACCOUNT	Appropriations and Balances	From Reserve Fund	Refund	Raised and to be Assessed	Transferred	Payments	Transferred	Balance	To Revenue
Stetson Hall, Oil Burner	800.00							800.00	
Printing and Distribut- ing Town Reports	671.00					671.00			
Memorial Day Expenses	350.00					350.00			
Armistice Day Expenses	150.00					150.00			
Lease of A. L. Bldg.	1,500.00					1,500.00			
Care of Clock, Congre- gational Church	20.00					20.00			
Accounts Payable	125.00					125.00			
Unpaid Bills	1,200.00					1,199.83			
Reserve Fund	2,000.00								
Water Department	13,988.01		10.67		3,000.00	16,651.02			148.00
Water Extensions	442.54					142.54			+347.66
Stacy Street	1.33								300.00
No. Main St. Services	2,450.00		8.00			2,451.87			1.33
Fencourt Avenue	1,500.00					1,495.66			6.13
Hills Street	1,200.00					1,196.14			4.34
Overlook Road	1,200.00					1,192.25			3.86
Woodlawn Road	1,500.00					1,499.72			7.75
Pumping Station, New Equipment	2,500.00					2,500.00			.28

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND PAYMENTS FOR 1931

ACCOUNT	Appropriations and Balances	From Reserve Fund	Refund	Raised and to be Raised by Assessors	Transferred	Payments	Transferred	Balance	To Revenue
Interest and Discount	12,500.00								
Maturing Debt	17,039.77					11,744.61			
Premium on Bonds	2,460.23					17,039.77			
Revenue Notes						2,460.23			
State Tax				\$6,450.00		165,000.00			
Old Age Assitance Tax				1,800.00		6,450.00			
State Parks and Reservations						1,800.00			
County Tax				115.69		115.69			
Auditing Municipal Accounts				7,854.54		7,854.54			
Refunds				1,492.18		1,492.18			
Balance Dec. 31, 1931 (General)						164.70			
Special Fund						197.63			
						<u>3,385.30</u>			
						\$589,411.90			
									755.39

* Shown on Balance Sheet as Accounts Payable.

† To Excess and Deficiency, Account taken from this source—By vote of Special Town Meeting.

% \$475.00 from Patrolmen's Salary and \$195.00 to be reimbursed by State.

† \$327.48 to Excess and Deficiency and \$20.18 to Revenue—Account Special Town Meeting transfer.

Report of the Board of Selectmen

Because of unusual conditions, the report of your Selectmen will be a little more extended than usual.

The financial condition of the Town is sound. While we are confronted with conditions which are general and wide-spread, such as slow collections due to industrial depression, mounting costs of government occasioned by necessary public improvements, difficulty in borrowing owing to the lack of confidence in financial circles, the care of the unfortunate who are the unhappy victims of circumstances over which they have no control, we are much better off than many of our neighbors.

The close of the year witnessed an abnormal increase in interest rates. Whereas early in the year it was possible to borrow at ridiculously low rates, the recent notes of the town have been issued at rates much in excess of those charged in normal times. Owing largely to the co-operation of local institutions we are doing better in this respect than many near-by communities.

Owing principally to new school construction, the necessity for which has been demonstrated, our indebtedness has been greatly increased. This naturally means that the sums appropriated annually for the reduction of the debt and for the paying of interest thereon must be substantially larger than in past years.

The adoption of the old-age assistance act introduces a new item in the budget which will add materially to the tax rate. The fact that the town is re-im-

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bursed in whole or in part for these expenditures does not lighten the present burden.

In common with other communities we have been obliged to expend more money than ever before on public welfare. We have been, however, much more fortunate in this respect than the great majority of towns and cities in the Commonwealth. Our expenditures for this purpose are far below the average of other towns of similar, or even smaller size. Our per capita expense for this work is one of the lowest in the Commonwealth.

While the relief work of private agencies, such as the churches, fraternal societies, American Legion, Red Cross, and others, has done much to alleviate the situation, the tax-payer in the future as in the past will carry the larger part of the burden. The 'drives' of one kind and another, including benefit performances, which have been so common in other communities have not yet been resorted to in this town.

The situation, therefore, which confronts the tax-payer is a serious one. While economy must be the watch-word, it is difficult to see where appropriations can be cut in the items referred to.

The voters, however, can do much to hold the tax rate within reasonable bounds, by scrutinizing closely the expenditures of every department, and acting conservatively upon new projects requiring the expenditure of public monies.

Some one has well said that the bond issue of to-day is the tax-rate of tomorrow.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER F. STEPHENS,
HAROLD W. MACAULEY,
JAMES H. HURLEY.

Assessors' Report—1931

The Board of Assessors for the year 1931 submit the following report for the consideration of the Taxpayers of the Town of Randolph.

Increase in Valuation \$125,720.00

By reference to the table of assessed valuation appended hereto it will be noticed that the total assessed valuation of taxable real estate indicates an increase of \$109,000.00; an increase in valuation of personal property of \$5,350.00; adding the increase in Excise valuation \$11,370.00 makes a net gain in valuation of \$125,720.00.

Poll List

We made a separate Poll List which was committed early in the year so the Collector would have a better chance of collecting from those who leave the Town and State.

Persons Listed

A book of persons listed by the Assessors was compiled in conformity with the provisions of Sections 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Chapter 51 of the General Laws.

Our Board is calling once more the attention of the citizens to take notice of the following conditions of appropriations from the year of 1927 to 1931 inclusive,

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showing the increase of appropriations including State and County taxes.

1927	\$230,873.47
1928	\$242,203.30
1929	\$246,585.55
1930	\$275,798.79
1931	\$297,610.07

showing a net increase of appropriations \$66,736.60 over a period of five years. Maturing Debt and Interest for 1932 will be close to \$30,000.00. It is fair to assume that State and County taxes for year 1932 will increase owing to less Income Tax to State.

Board of Assessors,

WALDO E. MANN,
JAMES P. DUFFY,
FRANK F. TEED.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

ASSESSED VALUATION

Person Estate	\$673,350.00	
Real Estate—Land	1,348,150.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	3,890,800.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,912,300.00

EXCISE TAX

Valuation, July 15th Commit-		
ment	\$443,550.00	
Dec. 21st Commitment	146,710.00	
	<hr/>	\$590,260.00
Total Valuation		\$6,502,560.00

1930 ASSESSED VALUATION

Personal Estate	\$668,000.00	
Real Estate—Land	1,346,050.00	
Real Estate—Buildings	3,783,900.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,797,950.00
Valuation—Excise Tax		578,890.00
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Total Valuation		\$6,376,840.00

APPROPRIATIONS MADE AT ANNUAL TOWN MEETING OF 1931

Provided for through Current Tax Levy, certified to by
the Town Clerk.

General Government

Moderator:		
Salary		\$50.00
Selectmen:		
Salaries	\$650.00	
Expenses	650.00	
	<hr/>	1,300.00

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Auditors:		
Salaries	\$180.00	
Expenses	18.25	
	<hr/>	198.25
Accountant:		
Salary	\$1,200.00	
Expenses	150.00	
	<hr/>	1,350.00
Treasurer:		
Salary	\$900.00	
Expenses—General Clerk for Treasurer, who will also do clerical work for Selectmen	1,040.00	
Other Expenses (Includ- ing Premium on Bond)	375.00	
	<hr/>	2,315.00
Tax Collector:		
Salary in form of commis- sion of $1\frac{1}{4}\%$ on collections, estimated	\$2,800.00	
Expenses (Including Prem- ium on Bond)	775.00	
Tax Titles	300.00	
	<hr/>	3,875.00
Assessors:		
Salaries	\$1,800.00	
Expenses—General	500.00	
Transcript of Deeds, Pro- bate Records and Descrip- tions of Property for sale for Unpaid Taxes	300.00	
Poll List	350.00	
Writing an extra set of books for Tax Commis- sioner	250.00	

TOWN OF RANDOLPH, MASS.

Maps and Plans	1,000.00	
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Law Department:		
To settle Costs and Claims		
that may arise	\$500.00	
Attorneys Fees	500.00	
	<hr/>	1,000.00
Finance Committee:		
Expenses	\$300.00	
Town Clerk:		
Salary (Including \$800.00		
for collection of Water		
Assessments)	\$1,100.00	
Expenses	125.00	
Vital Statistics	425.00	
	<hr/>	1,650.00
Election and Registration:		
Salaries of Registrars	\$150.00	
Election Expenses	750.00	
	<hr/>	900.00
Town Office Expense		1,500.00
Protection of Persons and Property		
Police Department:		
Salary of Chief	\$2,500.00	
Salary of Patrolman	2,000.00	
Salary of Extra Patrolman	1,050.00	
General Expenses (Includ-		
ing new auto and mo-		
torcycle and care of		
beacons)	3,450.00	
	<hr/>	9,000.00
Lock-up:		
Salary	\$100.00	
Expenses	100.00	
	<hr/>	200.00

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Fire Department:

Salaries and Expenses	\$10,785.00	
For Forest Fire Truck	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	11,785.00

Sealer of Weights and Measures:

Salary	\$150.00	
Expenses	40.00	
	<hr/>	190.00

Moth Extermination:

Expenses		1,000.00
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Tree Warden:

Salary	\$250.00	
Expenses	500.00	
Planting new trees	100.00	
	<hr/>	850.00

Health and Sanitation

Board of Health—Salaries	\$350.00	
Inspector of Animals—Salary	100.00	
Inspector of Milk—Salary	50.00	
Inspector of Slaughtering—Salary	100.00	
Dog Officer—Salary	150.00	
Health Nurse—Salary	1,250.00	
County Hospital Assessment	1,619.76	
Expenses (Including leasing of dump)	2,300.00	
	<hr/>	5,919.76

Highway Department

Surveyor's Salary	\$1,500.00	
General Maintenance (Including purchase of new road machine)	10,400.00	
Snow Removal	2,700.00	
Street Signs	150.00	
Street Lights	8,915.24	

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Land Damage from Railroad Bridge to Crawford Square	500.00	
New Construction from Rail- road Bridge to Crawford Square (to be done under the supervision of the Selectmen)	1,200.00	
	<hr/>	25,365.24

Charities and Soldiers' Benefits

Infirmary:		
Salary and Expenses	\$4,700.00	
Painting and Repairs	1,200.00	
Outside Relief (Including Poor out of Infirmary and Moth- ers' Aid)	7,700.00	
State Aid	1,000.00	
Military Aid	200.00	
Soldiers' Relief	4,600.00	
Old Age Assistance	2,000.00	
	<hr/>	21,400.00

Schools

Salaries and Wages:		
Teaching	\$67,205.02	
Superintendent	1,520.00	
Truant Officer	200.00	
Nurse	1,350.00	
Physician	200.00	
Superintendent's Clerk	200.00	
Janitors	6,000.00	
Other Expenses:		
Equipment	800.00	
Repairs, replacements and renewals	4,100.00	
Fuel	5,000.00	

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Books and Supplies	5,000.00
Transportation	4,482.50
Trade and Continuation	
Schools	4,200.00
Superintendent's Expenses	165.00
Committee's Expenses	100.00
General Expenses	5,000.00

\$105,522.52

Voted: That the Dog
T a x returns
received from
the C o u n t y
Treasurer in
1931 \$1,302.94
and the un-
expended bal-
ance from the
the School De-
partment in
1930, be ap-
p r o p r i a t e d
from the Ex-
cess and Defi-
c i e n c y A c-
count and cred-
ited to this
appropriation 1,216.34

\$2,519.28

Voted: That the sum of \$500.00 be added
to the amount recommended for
the School Physician for the pur-
pose of complying with the State
Law relating to physical exam-
ination of School pupils

500.00

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Turner Library

Repairs	1,000.00
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Unclassified Items

Memorial Day Expenses	\$350.00	
Armistice Day Expenses	150.00	
Care of Clock in First Congregational Church	20.00	
Printing and Distributing Town Reports	671.00	
Insurance (Fire and Workmen's Compensation)	3,800.00	
	4,991.00	

Public Service Enterprises

Water Department:

Commissioner's Salaries	\$375.00	
Superintendent's Salary	2,000.00	
Joint Account	4,000.00	
To Balance Joint Account 1930	513.01	
R a n d o l p h Maintenance, Service pipe construction and connecting dead ends from Allen Street to Liberty Street	7,100.00	
Renewing services on No. Main Street on account of new street construction	2,450.00	
	16,438.01	

Maturing Debt and Interest

Maturing Debt	\$19,500.00	
Less Premium on Notes and Bonds	2,460.23	
	17,039.77	
Interest and Discount		12,500.00

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Article 6—Reserve Fund	2,000.00
Article 7—Unpaid bills (Public Welfare)	1,200.00
Article 13—Leasing Headquarters for Lieut. T. W. Desmond Post 169	1,500.00
Article 15—Tax Collector's Salary deficit	440.50

Repairs and Rebuilding of Streets

Article 30—Fencourt Avenue	\$625.00	
Article 31—Vesey Road	1,000.00	
Article 32—Old Street	500.00	
Article 33—Plain Street	200.00	
Article 34—West Street (be- tween Cross and Warren Streets)	1,000.00	
Article 35—Russ Street	1,000.00	
Article 37—Woodlawn Road	700.00	
Article 38—Fairfield Road	700.00	
Article 39—Cole Terrace	700.00	
Article 40—Royal Street	500.00	
Article 41—Centre Street	1,300.00	
Article 42—Norraway Avenue	700.00	
Article 43—Belcher Street	2,000.00	
Article 44—Mt. Pleasant Square	300.00	
Article 45—Druid Hill Avenue	700.00	
Article 46—Highland Avenue	1,000.00	
Article 47—Allen Street	1,000.00	
Article 48—Chestnut Street	1,000.00	
Article 50—Pond Street	1,740.76	
	<hr/>	16,665.76

Water Extensions

Article 51—Hills Street	\$1,200.00	
Article 52—Overlook Road	1,200.00	
Article 53—Fencourt Avenue	1,500.00	
Article 59—Woodlawn Road	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	5,400.00

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Electric Light Extensions

Article 60—Fencourt Avenue	\$49.50	
Article 61—Cole Terrace	16.50	
Article 62—Stacy Street	115.50	
Article 63—Centre Street	33.00	
Article 64—Stetson High School Grounds (Fixtures)	140.00	
Article 65—Woodlawn Road	33.00	
Article 66—No. Main and Pleas- ant Streets	16.50	
	<hr/>	404.00

Miscellaneous

Article 71—Planning Board	\$150.00	
Article 74—Dental Clinic	1,000.00	
Article 75—Pumping Station Equipment	1,000.00	
Article 82—Game Warden's Salary	200.00	
Article 85—Stetson High School Driveway	1,200.00	
Article 88—Fire Alarm Box (Fencourt Avenue)	225.00	
Article 90—Fire Alarm Box (Old Street)	100.00	
Article 92—Old Street School (Grading, Driveway, Walks and Flag Pole)	2,000.00	
	<hr/>	5,875.00
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		\$283,305.53

Determination of Tax Rate, 1931

Total Town Appropriations	\$283,305.53
Chapter 391, Acts of 1931	115.69
Old Age Assistance	1,800.00

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County Tax	7,854.54	
State Tax	6,450.00	
Plus Overlay to Cover Abatements:		
1927	478.56	
1928	301.98	
1929	519.18	
1930	592.00	
1931	2,348.08	
Auditing Municipal Accounts Tax	1,492.18	
	<hr/>	\$305,257.74

Credits from various sources included in Tax Levy of 1931:

Income Tax	\$32,028.64
Motor Vehicle Tax	11,482.53
Chapter 428 Acts of 1931	5,320.41
Licenses	233.00
Fines	428.06
Special Assessments	160.50
General Government	38.10
Protection of Persons and Property	106.68
Health and Sanitation	558.43
Charities	1,510.00
Soldiers' Benefits	880.66
Schools	3,503.56
Public Service Enterprises	21,014.94
Interest on Deposits	406.15
Interest on Taxes and Assessments	3,848.41
All Others	2,156.71
Chapter 122, Acts of 1931 (Highway appropriation offset)	2,248.70
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	\$85,925.48

Less total credits from various sources:

Revenue from various sources	\$85,925.48
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Poll Tax	3,538.00	
Old Age Assistance	1,769.00	
	<hr/>	\$91,232.48
Total amount to be provided for through Tax Levy		214,025.26
Total assessed valuation		5,912,300.00
Tax Rate per \$1,000.00		36.20

Taxes Levied and Committed to Collector, 1931

Tax on Real and Personal		
Estate	\$214,025.26	
Poll Tax	3,538.00	
Old Age Assistance Tax	1,769.00	
Moth Tax	252.20	
Warrant of December 21st		
Real Estate	219.01	
Poll Tax	72.00	
Old Age Assistance Tax	36.00	
Excise Tax—July 15th	11,482.53	
Excise Tax—December 21st	2,055.88	
	<hr/>	\$233,449.88

Information Contained in the Table of Aggregates Prepared and Submitted to the State Commissioner

Number of residents and non-residents assessed for property	2,538
Number of persons assessed for Poll Tax only	1,769
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Total number of persons assessed	4,307
Number of horses assessed	41
Number of cows assessed	201
Number of neat cattle other than cows assessed	1
Number of swine assessed	925
Number of dwelling houses assessed	1,846
Number of fowl assessed	4,600

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Number of automobiles and trucks assessed:

July 15th committment	1,853	
December 21st commitment	563	
	<hr/>	2,416

VALUATION OF EXEMPTED PROPERTY

Religious Organizations:

First Baptist Church

Personal Estate	\$5,000.00	
Building	30,000.00	
Land	4,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$39,000.00

First Congregational Church

Personal Estate	\$5,000.00	
Building	35,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$45,000.00

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Personal Estate	\$5,000.00	
Buildings	100,000.00	
Land	6,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$111,000.00

Unitarian Church

Personal Estate	\$2,500.00	
Building	20,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$27,500.00

Episcopal Church

Personal Estate	\$1,500.00	
Building	7,000.00	
Land	2,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$11,000.00

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Methodist Church

Personal Estate	\$500.00	
Building	2,000.00	
Land	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,000.00

Literary Institutions:

Boston School for the Deaf

Personal Estate	\$25,000.00	
Buildings	340,000.00	
Land	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$375,000.00

Ladies' Library Association

Personal Estate	\$500.00	
Buildings (one-half value)	2,250.00	
Land (one-half value)	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,250.00

Turner Free Library

Personal Estate	\$25,000.00	
Building	40,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$70,000.00

Charitable Institutions:

Seth Mann 2nd Home for Aged Women

Personal Estate	\$2,500.00	
Buildings	12,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	19,500.00

Randolph Visiting Nurse Association

Personal Estate	\$500.00	
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Lieut. Thomas W. Desmond Post

Building Asso., Inc.		
Personal Estate	\$500.00	

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Buildings	5,400.00	
Land	1,200.00	
	<hr/>	\$7,100.00

Cemeteries:

St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery

Vault and Buildings	\$1,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,000.00

Central Cemetery

Vault and Buildings	\$2,000.00	
Land	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$7,000.00

Oakland Cemetery

Land		\$1,000.00
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Recapitulation

Religious Organizations	\$236,500.00	
Literary Institutions	449,250.00	
Charitable Institutions	20,000.00	
American Legion	7,100.00	
Cemetery Associations	14,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$726,850.00

Property Owned by Town for Public Use

Town Hall:

Personal Estate	\$5,000.00	
Building	50,000.00	
Land	12,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$67,500.00

Schools:

Personal Estate—Equipment and Supplies		\$50,000.00
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Prescott Primary School		
Building	\$10,500.00	
Land	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$12,000.00
Prescott Grammar School		
Building	\$23,500.00	
Land	4,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$27,500.00
Chestnut Street School		
Building	\$2,000.00	
Land	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,500.00
North Randolph School		
Building	\$9,000.00	
Land	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,000.00
Belcher School		
Building	\$14,000.00	
Land	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$15,000.00
Tower Hill School		
Building	\$4,500.00	
Land	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,000.00
Stetson High School		
Building	\$140,000.00	
Land	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$150,000.00
Fire Department:		
Engine House No. 1		
Building	\$4,000.00	

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Engine House No. 2	1,500.00	
Pumping Engine	2,500.00	
Combination Fire Truck	2,000.00	
Hook and Ladder Truck	6,000.00	
Steam Fire Engine	200.00	
Ford Truck with Chemicals	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$17,200.00
Police Department:		
Motorcycles	\$550.00	
Chevrolet Coach	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,050.00
Water Department:		
Buildings, one-half interest jointly owned by Town of Holbrook (including Pumping Station and Dwelling House)	\$20,000.00	
Land	7,000.00	
Piping system, machinery, tools, etc.	230,800.00	
	<hr/>	257,800.00
Vacant Land—Real Estate:		
Clark Lot	\$1,500.00	
North Street Lot	300.00	
E. Fannie Belcher Lot	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,800.00
Highway Department:		
Tool House	\$1,000.00	
Gasoline Roller	2,500.00	
1 Ton Tractor	500.00	
Equipment	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,500.00

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Infirmary:

Personal	\$1,500.00	
Buildings	7,000.00	
Land	2,000.00	
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		\$633,350.00

Report of Collector of Taxes

To the Citizens of the Town of Randolph:

Below you will find my annual report of levies committed to me. Also reports of your Auditors.
Randolph, Mass., January 14th, 1932.

Levy 1928

Dr.

December 31st, 1931:

Taxes Uncollected	\$2,393.63	
Interest Collected	285.07	
Adjustments	16.06	
	<hr/>	\$2,694.76

Credits

December 31st, 1931:

Taxes paid Treasurer	\$1,721.60	
Abatements	193.77	
Interest paid Treasurer	285.07	
Taxes Uncollected	494.32	
	<hr/>	\$2,694.76

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1928, and find same correct as per above statement.

JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

January 21st, 1932.

Term expires 1937.

Randolph, Mass., January 14th, 1932.

Levy 1929

Dr.

December 31st, 1931:

Taxes Uncollected	\$24,057.45	
Interest Collected	1,825.00	
Adjustments	20.84	
	<hr/>	\$25,903.29

Credits

December 31st, 1931:

Taxes paid Treasurer	\$18,091.69	
Interest paid Treasurer	1,825.00	
Tax Titles	749.36	
Abatements	773.35	
Taxes Uncollected	4,463.89	
	<hr/>	\$25,903.29

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1929, and find same correct as per above statement.

JAMES V. DONOVAN,
RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

January 25th, 1932.

Term expires 1937.

Randolph, Mass., January 14th, 1932.

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Levy 1930

Dr.

December 31st, 1931:

Taxes Uncollected	\$92,598.49	
Interest Collected	2,239.19	
Adjustment	71.52	
	<hr/>	\$94,909.20

Credits

December 31st, 1931:

By Taxes paid Treasurer	\$57,099.55	
By Abatements	1,184.55	
By Tax Titles	962.15	
By Interest paid Treasurer	2,239.19	
By Taxes Uncollected	33,423.76	
	<hr/>	\$94,909.20

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 21st, 1932.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector for the year 1930, and find same correct as per above statement.

RAYMOND L. MASON,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
Auditors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

January 25th, 1932.

Term expires 1937.

Randolph, Mass., January 14, 1932.

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Levy 1931

Dr.

December 31st, 1931:

July 15, 1931 Excise Tax	\$11,482.53	
July 15, 1931 Poll Tax	3,538.00	
July 15, 1931 Old Age Assistance Tax	1,769.00	
August 17, 1931 Real Es- tate and Personal Tax	214,277.46	
Dec. 21, 1931 Old Age Assistance Tax	36.00	
Dec. 21, 1931 Excise Tax	2,055.88	
Dec. 21, 1931 Omitted Assessment	291.01	
Adjustments	57.44	
Interest Collected	215.94	
	<hr/>	\$233,723.26

Credits

December 31st, 1931:

By Taxes paid Treasurer	\$129,190.31	
By Interest paid Treasurer	215.94	
Credits form State on Old Age Tax	36.00	
By Tax Titles	1,983.76	
By Abatements	2,132.37	
By Taxes Uncollected	100,164.88	
	<hr/>	\$233,723.26

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 21st, 1932.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax

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Collector for the year 1931, and find same correct as per above statement.

RAYMOND L. MASON,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
Auditors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

January 25th, 1932.

Term expires 1937.

Again, I wish to thank you all sincerely for your hearty co-operation.

Believe me, I am still your friend.

WALTER H. LYONS,
Elected fourteen consecutive years. Collector of Taxes.

Report of the Trustees of the Turner Free Library

Trustees 1931

Seth T. Crawford	President
Harold F. Howard	Vice-President
Frank W. Belcher	Treasurer
William H. Leavitt	Secretary
Walter F. Stephens	James H. Hurley
Harold W. MacAuley	

(Selectmen of Randolph Ex-Officiis)

Mrs. Alice M. T. Beach*	Raymond L. Mason
Asa F. French	Mrs. Helen W. Sabin
Frank N. French**	Joseph D. Wales
Herman W. French	Albert C. Wilde

Mrs. Sallie W. Crawford (elected to fill vacancy).

Benjamin P. Crowell (elected to fill vacancy).

*Deceased February 22, 1931.

**Deceased January 4, 1931.

PUBLIC LIBRARY

To the Citizens of Randolph:

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 3 of the By-laws of The Turner Free Library, this report, covering the calendar year 1931, and being the fifty-sixth annual report, is submitted, showing the condition of the trust consisting of the building, library, and funds, together with the reports of the Librarian and Treasurer and so much of the reports submitted to the Trustees by the various committees as seems of general interest.

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The Library Committee reports that the books, charts, and furnishings are in good condition and that all books belonging to the library are accounted for by the Librarian.

The Building Committee reports that a very considerable amount of work has been done upon the exterior and interior of the building. During the year the flashings of the roof were found to be in a badly deteriorated condition in a good many places and repairs and renovations have been made to these flashings. The upper portions of the woodwork on the outside of the building have been painted and chimney repairs have been made. It was planned to carry out a renovation of the delivery room, reading room and reference room by cleaning, washing, tinting and painting the walls and ceilings and by refinishing the woodwork, along the lines of the renovation carried out in 1930 in the entrance hall. During the summer, however, the Boiler Inspection Department of the Commonwealth, upon an inspection of the boiler, refused to permit its further use without extensive replacement of cracked sections and strongly advised the installation of a new boiler. Upon investigation, it was deemed advisable and better economy to replace the old boiler, which had been in use for twenty-two years, with a new one. The new boiler was installed and is giving good service. The expense involved in connection with the boiler was such as to require the postponement, until additional funds could be made available, of a part of the hoped for interior renovation. Therefore, this work was carried out in the delivery room and reading room only, and the renovation of the reference room has had to be postponed.

It is hoped that during 1932 the last mentioned room may be taken care of in a similar manner to the others and also that further work may be done upon

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the exterior of the building, including the painting of the cornice at the top of the stone work.

The work done upon the exterior and interior of the building during 1931, including the purchase and installation of the new boiler, necessitated the expenditure of \$392.01 in excess of the appropriation made by the Town, and an appropriation of \$500.00 is requested for the current year to cover the cost of the work mentioned in the last preceding paragraph and such other exterior and interior repairs as may from time to time be necessary.

The Librarian's report indicates satisfactory progress in the use of the Library, particularly in view of the fact that the work of renovation required a substantially longer summer closing than usual. During the year arrangements have been made with the Division of Public Libraries of the Department of Education of the Commonwealth for the loan to the library of groups of books, including books on child psychology.

The trustees again desire to express their appreciation of the excellent and painstaking services rendered by the Librarian, Miss Eunice L. Belcher, and by her assistants, Miss Ellen P. Henry and Mrs. Ellen C. Elden.

The report of the Librarian showing in detail the doings, management and results of the various departments of the library, the report of the Treasurer showing the investment of the funds and the receipts and expenditures of the library, and the report of the Finance Committee are hereunto subjoined.

Respectfully submitted,

SETH T. CRAWFORD,
President, Board of Trustees.

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REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

Randolph, Mass., January 19, 1932.

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

I have the honor to submit the annual report of the Librarian for the year ending December 31, 1931.

Due to the redecorating of the interior of the Library, the Library was closed for five weeks, from August 1 until September 8, but it is interesting to note that with the Library closed for this length of time, the circulation of books increased slightly over last year, 20,009 books having been loaned and 330 unbound magazines.

We have issued 321 borrower's cards, making a total of 2982 cards in use.

There have been 382 books added during the past year; 319 purchased, 32 gifts and 31 bound magazines. This makes a total of 32,353 accessioned volumes. A new magazine, "House and Garden" has been added to our list making a total of 36 magazines.

The reference room is used a great deal by the teachers and pupils of our schools and every possible assistance is given them by the librarian. We have also been glad to aid in the work of the leaders of the Child Psychology Classes.

I wish to express my appreciation of the increasing interest and cooperation of the trustees and the faithful services of my assistants, Miss Ellen P. Henry and Mrs. Ellen C. Elden.

Respectfully submitted,

EUNICE L. BELCHER,

Randolph, Mass., January 2, 1932.

Librarian.

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REPORT OF THE TREASURER

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

In compliance with the requirements of the By-Laws, I hereby submit the annual report of the Treasurer of the Turner Free Library:

There has been a loss of \$116.50 in the income of the Royal W. Turner Fund the past year, four companies having omitted or reduced some of their dividends as follows:

California Packing Corp.	\$40.00
N. Y. Central R. R. Co.	24.00
Illinois Central R. R. Co.	32.50
Southern Railway Co.	20.00

Income Receipts

Turner Fund Income	\$581.81
R. W. Turner Fund Income	1,004.94
Boston Elevated Ry. Bonds income	225.00
Brockton Gas Light., rent and heat	400.00
Wm. H. Morgan, rent and heat	400.00
Fines and collections	113.10
Randolph Savings Bank, interest	14.41
Randolph Trust Co., Savs. acct. interest	29.10
Randolph Trust Co., checking acct. int.	9.28
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	\$2,777.64

Balance income cash on hand Jan. 1, 1931, on deposit in Randolph Trust Com- pany and Randolph Savings Bank	<hr/>
	\$1,857.86
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	\$4,635.50

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Disbursement Account Income

Books	\$414.79
Periodicals	107.09
Rebinding books	104.45
Librarian, salary	600.00
Assistant librarian, salary	275.50
Janitor, salary	300.00
Electric light and bulbs	115.90
Safe Deposit Box, rent	10.00
Repairs	392.01
Fuel	221.46
Printing	21.50
Supplies	11.09
Sundries	36.65
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	\$2,610.44
Balance income cash on hand, January 1, 1932, on deposit in Randolph Trust Co. and Randolph Savings Bank	\$2,025.06
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	\$4,635.50

The Turner Fund Is Invested In:

	Par	Book
1 N. Y. Central & Hudson R. R. Co. bond 4%-1934	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
1 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bond 4%-1956	1,000.00	1,000.00
2 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bonds 5%-1956	2,000.00	2,000.00
3 Pere Marquette R. R. Co. Bonds 5%-1956	300.00	300.00
3 Union Pacific R. R. Co. Bonds 4%-1947	1,500.00	1,500.00
1 Western Tel. & Tel. Co. Bond 5%-1932	1,000.00	1,000.00
1 Western Tel. & Tel. Co. Bond 5%-1932	1,000.00	1,008.76
10 Shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y.	1,000.00	902.16
10 Shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y.	no par value	
33 Shares Union Pacific R. R. Co. pfd. 4%	3,300.00	3,300.00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank		308.56
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		\$12,319.48

The Royal W. Turner Fund Is Invested In:

3 Philadelphia Co. Bonds	5%-1967	3,000.00	2,946.00
2 Indianapolis Power & Light Co. bonds	5%-1957	2,000.00	1,924.00

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2 Brooklyn Manhattan Transit Co. bonds 6%-1968	2,000.00	1,872.50
2 Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific R. R. 4%-1934	2,000.00	1,799.27
5 New York Tel. Co. Bonds 4½%-1939	5,000.00	5,000.00
2 Rio Grande Western R. R. Co. Bonds 4½%-1949	2,000.00	1,596.01
20 shares California Packing Corp.	no par value	1,205.66
10 shares N. Y. Central R. R. Co.	1,000.00	1,205.66
10 shares Illinois Central R. R. Co.	1,000.00	1,162.74
10 shares Southern Railway Co.	1,000.00	1,067.41
2 shares N. Y. Central R. R. Co.	200.00	200.00
1 share N. Y. Central R. R. Co.	100.00	107.00
2 shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y.	no par val.	150.00
2 shares Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y.	no par val.	
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank		384.34
		<u>\$20,662.25</u>
The remaining funds are invested in:		
5 Boston Elevated Railway Bonds 4½%-1937	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00

BILLS PAID BY TOWN OF RANDOLPH, 1931

Town Appropriation of		\$1,000.00
F. J. Curran, new boiler	\$450.00	
John T. Boyle, decorating	550.00	
	<u> </u>	\$1,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK W. BELCHER,

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 2, 1932.

Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

Your committee on Finance submits the following report:

The committee has audited the accounts of the Treasurer for the year 1931, and found them correct. All moneys received have been duly accounted for,

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and no moneys have been paid out except upon vouchers properly approved.

The committee has examined, also, the securities representing the investments of the funds of the Library, and has found them to be intact, and as represented.

RAYMOND L. MASON,

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 18, 1932.

Chairman.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the Turner Free Library and find same correct, with proper vouchers for all expenses, and have examined the securities and verified cash balances and find same correct, as per statement.

RAYMOND L. MASON,

JAMES V. DONOVAN.

January 18, 1932.

Norfolk, ss.

Randolph, Massachusetts.

Subscribed and sworn to before me.

JOHN B. McNEILL,

Notary Public.

Report of the Board of Health

Randolph, Mass, January 18, 1932.

To the Citizens of the Town of Randolph:

The Randolph Board of Health respectfully submits their report for the year ending December 31, 1931.

Previous to the year 1931 the duties of the Board of Health devolved upon the Selectmen of the Town. Due to the growth of the Town and the resultant increase in the work of the Selectmen, it was believed advantageous to organize a separate Board of Health. Accordingly, it was voted at the Annual Town Meeting in March 1931 to organize such a Board for the provision of Chapter 41, Section 1, of the General Laws relative to a Board of Health. The undersigned, members subsequently elected to the Board, believed it to be to the best interest of the Town to adopt the uniform regulations recommended by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in wide use in other towns in the Commonwealth. These regulations designed to protect the health of the community and provide desirable standards, have been reproduced below, in order that the voters may be familiar with the contents. The Board have inspected 35 provision stores, 2 factories, 2 garages and have found them satisfactory in most cases. Where improvements have been required, they have been complied with.

Many complaints have been received by the Board citing conditions which were objectionable and not in accord with the standard set by the new regulation. These complaints have been promptly investigated and

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acted upon. The result has been an improvement in conditions directly effecting the health of the residents of the Town. We wish at this time to urge that the residents take advantage of the existance of the public dump in disposing of waste material. An adequate space has been provided at the rear of 78 Lafayette street for that purpose. It's use will remove the unsightly and unsanitary conditions created by promiscuous dumping of such material by the roadsides. We would recommend the turning of Pine Tree brook at Liberty street, to enter the brook that drains into Broad Meadows. Thereby disposing of a large amount of pollution that eventually finds its way into our water supply at Great Pond. Drainage of low land is a problem that must be taken care of in the near future. We have issued 3 undertakers, 1 slaughtering, 6 cesspool, 6 garbage, 6 piggeries, 12 alchol, and 6 hairdressing permits.

The following is a summary of contagious diseases reported to the Board of Health.

Measles	39
Chicken Pox	14
Tuberculosis (2 deaths)	7
Cat bite	1
Dog Bites	21
Scarlet Fever	11
Whooping Cough	6
Lobar Pneumonia (with death)	1

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**GENERAL HEALTH
REGULATIONS OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH
RANDOLPH, MASS.**

CHAPTER I

**Control of Communicable Disease
Statutory Authority**

General Laws, Chapter 111, Section 31, as amended by Chapter 180 of the Acts of 1924, states:

“Boards of health may make reasonable health regulations. All regulations made by boards of health under this chapter shall be published once in a newspaper published in the town, and such publication shall be notice to all persons.”

How to Draw Up Public Health Laws and Regulations

Delegated Authority

The legislature has delegated to the local boards of health of cities and towns the right to enact certain rules and regulations with certain penalties for violation thereof. (General Laws, Chapter 111, Section 122 and Section 127.) Such “rules and regulations” of local boards of health are, if properly enacted, penal laws, and complaints for violation thereof may be tried in the courts of the Commonwealth and convictions result as in the case of violation of any law.

1. Definitions

The following words as used in these regulations, unless a different meaning is required by the context, or is specifically prescribed, shall have the following meanings:

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“Board of Health” shall include the Board, Department, or officer having like powers and duties in cities or towns.

“Carrier”—A person who, without demonstrable symptoms of a communicable disease, harbors and disseminates the specific infectious agent.

“Contact”—Any person or animal known to have been sufficiently near to an infected person or animal to have been presumably exposed to infectious material directly, or by articles freshly soiled with such material.

“Isolation”—By “isolation” is meant the separating of a person suffering from a communicable disease, or a carrier of the infecting organism, from other persons, in such places and under such conditions as will prevent the direct or indirect conveyance of the infectious agent to susceptible persons.

“Quarantine”^{*}—By “quarantine” is meant the limitation of freedom of movement of persons who have been exposed to communicable disease, for a period of time equal to the usual incubation period of the disease to which they have been exposed.

^{*} In view of the various ambiguous and inaccurate uses to which the words isolation and quarantine are frequently put, it has seemed that to adopt arbitrarily the word isolation as describing the limitation put upon the movements of the known sick or “carrier” individual (or animal), and the word quarantine as describing the limitations put upon exposed or “contact” individuals.

“Incubation period”—By “incubation period” is meant the usual period of time which elapses between the exposure of a person to infection and the development of the symptoms of the disease to which he may have been exposed.

“Susceptibles or Non-Immunes”—A “susceptible” or “non-immune” person is one who is not known to have acquired immunity to the particular communicable disease in question.

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“Immunes”—An “immune” person is one who has had the disease or has been artificially immunized against it, and is, presumably, protected against another attack.

“Last Exposure”—By this is meant the date of the removal to a hospital, or the recovery or death of the patient, or the date on which the non-immune contact leaves and remains out of the house where the patient is.

2. Diseases Dangerous to the Public Health

The diseases known as

Actinomycosis

Anterior Poliomyelitis

Anthrax

Asiatic Cholera

Chicken Pox

Diphtheria

Dog-Bite

Dysentery—a. Amebic; b. Bacillary

Encephalitis Lethargica

Epidemic Cerebro-spinal Meningitis

German Measles

Glanders

Gonorrhea

Hookworm Disease

Infectious diseases of the eye—a. Ophthalmia neonatorum; b. Suppurative Conjunctivitis; c. Trachoma

Influenza

Leprosy

Lobar Pneumonia

Malaria

Measles

Mumps

Paratyphoid Fever A

Paratyphoid Fever B

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Pellagra
Plague
Rabies
Scarlet Fever
Septic Sore Throat
Syphilis
Smallpox
Tetanus
Trichinosis
Tuberculosis (all forms)
Typhoid Fever
Typhus Fever
Undulant Fever
Whooping Cough
Yellow Fever

having been declared to be diseases dangerous to the public health, are reportable under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 111, Sections 6, 7, 109, 111 and 112, and notice of the occurrence of each case must be sent to the Board of Health in the manner required by the statute.

3. Physicians to Give Notice

Section 111, Chapter 111, General Laws—"If a physician knows that a person whom he visits is infected with smallpox, diphtheria, scarlet fever or any other disease declared by the department dangerous to the public health, or if either eye of an infant whom or whose mother a physician, or a hospital medical officer registered under section nine of chapter one hundred and twelve, visits becomes inflamed, swollen and red, or shows an unnatural discharge within two weeks after birth, he shall immediately give written notice thereof, over his own signature, to the Board of Health of the town; and if he refuses or neglects to give such notice he shall forfeit not less than fifty nor more than two hundred dollars."

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4. **Householders to Give Notice**

When a householder knows that a person within his family or house is sick with a disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Board of Health in the manner required by the statute (General Laws, Chapter 111, Section 109), provided, however, that in cases in which a physician has been called in, his notification will be accepted in place of the householder.

5. **Infectious Diseases of the Eye**

(Ophthalmia Neonatorum)

Section 110, Chapter 111, General Laws—"If either eye of an infant becomes inflamed, swollen and red, or shows an unnatural discharge within two weeks after birth, the nurse relative or other attendant having charge of such infant shall report in writing, within six hours thereafter, to the Board of Health of the town where the infant is, the fact that such inflammation, swelling and redness of the eyes or unnatural discharge exists. On receipt of such report, or of notice of the same symptoms given by a physician as provided by the following sections, the Board of Health shall take such immediate action as it may deem necessary, including, so far as may be possible, consultation with an oculist and the employment of a trained nurse, in order that blindness may be prevented. Whoever violates this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars."

6. **Period of Isolation in Certain Diseases**

A person who is sick with any of the following diseases shall be isolated for the following periods:

Anterior poliomyelitis (Infantile paralysis)—
Two weeks from the onset of the disease and thereafter until acute symptoms have subsided.

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Chicken pox—One week from the appearance of the eruption and thereafter until all crusts have disappeared.

Diphtheria—One week from the date of onset and thereafter until two successive negative cultures taken at least 24 hours apart shall have been obtained from both throat and nose.

Epidemic Cerebro-spinal meningitis—Two weeks from the onset of the disease and thereafter until all acute symptoms have subsided.

German measles—One week from the appearance of the rash.

Measles—One week from the appearance of the rash.

Mumps—One week from the onset of the disease and thereafter until all swelling of the salivary glands shall have disappeared.

Scarlet Fever—Four weeks from the appearance of the rash, and thereafter until all complications shall have subsided and the abnormal discharges from the ears, nose, throat or other body surfaces shall have ceased.

Smallpox—Three weeks from the onset of the disease and thereafter until all crusts have disappeared and the skin has healed.

Typhoid Fever—One week after the subsidence of the clinical symptoms and thereafter until 2 successive negative stool and urine specimens, secured at an interval of at least one week, shall have been obtained; provided that a person who continues to be a carrier

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may be released under supervision of and after special permission by the Board of Health.

Whooping Cough—Three weeks from the beginning of the spasmodic cough.

7. Isolation of Sick Persons

Whoever is sick with anterior poliomyelitis (infantile paralysis), diphtheria, epidemic cerebro-spinal meningitis, scarlet fever, smallpox, typhoid fever, or any other disease declared dangerous to the public health that the Board of Health may designate, shall immediately be moved to a hospital set apart for the treatment of such diseases, or to some isolated place or room, approved by the Board of Health, or its agent, and no person so isolated shall leave such hospital or room until the period of isolation for the disease with which he is sick shall have elapsed and until the Board of Health or its agent shall permit him to do so.

8. Placards

Houses or portions of houses in which there is a person sick with anterior poliomyelitis (infantile paralysis), epidemic cerebro-spinal meningitis, diphtheria, scarlet fever, small pox or any other disease which the Board of Health may designate shall be placarded with a card bearing the name of the disease with which the person is sick.*

* In the case of tenement houses, apartment houses or like structures as much of the building shall be placarded as in the judgment of the Board of Health is consistent with the best interests of the public. The card shall not be removed except on the authority of the Board of Health.

9. Who May Enter Place of Isolation

No person except physicians, nurses and those whose duty it is to minister to the patient, shall be allowed to enter the place of isolation during the con-

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tinuance of the disease, unless permitted to do so by the Board of Health or its agent.

10. Nurses, etc.

Nurses and others caring for a person isolated as above, shall wash their hands thoroughly with hot water, soap and scrubbing brush immediately after handling the patient, his discharges or any article soiled by his discharges before mingling with others. They shall change their outer clothing before going out.

11. Dishes, Linen, etc.

All eating utensils and linen used by the patient shall be boiled for at least 15 minutes immediately after being taken from the room. Upon release of the patient woolen articles shall be exposed to sunlight and air for at least 8 hours.

12. Discharges, etc.

The discharges of a person sick with typhoid fever or dysentery shall be mixed with chloride of lime or other disinfectant approved by the Board of Health and shall be kept in contact therewith for at least 30 minutes before being emptied into the hopper or privy vault.

13. Restraint in Certain Diseases

A person sick with chicken pox, german measles, measles, mumps, or whooping cough shall be restricted to the house or premises until the period of isolation for the disease with which he is sick shall have elapsed. In the case of flagrant violation of this rule, the Board of Health may impose strict isolation upon the patient.

14. Procedure in Other Diseases Dangerous to the Public Health

A person sick with other diseases dangerous to the public health shall be subject to such restraint as the

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Board of Health may deem necessary for the protection of the public and shall be released after such time and in such manner as the Board of Health may deem best.

15. Release From Isolation

No person who has been sick with any of the diseases mentioned in Section 6, shall be released from isolation until the minimum period of isolation for the disease with which he has been sick shall have elapsed.

16. Management of Contacts

Unless otherwise permitted by the Board of Health, children contacts in families in which there is a case of any of the diseases mentioned below, shall be excluded from school and other public places for the following periods:

Anterior poliomyelitis (infantile paralysis) until two weeks have elapsed from the date of last exposure.

Epidemic Cerebro-spinal meningitis until 10 days have elapsed from the date of last exposure.

Diphtheria until one week has elapsed from the date of last exposure unless shown to be immune by a Shick test and until two negative nose and throat cultures taken at an interval of not less than 24 hours shall have been obtained.

Measles until 16 days have elapsed from the date of last exposure unless immunized by a previous attack.

Scarlet Fever until one week has elapsed from the date of last exposure unless immunized by a previous attack.

Smallpox until three weeks have elapsed from the date of last exposure unless immunized by a previous attack, by a recent successful vaccination or showing the immunity reaction.

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Whooping cough until two weeks have elapsed from the date of last exposure unless immunized by a previous attack.

No restrictions shall be imposed upon adult contacts except:

(a) School teachers shall be subject to the same restrictions as children.

(b) Food handlers living in a family in which a case of diphtheria or scarlet fever exists shall be subject to the same restrictions as children.

(c) Food handlers living in a family in which a case of typhoid fever exists shall be excluded from their occupation so long as they continue to live in the same house in which the case exists.

17. Immune Children (Certain Diseases)

Diphtheria (a) Children in a family in which there is a case of diphtheria, and who are immune to the disease as shown by a Schick test or on the basis of a previous attack of the disease, may return to school provided they live away from home, provided the case is hospitalized and if two consecutive negative nose and throat cultures taken at an interval of not less than 24 hours have been obtained.

Scarlet Fever (b) Children in a family in which there is a case of scarlet fever and who have had the disease as shown by the records of the Board of Health or by a signed statement from the parent or guardian that they have had the disease elsewhere, may continue at school during the course of the disease provided they live away from home or the case is hospitalized.

Measles and Whooping Cough (c) Children in a family in which there is a case of measles or whooping cough, and who have had the disease as shown by the

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records of the Board of Health or by a signed statement from the parent or guardian that they have had the disease elsewhere may continue in school during the course of the disease.

18. School Certificates

Children who have recovered from any disease declared dangerous to the public health (see Section 2) must, unless otherwise ruled by the Board of Health, obtain a certificate from the Board of Health before they can be readmitted to school. These certificates will be issued, when in the opinion of the Board of Health it is safe for them to return. (See Sections 16 and 17).

19. Smallpox

In the event of the occurrence of smallpox, the Board of Health may assume control of the house and inmates, if in its opinion the safety of the public requires such procedure.

CHAPTER II

Milk Regulations

1. No person, firm or corporation shall sell, exchange, deliver or have in his custody with intent so to do, milk from any cow unless said cow has within a period of 6 months passed without reaction a tuberculin test as established under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, or unless said cow is in a tuberculosis-free accredited herd tested under the plan as adopted by the United States Bureau of Animal Industry.

This regulation shall not apply to pasteurized milk or milk intended for pasteurization.

2. All persons, firms, or corporations engaged in the sale, delivery or distribution of milk, skim milk or

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cream shall provide adequate facilities for the proper storage of said milk, skim milk or cream at a temperature not above 50° F.

3. No person shall sell, exchange, deliver or have in his custody or possession with intent so to do, milk with a bacterial content which exceeds the following figures as determined by the standard plate methods of the American Public Health Association in use at the time the examination is made. The accepted figure shall be the median of the analyses of not less than 3 nor more than 7 samples taken from different containers at substantially the same time.

a. Raw milk not more than colonies per cubic centimeter.

b. Pasteurized milk not more than 50,000 colonies per cubic centimeter.

State regulations provide the following additional limits:

c. Raw milk intended for pasteurization not more than 750,000 per cubic centimeter.

d. Pasteurized milk until time of delivery from pasteurizing establishment, not more than 50,000 per cubic centimeter.

e. Raw milk intended for pasteurization as Grade A milk, not more than 250,000 colonies per cubic centimeter.

f. Grade A milk not more than 25,000 colonies.

4. Every person engaged in the production, storage, transportation, sale, delivery or distribution of milk for sale shall notify the Board of Health on the occurrence of any case or cases of communicable disease, either in himself or his family, or among his employees or associates, or within the building or premises where milk is stored or handled, and shall at the same

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time suspend the sale or distribution of milk until authorized to resume the same by the Board of Health. No utensil which is used or has been used on the premises where a communicable disease exists shall be used to hold or convey milk until it has been sterilized in a manner satisfactory to the Board of Health or its representative.

5. All persons, firms, or corporations engaged in the sale, delivery or distribution of milk shall furnish annually to the Board of Health a list of names and locations of the dairy farms from which the milk so distributed or sold is obtained and shall notify the Board of Health before making any changes in their supply.

6. All dealers, except licensed storekeepers, engaged in the sale, processing, and distribution of milk and cream shall provide a separate room or rooms, well lighted, ventilated, and properly screened, in a location approved by the Board of Health, in which the handling, bottling and storing of milk shall be carried on. All such milk rooms or plants shall have a smooth, tight floor with sewer connections if possible, and smooth, clean walls and ceiling. The entire room or rooms and all appliances shall be kept clean at all times and be used for the handling of milk only. All bottles, cans or other receptacles used for holding milk shall be sterilized insofar as practicable and shall be protected from contamination between the time of such sterilization and the time when they are filled. All bottles shall be filled at the place of production or processing of the milk and shall be capped with a machine capper.

7. No person shall serve or allow to be served any milk to be consumed on the premises where served unless such milk is contained in individual sealed receptacles, each receptacle to be filled at the place of production or processing of the milk, and to contain

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only the quantity of milk intended for the use of the person served.

8. Milk or cream shall not be shipped from any dairy farm if there is a case of contagious or infectious disease thereon, or among the employees or families thereof, and the owner of such farm shall immediately report any such case to this Board of Health and to the dealer and shipment shall not be resumed until authorized by the Board.

CHAPTER IV

Nuisances

Section 1. Any person or persons owning, or having control of any building or premises shall keep the same in a cleanly condition and any such person having control of any building or premises in or upon which there is any substance or material, or any condition, which is or may become a source of danger to the public health or a nuisance shall, when ordered by the Board of Health in writing, remove or abate the same within the time specified in said order.

Section 2. Any person or persons owning or having control of any premises abutting on a private way, and having the right to use such private way shall, when ordered by the Board of Health in writing, remove or abate from that part of said private way adjoining such premises; any substance, material or condition, which is, or may become a menace to the public health or a nuisance, and such removal or abatement shall take place within the time specified in said order.

Section 3. House offal, commonly called garbage or swill, shall be placed in suitable water tight receptacles properly covered and so located that the house offal may be easily removed by persons authorized by the Board of Health. Receptacles used for the storing

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of house offal, shall at all times be kept in a reasonably clean condition. No metal, glass, crockery, poisonous substance or substances other than house offal shall be placed in such receptacles.

Section 4. No person or persons shall remove or transport or cause to be removed or transported in or from this town, in any public street, court, lane or way, any house offal, meat trimmings, grease or bones or other offensive material, without first registering with the Board of Health, and provided further that he shall remove and transport the material herein mentioned in accordance with such reasonable rules and regulations as may be established by the said Board. All such registrations expire annually on April 30, and may be revoked by the Board at any time for cause. No person, firm or corporation shall be registered without first paying to the clerk of said Board for the use of the town, the sum of two (2) dollars. Carts or vehicles used for transporting offensive material shall be water tight and shall be securely covered with a wood, iron or canvas cover while the vehicle is in motion.

Section 5. No person or persons shall place or cause to be placed or left in or upon any public or private street or way, enclosure or grounds, or in any body of stream of water within the limits of this town, the body of any dead animal, fowl, or any substance or material that is, or may become offensive or cause a nuisance.

Section 6. The owner, agent or lessee of any land or enclosure, used as a dump, either public or private, shall cause all offensive matter dumped thereon to be immediately covered, and all other refuse matter dumped thereon to be kept leveled, and the premises kept in such a manner as to cause no nuisance during the process of filling. No person shall dump any offensive material upon any dump unless permitted to do so

by the Board of Health, and all such offensive materials shall be properly buried or otherwise disposed of to the approval of the Board of Health. All possible care shall be used in preventing the escape of dust and papers from the dump and from the vehicles used in conveying waste materials to the dump.

Section 7. No owner, occupant or agent of any building or premises shall permit any sewage, garbage, contents or drainage of a privy vault, cesspool or water closet or sink drain or any other filth to empty on the surface of the ground or enter into any ditch, brook, stream or body of water unless especially permitted to do so by the Board of Health.

CHAPTER V

Cesspools, Privy-Vaults and Public Sewers

Section 1. The owner or other person or persons having control of any existing building or buildings hereafter erected or converted into a dwelling to be occupied by one or more families, and from which a public sewer is accessible, shall, in a manner and within a period of time satisfactory to the Board of Health, cause such building to be connected with such public sewer or cesspool.

Section 2. The owner or other person or persons having control of any existing building or buildings hereafter erected or converted into one or more stores or other places of business, and in which one or more persons are employed, shall provide sufficient toilet facilities, and wherever a public sewer is accessible, shall, in a manner and within a period of time satisfactory to the Board of Health, cause such stores or other places of business to be connected with such public sewer or cesspool.

Section 3. No cesspool, permanent privy-vault, or other means of sewage disposal shall hereafter be

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constructed or installed in this town until a permit has first been obtained from the Board of Health.

Section 4. All cesspools hereafter constructed shall be of approved material, and unless otherwise specified by the Board of Health, shall be located not less than twenty (20) feet from any dwelling, not less than five (5) feet from line of any street, court or passageway, not less than five (5) feet from line of adjoining lot, all measurements being taken from the nearest outer circumference and shall be not less than six (6) feet in depth, measuring from the lower rim of the inlet pipe, not less than six (6) feet in diameter, (inside measurements to point of drawing in) and shall be provided with an iron cover and rim laid in cement. Overflow cesspools may be entirely covered with earth.

Section 5. No permanent privy-vault shall be constructed, or maintained on premises which are provided with a public water supply. All permanent privy-vaults, hereafter constructed, shall be of approved material, and shall be fly proof, and unless otherwise specified shall be located not less than twenty (20) feet from any dwelling, not less than twenty (20) feet from line of adjoining lot, and not less than twenty (20) feet from line of any street, court or passageway, all measurements being taken from nearest outer point of vault.

Section 6. Temporary privy-vaults for the convenience of constructors or their employees may be erected or installed without a permit, but only under the following conditions: The vault must be at least two feet in depth and must be so located as to cause no annoyance to persons residing in the vicinity. The owner, contractor or agent shall cause the contents thereof to be treated in a sanitary manner, and im-

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mediately upon completion of the contract the contractor shall remove the privy, shall fill in the vault and leave the premises in a condition satisfactory to the Board of Health.

Section 7. No indoor toilet or water closet, except that which is provided with proper means of flushing with water at time of using, where water is available, shall be hereafter installed on any premises in this town. Where water is not available for flushing, indoor chemical toilets of approved material and construction may be installed under special permit of the Board of Health, if proper provision is made for the final disposal of the contents thereof.

Section 8. Whenever a water closet, privy-vault, cesspool or drain becomes offensive or obstructed, the owner, agent or occupant of the premises shall cause same to be cleaned and made free or otherwise corrected.

Section 9. Every owner, occupant, or agent of premises in which there is any private sewer, drain, privy-vault, or cesspool shall keep the same in a sanitary condition and shall have every privy-vault and cesspool emptied and cleaned when necessary or at such times as ordered by the Board of Health. No privy-vault or cesspool shall be emptied except by such parties and in such manner as shall be especially authorized by the Board of Health. If the owner or occupant fails to comply with such order, the Board may cause the nuisance, source of filth, or cause of sickness to be removed, and all expenses incurred thereby shall be paid by the person who caused or permitted same, if he has had actual notice from the Board of Health of the existence thereof.

CHAPTER VI

Horses, Cows, Goats, Swine and Poultry

Section 1. No person shall keep within the limits of this town, in any building, or on any premises of which he may be the owner, lessee, tenant or occupant, any cows, goats or swine, without a permit from the Board of Health. All such permits expire annually on April 30, and may be revoked by the Board at any time for cause.

Section 2. The owners or persons in control of any building or premises, in which cows, goats, live fowl or swine are kept, shall keep the buildings and premises clean and free from decaying food, filth, dirt and stagnant water. The buildings and pens shall be white-washed or disinfected and put in such condition as may be ordered by the Board of Health.

Section 3. The owner or other person or persons having control of any existing building or buildings hereafter erected or converted into a barn for the stabling of horses or other domestic animals shall keep their barns, stables and yards clean, and shall provide a pit constructed of cement or other suitable material for the reception of manure and other refuse matter. Wherever a public sewer is accessible, the Board of Health will decide as to the advisability of connecting such building with such public sewer.

CHAPTER VII

Offensive Trades, Occupations and Practices

Section 1. The Board of Health may prohibit the exercise of the following trades or employments, viz: Those of slaughtering animals, of rendering animal matter, of manufacturing fertilizers and soaps, of mixing or storing of refuse or vegetable substances, of smoking fish or meat, of refining oils, of making egg

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dressings, varnish, glue, gas, gasoline or any burning fluid, except at the place or places where such trades or unemployments are now lawfully established or which may hereafter be assigned by the Board, such trades, or employments being either nuisances or hurtful to the town, attended by noisome odors or otherwise injurious or dangerous to the public health.

Section 2. No old rags, old papers or other refuse material shall be brought into or allowed to remain within any building used as a dwelling if gathered from any source outside of such building.

Section 3. No person shall sell or offer for sale any second-hand wearing apparel, bedding, household furniture or household utensils that have been exposed to any communicable disease, or that is infected with vermin until the same has been cleansed and disinfected in a manner satisfactory to the Board of Health.

CHAPTER VIII

Ice

Section 1. No person, by himself or by his agent, or as the servant or agent of any other person, firm or corporation shall sell, exchange or deliver, or have in his or their possession with intent to sell, exchange or deliver, any ice from polluted sources, or ice which upon chemical or bacteriological examination shows evidence of sewage or other objectionable contamination, or which is visibly polluted or soiled by dirt, or ice in or upon which there is any visible foreign matter.

CHAPTER IX

General

Section 1. Whoever violates any of these rules and regulations shall forfeit a sum not exceeding one

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hundred dollars (\$100) except when otherwise provided by law or by these regulations.

Changes in Regulations

The Board of Health may from time to time amend or abrogate any of the above regulations, if in its opinion the safety of the public requires such action.

ARTHUR L. MANN, Chairman,
WILLIAM M. COLBY, M. D., Sec'y,
WILLIAM E. BUCK, M. D.,

Board of Health,

Town of Randolph, Mass.

Dec. 28, 1931.

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REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING

January 12, 1932.

To the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Randolph:
Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report as Plumbing Inspector from May 20 to December 31, 1931.

There have been 54 permits issued to install plumbing, of this number 47 have passed inspection, and 7 are held over for final inspection. There have been installed in new and old houses the following fixtures: 56 closets, 40 lavatories, 37 bath-tubs, 40 sinks, 27 wash trays, 8 urinals, 2 drinking fountains, 5 refrigerator wastes, 4 showers, 29 pressure boilers, 1 grease trap, the estimated value of which was \$14,220. The number of old and new buildings in which plumbing was installed are as follows:

28 old 1 family houses, 17 new 1 family houses, 2 new 2 family houses, 2 old stores, 1 garage, 2 old school houses, 1 new school house and 1 restaurant. The following Plumbing Regulations were adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR L. MANN,
Plumbing Inspector.

**TOWN OF RANDOLPH
RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR PLUMBING
REGISTRATION**

SECTION 1. After acceptance of the following plumbing regulations all persons who desire to engage in, carry on or work at the business of plumbing within this jurisdiction shall be registered by the State Ex-

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aminers of Plumbers, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 142, General Laws.

PERMITS

SECTION 2. Upon application of a registered master plumber only, on form furnished by the Board of Health, said Board shall grant written permit to do certain plumbing described therein, when in conformity with the law. Drawings of proposed work shall be filed if required. Permits may be recalled by the Board of Health if conditions are violated. Permits for all plumbing, except repair or leaks, must be in the hands of the plumber before beginning work.

DRAINAGE SYSTEM

SECTION 4. The drain from a point 5 feet outwardly from inside of wall, and not less than 4 inches in diameter shall continue with at least $\frac{1}{4}$ inch rise per foot to and through roof to a height of at least 2 feet in any case, and 1 foot above any window or opening within 15 feet. No running traps shall be installed at the entrance to building except on the special recommendation of the Board of Health. Connections and changes in direction shall be made with a long angle and long sweep bends and Y branches. Soil and waste pipes shall not have less than the following diameters:

Minimum branch waste	1½
Branch waste for urinals	1½
Branch waste for sinks	1½
Branch waste for wash trays	1½
Main waste	2
Main waste for sinks, five floors or more	3
Soil pipe	4

MATERIAL OF DRAINAGE SYSTEM

SECTION 5. Drain, soil, waste and vent pipes and connections, which collectively make up the drain-

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age system within the building, shall be constructed of the following material: extra heavy cast-iron lead and annealed brass pipe not less than No. 13 STUBBS GAUGE. Cast-iron pipe and fittings shall be of a grade known to the trade as extra heavy, and may be plain or coated with tar or asphaltum. If pipe is coated, it must bear the manufacturer's stamp of test before coating; if plain, it must be painted on inside with red and white lead before putting in place, to prevent rust scale.

All joints in cast-iron pipe shall be made with oakum and molten lead, run full, and caulked gas and water tight.

Sizes and Weights, Extra Heavy Cast-Iron Pipe.

	Pounds per foot
2	5½
3	9½
4	13
5	17
6	20
8	33 1-3
10	45

Where used for vents, ordinary galvanized fittings and pipes may be used. Brass pipe for soil, waste and vent pipe shall be annealed, seamless drawn brass tubing, of not less than No. 13 Stubbs Gauge. Brass pipe and fittings shall be connected together by sharp tapered threads, with red lead or graphite. No slip joints, unions or flanges shall be used on threaded wastes or vents, except that slip joints may be used on house side of trap to connect fixtures.

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Lead pipe shall be of the following diameters and weights:

Diameter Inches	Weight Pounds Per Foot	Maximum Length Allowed Feet
1¼	2½	*5
1½	3	5
2	4	5
3	6	3
4	8	2

*Unless exposed.

Lead bends and traps shall correspond to the above weights.

Brass sleeves for connecting lead and cast-iron pipes shall be extra heavy at least ⅛ of an inch thick and made of cast red metal. Brass solder nipples for connecting lead and threaded pipes shall be either cast red metal or seamless drawn tubing, size and weight corresponding with pipe to be connected. In connecting lead pipe together, or to brass caulking of soldering nipples, full sized wiped joints shall be used. Clean-outs, plugs, stoppers or any other fittings used in drainage system shall correspond in weight and material with above description.

FASTENING PIPES

SECTION 6. Drain, soil, waste and vent pipes shall be supported every 8 feet on horizontal runs, and at least once to each story on vertical lines; horizontal runs by supports under, or hung from overhead by iron hangers; vertical stacks by pipe rest at floor, or clamps, drive hooks or hangers to adjacent walls.

TRAPS

SECTION 7. The waste pipe of every independent fixture shall be furnished with a separate trap, which shall be placed as near as practicable to the fixtures which it serves. A combination sink and tray may be connected to house drain through one trap when outlets are not over 3 feet 6 inches apart; but the outlet of each fixture shall enter the trap separately. Four washbowls or sinks in a continuous line may be connected to the house drain through 1½ inch brass trap. Lead bends for water-closets or slop sinks shall not be used to connect waste from other fixtures. Earthenware traps shall have heavy brass floorplates soldered to the lead bends and bolted to the trap flange, and the joint made of red or white lead putty. All traps shall be of open form, and traps depending upon concealed partitions to retain their seal will not be approved, except for earthenware fixtures, where the trap seal is plainly visible. Trap screws for cleaning purposes shall be placed in all metal traps, and where such traps are placed in connection with fixtures they shall be so installed that the water seal will protect the trap screw from sewer air.

SPECIAL TRAPS

SECTION 8. Every building in which gasoline, naphtha or other inflammable compounds are used for business purposes shall be provided with a special trap or separator, so designed as to prevent the passage of oils or gases into the sewer, and shall be ventilated with a separate pipe to a point 3 feet above the roof. The waste of every washstand for vehicles shall be provided with catch basin so designed that sand cannot pass into the drain. The waste pipe from the sink of every hotel, restaurant or other public cooking establishment shall be provided with a grease trap. The

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waste from every fixture, except refrigerators and other receptacles in which provisions are stored, shall be connected directly with the drain pipe.

STABLES, GARAGES, LABORATORIES, ETC.

SECTION 9. Drainage of stalls, stable fixtures, garages and laboratories shall be installed in accordance with plans approved by the Board of Health.

CLEANOUTS

SECTION 10. Cleanouts shall be placed at changes in direction and at foot of vertical stack, or other points necessary to make all portions of horizontal drainage system accessible for cleaning purposes.

VENTS, BACK AIR PIPES, ETC.

SECTION 11. Traps shall be protected from siphonage and back pressure by Galvanized iron, lead or brass air pipes of same size as waste; continuous system of venting shall be used and back air pipe shall not be connected to the trap or branched into waste pipe except where a continuous vent is not practicable. 1½ S traps shall not have more than 24 inches of waste pipe from trap to vent. Round traps not less than 9 inches long and 4 inches in diameter may be placed 5 feet from vent pipe. Two water closets, or two other traps on the same level, with not more than 2 feet of waste pipe, and which connect with soil or waste pipe not more than 18 inches below the top water line of the trap, shall not require other vent than the continuation of the soil or waste pipe full size for its whole length.

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Schedule of Back Air Pipes and Vents for Fixtures.

Fixtures: Baths, basins, sinks, urinals.

Size of Pipe Inches	Greatest Length Allowed Feet	Maximum Number Fixtures
1½	30	3
2	70	9
3	70	21

Fixtures: Water-closets, or slop sinks:

2	35	3
3	70	9

Two or more air pipes may be connected together, but such connection must be made above top of fixture. All vent pipes shall be at least 4 inches in diameter where they pass through the roof. Vent lines shall be connected to soil, waste or drain pipe at bottom with Y and long angle bend, and all air pipes shall be so graded that no condensation will remain in pipes. In case of batteries of water-closets, the special air pipe from each trap may be omitted, provided the soil or waste pipe undiminished in size, is continued to a point above the roof, or revented into the main system above all fixtures.

TESTING AND INSPECTION

SECTION 12. Pipes or other fixtures shall not be covered or concealed from view until approved by the Board of Health. The work shall be examined and tested within two working days after notice that it is ready for inspection. Plumbing shall not be used unless, when roughed in, the wastes, vents, back air pipe and traps are first tested, in the presence of the inspector, by water or sufficient air pressure.

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WATER-CLOSETS

SECTION 13. Every building used for habitation shall have such number of water-closets as the Board of Health may require, but in no case less than one for each tenement. Every building where persons are employed shall have at least one water-closet for every 15 persons employed therein; and in any building where persons of both sexes are employed, separate accommodations shall be furnished for both men and women. Every enclosure containing one or more water-closets shall be provided with adequate ventilation to the outer air either by window or suitable light shaft. No water-closet shall be set in any room or apartment that has not a window having an area of at least 3 square feet opening directly to the external air. Water-closets shall be supplied with water from tank above, or by flush valves set just above the seat, which in turn are supplied from tank capable of delivering five gallons of water to the closet in ten seconds. In all cases the flush pipe shall be not less than $1\frac{1}{4}$ inches in diameter. Where local vents are used they shall connect with heated flue when possible, must be not less than 2 inches for each fixture, and for a distance of 3 feet from fixture shall be 16-ounce copper. Connection to flue shall be made by wrought or cast-iron thimble and enter flue above the top of smoke opening.

STORM AND SURFACE WATER

SECTION 14. Rain-water leaders shall not be connected to sewage stack at any point above basement or cellar ceiling, and shall be trapped.

Whenever a surface drain is installed in a cellar or basement, it shall be provided with a deep seal trap and back-water valve. Drain pipes from fixtures subject to back flow from sewer shall be supplied with back-water valves.

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REFRIGERATOR WASTE AND DRIP PIPE

SECTION 15. All drip or overflow pipes shall be extended to some place in open sight, and in no case shall any such pipe be connected directly with the drain pipe. No waste pipe from a refrigerator or other receptacle in which provisions are stored shall be connected directly with drain or waste pipe. Refrigerator waste connecting with two or more stories shall be supplied with a trap on the branch for each floor and extended through the roof.

STEAM EXHAUSTS, DRIPS, ETC.

SECTION 16. No steam exhaust, drip or blow-off pipe shall be connected to drainage system except through a condensing tank of sufficient capacity to liquify all steam that may be received, and discharge same on sewer side without vapor. Vapor pipe shall be carried from tank to a point 3 feet above the roof.

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Public Health

State House, Boston, April 21, 1931.

To the Board of Health,
Randolph, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

The Department of Public Health received from you on April 7, 1931, an application for the approval of certain plumbing rules and regulations for the town of Randolph as prepared by the State Examiners of Plumbers.

In accordance with your request, the Department has examined these rules and regulations and finds that

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they are in general accordance with similar rules and regulations which have previously been approved by this Department. Section 3, however, provides for **discharging the sewage into a public sewer**. As there is no recognized public sewer in the town of Randolph the Department recommends that Section 3 be changed by omitting the provision for discharge into public sewers so that Section 3 will read as follows:

SECTION 3. "The sewage from each building shall be discharged into a cesspool or subsurface distribution system, the plans of which must be approved by the Board of Health before connection is made."

When a public sewer has been provided in the town of Randolph the Department will be pleased to consider a suitable change in these rules and regulations.

The Department reserves the right to make changes in these rules and regulations at any time. With this proviso and the above recommendation, the proposed rules and regulations are hereby approved under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 142, Section 8.

Respectfully,

GEORGE H. BIGELOW, M. D.,

Commissioner of Public Health.

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No range boiler or other vessel or tank, in which heated water is stored, shall be connected with the street pressure unless it is equipped with temperature, pressure, and vacuum relief valves or valve, placed on boiler or tank side of shut-offs. Temperature and pres-

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sure relief valves shall have the discharge opening piped to an open fixture.

No valve shall be used unless approved by the Board of Health.

The fee for each permit shall be five dollars (\$5.00).

A. L. MANN, Chairman,
W. M. COLBY, M. D.,
W. E. BUCK, M. D.,

May 1, 1931. Board of Health, Town of Randolph.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF MILK

Randolph, Mass., January 18, 1932.

Board of Health, Randolph, Mass.

Gentlemen:

My report for the year ending December 31, 1931 is as follows:

Oleomargarin licenses issued—9 @ .50 each	4.50
Oleomargarin licenses issued—9 @ .50 each	4.50
Pasteurization licenses issued—1 @ .50 each	10.00

\$53.00

The keeping of these records would be simplified if all persons desiring milk licenses were required to fill out application blanks. I would recommend that these forms be ready for distribution by April 15th.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM MAHADY,
Inspector of Milk.

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REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 18, 1932.

To the Board of Selectmen:

During the year ending Dec. 31, 1931, the following animals were inspected.

Cattle	225
Swine	1,080
Sheep	1
Goats	9

85 stables housing these animals were inspected.

Improvement being recommended in seven. There were also 20 dog cases handled by this department. One stray dog being found to have the rabies.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. TRUELSON,

Report of the Water Commissioners

To the Citizens of the Town of Randolph:

The forty-sixth annual report of the Water Commissioners is herewith submitted for the year ending December 31, 1931.

Organization of the Board of Water Commissioners for the year 1931 was effected as follows:

John B. McNeill. Chairman
Richard F. Forrest. . Superintendent
Frederick D. Driscoll. Clerk

During the past year 52 new services were connected.

For the year 1931 we had 48 Service Pipe leaks; Meters were installed on 84 services, bringing the total number of meters now in use to 1,270; 67 Services pumped and cleaned; 3 hydrants moved to new locations; 3 hydrants broken; 12 meters frozen and burst and 2 services discontinued.

Due to the construction on North Main Street, it was deemed advisable by your Commissioners to renew all services and 4 lb. lead pipe was installed from the main to the street or property line on 70 services.

Two hydrants were moved to new locations in accordance with the new highway construction.

NEW EXTENSIONS

During the year, as per vote of the town, new extensions were made on the following streets:

Hills Street, 500 ft. 6" pipe, one hydrant, two 6" gates.

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Fencourt Avenue, 500 ft. 6" pipe, one hydrant, two 6" gates.

Woodlawn Street, 500 ft. 6" pipe, two hydrants, three 6" gates.

Overlook Road, 300 ft. 6" pipe, one hydrant, two 6" gates.

A dead end on Allen St. was connected up with Liberty Street, a distance of 350 feet and 3 gates installed.

On Overlook Road the vote called for 500 feet of pipe. On this Street we completed 300 feet of the extension when the appropriation was exhausted owing to so much ledge. Having to remove 64 square yards of ledge in the 300 feet completed, we will ask the Town to make a small appropriation to lay the balance of the pipe which is on the ground.

CONDITION OF THE WATER

Samples of water were taken from the Great Pond and its tributaries by the Water Commissioners at regular intervals during the year and submitted to the State Dept. of Health for analysis. This analysis showed but little change in the water from time to time.

Indeed, it would be unreasonable to expect that there would be any great improvement in the water with such a thickly settled watershed. Your Commissioners are striving to keep conditions as sanitary as possible, under the circumstances.

Due to urging by the Water Commissioners, a great many objectionable features on the watershed have been eliminated. It is indeed a pleasure to see people who have always endeavored to live within the rules and regulations of the State Dept. of Health regarding our watershed, who have expended so much money this past year in order that their equipment for

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disposing of sewage etc., should continue to comply with said rules and regulations.

Through the early Fall the Division of Highways, in conjunction with the County and Town, started to rebuild Pond Street and also North Main Street, from Riley's Curve so-called to the railroad bridge. On all this construction they have laid drainage pipes which carry the street drainage directly into the water courses leading into our pond. This matter was immediately taken up by your Commissioners with the local Board of Health, the State Dept. of Health and the Division of Highways. Several conferences have been held on the matter, both in Randolph and in the State House, as to the amount of pollution, if any, that will be carried into our pond by these drains, and as to what the Highway Division will do to remedy the matter. This question is still under discussion.

PUMPING STATION

On August 12th your Commissioners received a hurried call from the Pumping Station, an accident having occurred there. At the Station we found that the low pressure side of our Epping-Carpenter pump was a complete wreck. It appeared that a 2½" steel tie rod connecting the cylinder with the main shaft on the low pressure side of our Epping-Carpenter pump accidentally broke. This caused the cylinder to pound against the cylinder head until it completely demolished the cylinder head and, in fact, wrecked the low pressure side of the pump so that it was absolutely beyond repair.

Our Engineer, with the assistance of our men, immediately turned the steam onto our auxiliary pump and, together with the Water Commissioners of Holbrook, we had engineers on the ground on the same day to give us an estimate on rebuilding the pump. This

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was a long, expensive job. It was let out to the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corp., who appeared to us to have the best equipment to make the repairs in the quickest time and whose estimates seemed to be the most favorable.

It was about twelve weeks from the time the accident happened until this pump was rebuilt and again placed in commission. It has continually been in commission ever since and seems to be working just as smoothly as before the accident. We consider that we received a first-class job.

The cost of this job to the two towns was \$4,272.76 on the complete repairs to the pump engine. That, however, did not nearly cover all the expense, for the auxiliary pump, which was used during the time the Epping-Carpenter pump was being rebuilt, is a very expensive pump to operate. The coal used amounted to from two and one-half to three times as much as we use when running the Epping-Carpenter pump, and during all the time of repairs we had to have an extra man at the station to handle the coal and do the firing for the Engineer.

During the year we had installed at the Pumping Station one new boiler, the contract for which was let to the Roberts Iron Works of Cambridge, they being the lowest bidder.

On completion of this boiler it was found that our other boiler had to be reset together with certain new parts, which was also let to the Roberts Iron Works.

We have at the Pumping Station now, one new boiler, and the second boiler which is just as good as new, having been thoroughly repaired and reset. Our equipment now seems to be in first-class condition and should not need any extensive repairs for quite a number of years.

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WATER MAINS

On October 11th we were called to a break in the 14" main on North Main Street almost opposite the entrance to the Boston School for the Deaf. At this place the road had been rebuilt a number of times and each time the road has been rebuilt it had been filled in over our pipe. At the present time there is 6" of concrete and 10 feet of gravel between the pipe and the street, the usual amount being about 4 feet.

When the main was originally laid at this spot it so happened that about the middle of one section of pipe laid on a ledge. The continual tremor of the pipe at the time that water is being pumped into the main for 44 years, gradually weakened the main, which finally split allowing a volume of water to escape.

After shutting off the water a gang of men was placed on the job and worked continuously through Sunday afternoon and night and until about four o'clock Monday afternoon without leaving the work, where we supplied them with meals.

Of course we could not pump any water into our standpipe while this part of the mains was out of commission. The standpipes in Randolph and Holbrook supplied the greater part of the town. The lower section of the town was supplied by running the pump very slowly and keeping up enough pressure so that most of the people had sufficient water for use.

In connection with this break we wish to thank the Chief of the Fire Department for efficient service and accommodation rendered, also the Superintendent of the Randolph & Holbrook Power and Electric Co. for arranging lights on this break and on one other break off Pond Street where our men had to work at night and also to the Power and Electric Co. for rendering the electric light service on these jobs gratis, and to the

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different Water Departments in surrounding towns for assistance given or offered to us.

We had ten breaks of less importance on the 14" main. One of them had to be repaired at night.

We would suggest that the town take steps in the near future to continue the 6" main through High Street, as that would allow us to get water into our standpipe providing another break should occur in our mains between Liberty Street and West Corners.

The expenditures of the Water Department will be found in the Town Accountant's Report.

Outstanding water rates will be found in the report of the Water Collector.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. McNEILL,

RICHARD F. FORREST,

FRED D. DRISCOLL,

Water Commissioners.

REPORT OF JOHN B. McNEILL, COLLECTOR OF WATER RATES

Balance Levy 1928		\$58.06
By Collections	\$45.06	
Abatements	13.00	
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		\$58.06

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January 22, 1932.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph have this day examined the accounts of the Collector of Water Rates and find same correct as per above statement.

JAMES V. DONOVAN,

RAYMOND L. MASON,

Auditors.

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Norfolk, ss. January 22, 1932.

Subscribed and sworn to before me:

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

Balance Levy 1929		\$542.28
By Collections	\$452.94	
Water Rates Uncollected	89.34	
		\$542.28

Randolph, Mass. January 22, 1932.

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RAYMOND L. MASON,
Auditors.

Norfolk, ss. January 22, 1932.

Subscribed and sworn to before me:

JAMES E. FOLEY,
Notary Public.

Balance Levy 1930		\$2,756.05
By Collections	\$1,834.90	
Abatements	11.50	
Water Rates Uncollected	909.65	
		\$2,756.05

Randolph, Mass. January 22, 1932.

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Norfolk, ss.

January 22, 1932.

Subscribed and sworn to before me:

JAMES E. FOLEY,

Notary Public.

Water Levy 1931		\$22,344.43
By Collections	\$18,959.02	
Abatements	24.00	
Water Rates Uncollected	3,361.41	
	<hr/>	\$22,344.43

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TOTAL WATER COLLECTIONS OF YEAR 1931

Braintree Highlands	\$1,293.05
Meter Rates	14,650.11
Meter Rental	1,173.75
Fixture Rate	3,643.98
Broken Hydrants	184.75
Sale of Old Boiler	35.00
All Other	311.28
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	\$21,291.92

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Due Jan. 1, 1932:

On Levy 1929	\$89.34	
On Levy 1930	909.65	
On Levy 1931	3,361.41	
	<hr/>	\$4,360.40

JOHN B. McNEILL,
Collector of Water Rates.

STATEMENT OF JOINT ACCOUNT

Cost of new Boiler	\$3,255.00		
Repairing Pump	4,272.76		
	<hr/>	\$7,527.76	
½ paid by Holbrook			3,763.88
½ paid by Randolph			3,763.88
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		\$7,527.76	\$7,527.76
Resetting Boiler	732.50		
Piping new boiler	257.00		
Piping old boiler	114.49		
Paid by Holbrook	<hr/>		\$1,103.99

Resetting boiler at Pumping Station:

One new lower half front including 2 corner sections, front of steel plate reinforced with angle irons, 2 new fire doors, frames and liners, 2 new ash pit doors and frames, 2 Arch plates, 4 Cheek plates and 1 Bed Plate	\$686.30	
Tube Cleaner	186.20	
Paid by Randolph	<hr/>	\$872.50

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Joint Account—Paid by Holbrook

Engineer	\$1,980.00	
Coal	1,884.18	
Paint and lumber	66.25	
Payrolls	387.40	
Repairs (J. E. Holland)	57.54	
Supplies	12.67	
Flowers	10.00	
Amount paid by Holbrook	—————	\$4,398.04

Joint Account—Paid by Randolph

Labor—Payrolls	\$1,432.33
Superintendent's Salary	390.00
Use of Truck	60.00
Coal	1,953.01
Oil, Waste and Packing	188.02
Insurance	320.03
Valves	113.58
Fittings	38.48
Freight and Express	15.90
Suction Hose	18.13
Chlorine	84.15
Telephone	64.15
Lighting	13.03
Building repairs	30.59
Trucking account, broken mains (Hired dump truck)	14.00
Gauges	11.23
Boiler repairs	46.20
Lunches for Laborers on brok- en main job	23.10
Use of Compressor	84.58
Hardware, Lanterns, etc.	36.30
Gas and oil	2.40
Cement and Lumber	5.85
Traveling Expenses	1.00

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Charts	1.98	
Gate Box Extension	1.40	
Lead	5.25	
All other	20.93	
Amount paid by Randolph	_____	\$4,975.62

SUMMARY OF JOINT ACCOUNT

Paid by Holbrook

Equipment account-joint	\$4,867.87	
Joint account Operation	4,398.04	
Total paid by Holbrook	_____	\$9,265.91

Paid by Randolph

Equipment account-joint	\$4,636.38	
Joint account Operation	4,975.62	

	\$9,612.00	
Less Cash received for Old Boiler	35.00	
Total Paid by Randolph	_____	\$9,577.00

Total Joint Account	\$18,842.91
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One-half to be paid by Holbrook	\$9,421.45
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One-half to be paid by Randolph	\$9,421.46
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Amount owed by Holbrook to balance joint account	\$155.54
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RECORD OF PUMPING

To the Water Commissioners of Randolph and Holbrook:

The following is the record of pumping for the year 1931:

	Gallons Pumped	Daily Av.	Lbs. Coal Burned	Lbs. Daily Av.
January	19,458,620	648,620	54,000	1,800
February	19,850,755	661,691	49,200	1,640
March	19,854,725	661,824	57,900	1,930
April	18,120,005	604,000	52,100	1,736
May	20,864,993	695,499	60,200	2,006
June	21,319,018	710,633	62,500	2,083
July	24,514,174	817,139	70,400	2,346
August	20,606,705	686,890	134,500	4,483
September	21,669,000	722,300	142,100	4,736
October	21,564,273	718,809	105,600	3,520
November	14,720,371	490,679	44,700	1,490
December	15,502,250	516,741	45,600	1,520
	<hr/> 238,044,889	<hr/> 661,235	<hr/> 878,800	<hr/> 2,407

Largest day's pumping—August 6, 1931: 1,458,120 gallons.

Largest week's pumping ended August 7, 1931: 7,-481,913 gallons.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM L. SAVAGE,
Engineer.

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

The following regulations, until further notice, shall be considered a part of the contract with every person who uses water:

1. All applications for use of water must be made at the office of the Water Commissioners, and state fully the purposes for which it is intended to be used. Water will not be introduced to premises except on the written application of the owner thereof, or by a duly authorized agent. The property will in all cases be held responsible for the water rates.

2. All persons taking water must keep their water pipes and fixtures in good repair and protected from the frost at their own expense. They will be held liable for all damages resulting from their failure to do so. They shall prevent all unnecessary waste, and water shall not be left running to prevent freezing. The Water Commissioners or their agents may, from time to time, ascertain the quantity of water used, the manner of its use, and whether there is any unnecessary waste. They and their agents shall have free access to the premises supplied, to examine the apparatus, and if any fixtures are found not to be in good order, they shall direct them repaired, and if not repaired within two days the water shall be shut off and not let on again until such repairs are made, and the sum of two dollars paid for shutting off and turning on the water.

3. The occupant of any premises, when unnecessary waste of water occurs, shall be liable to a fine of two dollars for the first offence, and four dollars for the second offence during the same year, and shall be notified thereof in writing; and if such waste is not prevented and the aforesaid paid within two days from

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the time when the said notice is given, the water shall be shut off the premises, and shall not be again let on for the same occupant until the waste be stopped and the fine paid, together with an additional sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water, and in case of a third or subsequent offence the water shall be shut off, and shall not again be let on except by a vote of the Water Commissioners and the payment of such fine, not exceeding ten dollars, as the Water Commissioners may impose.

4. Any person supplied with water shall not allow another to take water from their fixtures without the written permission of the Water Commissioners. If any tenant having no fixtures, has any use of such fixtures, full rates will be charged for such use by each tenant.

5. All parties using water in stables, for horses or other animals, will be charged scheduled rates for the same, whether it be carried by hand or through hose.

6. All persons using water for building purposes are required to obtain a permit from the Water Commissioners before taking water from any faucet or fixtures connected with the water works, and all water takers are warned not to let any party take water from their premises until they show a permit from the Water Commissioners. Any person furnishing water in violation of this section will be subject to a fine of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and if the same when levied is not paid within three days from the time when the notice thereof is given, the water will be shut off from the premises and will not be let on again until such fine is paid.

7. All fixtures and water closets and urinals must be of a kind and quality approved by the Water Com-

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missioners, also a vacuum valve must be installed on all pressure range boilers connected with the system.

8. No person shall in any case be allowed to open any fire hydrants except by a written permit from the Water Commissioners; but the Engineers of the Fire Department shall in all cases have control of hydrants at fires and for practice.

9. The Commissioners reserve the right to restrict the use of hose or fountain, to shut off the water in all cases when it becomes necessary to make extensions or repairs, or for violations of any of the regulations, or whenever they deem it expedient.

10. The regular rates for the use of water shall be payable in advance on the first days of January and July of each year, except where water is supplied to manufacturers by special agreement. In all cases of non-payment of the water rates within ten days after same is due, as well as for any violations of these rules and regulations, the supply will be shut off, and payment of the amount due, and payment of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water.

11. The Water Commissioners reserve the right to change the water rates at any time except in cases of dwelling houses and established special rates.

12. For business requiring large quantities of water, and all supplies not enumerated in the tariff of rates, special rates will be made.

13. Parties using water for manufacturing or domestic purposes can erect hydrants on their grounds or standpipes in their building to be used only as a protection against fire without additional charge for water.

14. All applicants for the introduction of service pipes to premises are required to make written application therefor at the office of the Water Commissioners.

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And in no case will the main be tapped more than once for the same premises, unless the additional expense is borne by the owner.

Charged as follows:

The following water rates are established until further notice:

No connection made with the main for any purpose for less than	\$6.00
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Dwelling Houses

Occupied by one family, for the first faucet	6.00
Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2.00
Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet for all, each family	5.00
One faucet for each family	6.00
For first bathtub	5.00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4.00
Each additional bathtub	2.00
For first pan or self-acting watercloset	5.00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4.00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet	2.00
In no case shall the charge for the use of water by a private family, exclusive of hose and stable, be more than	20.00
Where two faucets are used, one for hot and one for cold water, emptying into the same basin, only one charge will be made for both.	
Laundry tub	3.00

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Boarding Houses and Hotels

First faucet	\$10.00
Each additional faucet	3.00
First bathtub	10.00
Each additional bathtub	3.00
First pan or self-acting water closet	10.00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet	3.00

Private Stables

First horse	\$5.00
Each additional horse	3.00
Each cow or ox	1.00

Livery, Express and Boarding Stables

For the first four horses	12.00
From five to twelve horses, each	2.00

The above prices to include water for washing carriages.

Offices, Stores, Markets, Barber Shops, Restaurants. When used for ordinary purposes, same as for dwelling houses.

Building purposes. Each cask of lime or cement .05

Hose

For sprinkling streets, washing windows and similar uses, ¼-inch nozzle, to be used only on premises and street opposite, not exceeding two hours per day for six months in the year	5.00
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For any use not herein enumerated, special rates will be made.

Meter Rates payable at Time of Reading.

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For not over 133 cubic feet average per day, per
100 cubic feet .23

For over 133 cubic feet and not exceeding 266
cubic feet average per day, per 100 cubic
feet .19

For over 266 cubic feet average per day .15

Provided that in no case where a meter is used
shall the annual charge be less than \$7.00.

Meters may be supplied by the Water Commis-
sioners, for which annual rental will be
charged as follows:

Size $\frac{5}{8}$ -inch	\$1.00 per year
Size $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch	\$1.00 per year
Size 1-inch	\$4.00 per year
Size 2-inch	\$6.00 per year

All needed repairs, damages by frost and heat ex-
cepted, will be made at the expense of the town.

JOHN B. McNEILL,
RICHARD F. FORREST,
FRED D. DRISCOLL,
Water Commissioners.

Report of the Planning Board

Your planning board has held semi-monthly conferences since the March, 1931, town meeting, and we feel has accomplished much work in its advisory capacity. The principal objective of the board has been a more orderly development of the community. As one of the features of this orderly development, legislation was set into motion at the special town meeting, held in the late fall, to establish setback lines, in accordance with Chapter 82, Section 37, of the General Laws. It is the recommendation of your committee that setbacks be first effected on North and South Main Streets, from the Quincy to the Avon line. Your planning board is now making a detailed study of the situation.

Your planning board attempted to secure a five-foot setback before the erection of the First National's Branch Store, on North Main Street, to make it uniform with other comparatively new buildings on this street but, having no authority by law to **compel the setback**, was unable to bring this about by negotiation. This is regrettable, inasmuch as building laws are not retroactive.

Your planning board, knowing that there was a problem of drainage at the above-mentioned location, spent much time in conference with the board of health and referred all questions from the agent for the owners of the building relative to drainage to the board of health.

We also surveyed the situation at the Corner of Cottage and North Main Streets, realizing, of course, that we were powerless to effect a different condition

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at that point without the necessary legislation, but having in mind that, when zoning laws may be adopted by the town, wider and rounded corners of North Main and Cottage Streets will be made and the present "bottle neck" eliminated.

After a thorough study of the town, we recommend an ad interim zoning law be adopted as a protection to our home and areas, and as a means of bringing increased revenue to the town. Zoning laws, we feel, not only make for a more attractive, but for a more prosperous, town.

Your planning board also recommends that work on the assessor's map be continued and that a substantially larger appropriation than last year be made for this purpose.

We recommend the filling in of the unsightly hollows near the sidewalk on the Northeasterly side of the Stetson High School grounds. Your board has already supervised the construction of the walk from the street around the Stetson High School Building, in accordance with the vote at the last town meeting.

There have been many matters which have been referred to the planning board for furtherance, which were not strictly within our scope of work, but as they were of a helpful character, we were glad to assist. For instance, on request of a citizen of the town, we wrote for, and were granted, better train service from the Holbrook Station (used extensively by Randolph citizens) to Boston.

On account of our wish to have appropriations at the next town meeting held to a minimum, with the resultant of lower taxes, we are not asking for a greater

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appropriation to meet current expenses than that of last year—\$150.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. MADDEN,
JOHN E. KELLEY,
EDGAR B. COLE,
JESSIE C. DUNBAR,
HELEN M. HANEY,
HENRY N. CORP,
ERSKINE H. COX,
EUGENE L. McAULIFFE,
JAMES A. MULLEN.

Report of the School Committee

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The School Committee submits herewith its report for the year ended December 31, 1931. In the present report the Committee follows the custom of other years, namely, omitting detailed information that properly belongs in the reports of other school officials.

I. EDUCATION

During the past year the Committee has been deeply interested in improving educational standards in all schools. It was deemed a matter of utmost importance that our schools should be provided with sound courses of study, that class rooms should be well equipped, and that teaching should be brought to the highest possible level of efficiency.

From grade school through high school our courses of study will be found satisfactory. The practical adoption in the grade schools of the Boston School Syllabus has given us a fully approved course of studies, and, in addition, it has meant a uniformity of courses which was heretofore lacking. Equally beneficial results followed from the establishment, in September 1931, of a system of supervision in the grade schools. The principals of the Prescott, Belcher and Devine Schools are now actually supervising the work of their teachers. A marked improvement in teaching efficiency and a higher grade of work on the part of the pupil have been noted since this system was put into operation. The Committee feels very certain that the grade schools today are in better condition than ever.

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The courses of studies in Stetson High School meet with the requirements of the institutions of higher learning including the State Normal Schools. Scholastic standards are being observed, and the principal and his teachers are co-operating with the school officials to improve the standing of the school. Two urgent needs of the high school,—more class room space and more teachers,—were met this fall by the removal of three seventh grade classes to other buildings and by the employment of two additional teachers. The laboratories of the physics and chemistry departments have received much needed equipment, and the school library has been supplemented by some one hundred sixty new volumes, so that it now offers valuable material for collateral reading and research. The volumes added and those still to come cover the fields of Literature, Languages, History, Government, Civics, Economics, Geography, the Sciences, Business Administration and Commerce.

A course in Domestic Arts was inaugurated in the fall of 1931 with most gratifying results. This course will be expanded as fast as conditions warrant. For the present, however, it will include instruction in sewing only.

Under the head of Education, mention may be made of the question of district superintendency and its ability to meet satisfactorily our needs. The Committee feels that the time has come when Randolph should have its own Superintendent of Schools. With a school enrollment of approximately 1,600 pupils, with a staff of 53 teachers, and with 7 buildings in operation, it is impossible for a district superintendent to give us the attention we need. It is plain from the above that there is work enough in Randolph to engage the entire attention of one man. Under normal conditions the Committee would move for local superintendency in

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1932. In view, however, of the continued depression, it seems advisable that action be postponed until such time as it appears the town is ready to assume the added expense that local superintendency will involve.

II. BUILDINGS; EQUIPMENT, ETC.

As a result of the Committee's efforts the past two years, the school buildings are in good condition. At present it appears that minor repairs only will have to be undertaken during the year 1932.

All schools are fully equipped with texts and other classroom equipment. A special investigation into the text and equipment situation in November 1931 resulted in an expenditure of approximately \$3,800.00 which brought our supplies and equipment up to present requirements.

The buildings now in operation will probably be adequate for school needs for the year 1932-1933. Thereafter it is believed another building programme will have to be considered. The Belcher and Prescott Schools can accommodate but few more pupils. Indeed the Belcher School is taking care of its present enrollment only through continued use of the portable building. The Committee hopes that the day is not far distant when the portable building can be abandoned.

III. SCHOOL FINANCES; THE BUDGET FOR 1932

During the past year it has been the policy of the Committee to watch its expenditures carefully. Whenever it was practicable to purchase on the basis of bids, purchase were so made. So, substantial repairs were let out on the basis of bids. Discounts were taken whenever possible. All this has meant a substantial saving to the Town. The Committee has also installed

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a system of purchasing and accounting that undoubtedly will effect many economies. For the year 1931, notwithstanding the opening of two new schools, the Committee has kept well within its budget, returning to the Town Treasury a sum in excess of \$4,500.00.

In preparing the budget for the year 1932, the Committee is not unmindful of the problem with which all municipalities are faced today, namely, the problem of revising budgets in a downward direction. In 1932 we shall feel the full force of the cost of maintaining two new schools,—one a ten-room building. We shall hardly be able to reduce the number of teachers, since the enrollment for the coming school year will be greater, as it now appears, than that of the current year. Nevertheless, the Committee is asking for school expenses for the year 1932 the sum of \$103,000.00 as against \$106,000.00 for the year 1931.

The Committee also feels obliged to ask for a special appropriation of \$181.36 to meet unpaid bills of the years 1929 and 1930. For these bills the present committee assumes no responsibility whatever. They were incurred prior to the present administration. The town has received the benefit of the goods furnished or services rendered, and it seems only proper that the bills should be paid.

In conclusion, the Committee wishes to thank all who, during the past year, have made their contribution to the cause of education in Randolph. It also takes this occasion to express the hope that citizens generally, and parents particularly, will take an active interest in the conduct of our schools. After all, the schools belong to our citizens, and if they are to endure, it will be only because of the interest our citizens take in them. The Committee, therefore, welcomes inquiry

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and constructive criticism, and hopes sincerely that it will have many occasions to profit from this kind of cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. O'KEEFE, Chairman,

CHARLES R. KILEY,

W. FRANK AMES,

The School Committee.

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REPORT OF THE MINORITY MEMBERS OF THE RANDOLPH SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 1931-1932

On nearly all important school issues the minority members of the Randolph school committee have failed to agree during the past year with their numerically superior associates. We condemn the conspiracy, or agreement, of three members to vote as a unit at the dictation of their leader. The motives which led the members who thus conspired are not obscure, nor are they creditable to the town of Randolph which the committee represents. Smart practice has no place in the conduct of school affairs. The assumption by one member of nearly all the duties and prerogatives of the superintendent of schools is a grave error, and when this member of the committee instructs teachers to disregard the suggestions of the superintendent, and to come to him in any emergency, he is spreading rank disloyalty and suspicion throughout the entire school system of the town. The minority members are of the opinion that one member of the school committee ought not to constitute himself the virtual principal of the high school, outlining its policies, and even administering discipline in the class room. In this way we have an educational dictator of our schools, who combines the duties of the school committee, of the superintendent of schools, and also those of the high school principal. To put it in another way, it has come to this,—that the school committee of Randolph consists of one member who is legally upheld by a three to two constant vote.

We are of the opinion that the alarming shortage of text-books during the months of September, October and November, was entirely unnecessary.

The minority members favor the re-election of teachers before the close of the school year. This is only fair to our teachers who wish to begin their vaca-

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tion with the assurance of a position for the year to come; it is the practice of school committees everywhere.

The election of teachers in 1931 was deferred to July 9, on the pretext by the chairman that he had not examined the plan books. This, in our opinion was a frivolous excuse. No report of his struggles with the plan books was made on July 9. We are of the opinion that it is the duty of the superintendent to inspect the plan books.

We find that Randolph is not paying salaries which command any particular respect in other communities; certainly our salaries are not high enough to enable us to win good teachers from other school systems. We favor as liberal salaries as the circumstances demand, and as high as the financial condition of the town warrants. Salaries should be paid at regular dates which are thoroughly understood by our teachers; any irregularity in such payments leads to misunderstanding, and sometimes to great inconvenience. When one of our teachers is offered a position elsewhere, we favor giving the matter careful consideration with a purpose to keep the teacher in Randolph if advisable. A teacher who has a good record here is a valuable asset to the school and ought to be retained.

We regard \$3,000.00 as a sufficient maximum salary for the principal of the high school, especially one who has never before been a public high school principal or teacher. The hysterical increase of the salary of the high school principal from \$3,000. to \$3,500. at a special election, and also giving him a tenure of office rating, is in line with much of the questionable school legislation by the ruling three members of the present Randolph school committee. The school laws of Mass., Chap. 71, Sec. 59, require that, in the election of new teachers, the Superintendent of Schools "Shall

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recommend to the committee" such teachers. This is one of the most important duties of the superintendent. At a meeting of July 9 new teachers were elected to fill vacancies although the superintendent had not even heard their names, much less investigated their qualifications. Sewing was introduced into the high school and a teacher employed, without the slightest reference to the school superintendent. Because of this violation of the Mass. Educational Laws, the minority members petitioned the Selectmen of Randolph to withhold their approval of salary payments to such teachers. We are opposed to the present policy of allowing bills to remain unpaid at athletic supply houses. Such bills to the amount of nearly \$500. were unpaid at a recent date, although some of the supplies were furnished in 1930. We understand that the supplies were ordered by the high school principal. School games ought to be supervised. No teacher appeared at any of the football games in 1931, nor was any coaching furnished. Baseball games in 1931 were played with boys on the team who were not in school. This has led to black-listing of the school—not an enviable reputation for Randolph to acquire.

The absolute neglect of the athletic field in the rear of the high school, is not creditable. One bleacher worth \$300. has been destroyed, and the back stop of the baseball field burned up. The field is piped for water; the committee refused to repair the pipe saying that water could be carried in buckets—a most unsanitary arrangement which has become a nuisance to the neighbors. We are of the opinion that a reasonable care of the field should be taken by the Committee who are its custodians.

The minority members are of the opinion that private grudges should not be satisfied by the official vote of the school committee. We feel that school legisla-

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tion should not be enacted at secret meetings of the ruling majority, to be brought in later to a regular meeting and carried without discussion by the unvarying three to two vote.

We commend Ex-Governor Alfred E. Smith's advise in the Boston "Globe" of January 24th. "Take care of the Teachers' salaries before everything else."

The minority members are in favor of restoring the locker-rooms at the High School to the boys and girls for whom they were intended.

We have the affidavits of two teachers who inspected the ranks sent from Stetson High School to the Bridgewater Normal School in June, 1931. The inspection was with the permission of the principal, Arthur C. Boydon. Both of these teachers, Mrs. Kenneth Clark and Mr. Albert Murphy report that the ranks handed in by them to the Stetson High School office had been raised. This tends to discredit our High School records.

The present minority members of the school committee are in favor of bringing in school matters for first-hand presentation and open discussion at regular meetings.

We advocate new porches at the entrances to the Belcher school. Money was appropriated for this purpose in March 1931, but no action has been taken.

We favor complying with the Massachusetts school laws in all official business of the school committee of Randolph.

This report will serve to acquaint parents and the general public with the situation in our schools as seen by the minority members. We regret the lack of harmony among the members of the Committee, but feel that is only fair to all parties concerned that our side of the case should be made public.

WILLIAM S. CONDON,
F. L. CHAPIN.

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REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee,
Gentlemen:

The completion of the new Charles G. Devine School in the north section of the town and the two-room unit to the McNeill School has greatly relieved the school housing condition this year. All ten rooms in the former school are full with a total enrolment of 378. The McNeill School has sixty-four pupils with a maximum accommodation for eighty-five. According to the enrolment chart it is very probable, however, that we may again need the two schools now closed.

In connection with these two new buildings I wish to express, through your committee, to the Building Committee and to Mr. John E. Kelley, the architect, our appreciation and gratitude for their careful and business-like procedure in the construction of these schools and for their interest and co-operation in the many minute details so necessary and essential to good working conditions in classrooms.

The addition of several thousand books to our classrooms and library has filled a long-felt want in our schools. The twelve new rooms drew heavily from our book appropriation yet there were a number of cases where the book supply was very low. These books will be carefully checked by teachers so that a complete inventory will be on file and submitted in June.

Departmental work in the grades as suggested in my last report has made a commendable start. It has found its best use in the upper grades for the reason that the little folks in the lower grades require a language and procedure all their own.

There are several reasons why this method of in-

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struction should be encouraged. In the first place, it makes for skill and proficiency in each subject; a better continuity of assignment and work; personal contact of several teachers; promotion by subject and not by year; a better system for both slow and bright pupils and an economic gain in that there is no duplication of materials. One class well equipped for the study of a particular subject will do for several classes and grades.

Each year some subject is given special attention. English, Arithmetic and Penmanship have been selected for special emphasis this year. In the grades, Sheridan's "Speaking and Writing English" constitutes our basic English and grammar study. This book is particularly well adapted for school children. Arithmetic needs revision downwards, especially so in the junior department. There is too great a tendency to "cram" the pupils with complicated, rare, if not useless problems. We need more work in the four fundamentals—work for accuracy. It is our aim to teach that which is useful and practical and to encourage reasoning by assigning work comprehensible to the growing child. Two methods of penmanship are under consideration. Although both have much in common, the one most economical and can show the best results will be submitted for your approval and adoption.

Classroom exhibition of work done by pupils is a common practice in schools everywhere. I am of the opinion, however, that some of our teachers have perfected this practice to a point of special merit and commendation. It is a source of great pleasure to enter a room and see at a glance the work done. It means work for the teacher but it encourages the child and proves to parents and visitors alike what is going on. To further this cause in the interest of scholarship, Honor Pencils, purchased by the School Department, are presented to pupils who attain the rank of "B" or better.

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Children who find it difficult to keep pace with the average classroom work are given an opportunity for personal help in the special class. Due to absence, illness or sluggish mentality these children are given added attention along lines in which they are weak. They are moved ahead or replaced in their classes as soon as their abilities warrant. Out of the present number (15 pupils) there will be four to six pupils who will be returned to classes by mid year. To push them ahead too rapidly and beyond their grade now means stalling, discouragement, failure, if not marked retardation later on in the upper grades. The value of this class to the child while yet in his plastic period of development is one hundred fold or more. Later on he may be a problem.

Our educational program need not be expensive to be flexible for service and usefulness. Noticeably today there is a strong trend towards the study of science as opposed to the classics. This has been so for some time but the demand has increased and with it the usual conflict of opinions between the two schools. If the question is asked as to which fits the need of our day, undoubtedly it must be answered in favor of science. If this is so, then this change should be gradual and not drastic. It would mean a cutting down of the time now given to Latin, French and perhaps algebra and replacing with emphasis on chemistry, physics, biology, physiology, history, civics, problems of democracy and the economic structure of our society, business and government. It would not operate to debar pupils interested in the classics but rather to limit such classes to certain years. College Board requirements, too, would have to undergo a change in order to admit our graduates to higher institutions. It may mean in the near future a fifth year of secondary schooling for college entrance or a complete elimination of inactive subjects taught at public expense. However, to recognize a needy change at this time is but

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one phase of our problem—to get all educational agencies to agree upon some sound procedure is quite another. The fact still remains that our high school curriculum must change with changing condition and their relative values. Our children today do not face the same conditions that we did some twenty or thirty years ago. Their problems are vastly more complex and trying. Recognition of this fact automatically throws much of the responsibility of adjustment upon the public schools.

May I call your attention to the three courses of study for the high school as outlined in my last report. Some adjustment or arrangement of subjects may be advisable yet a definite curriculum should be approved for uniformity and diploma credits.

Miss Clara Tolman, for many years teacher in the Belcher School, concluded her public service and retired last spring. Her loyalty and her long faithful service to the children of Randolph are worthy of our deepest respect.

During the present year, the schools will observe the 200th anniversary of the birth of George Washington. Beautifully colored prints of Washington were presented to our schoolrooms by our representative at Washington, the Honorable Richard B. Wigglesworth.

The interest which the citizens take in their schools is a most helpful factor. They bring or organize into a composite whole the true functions of education. We are indebted to the Randolph Planning Board for their work on playgrounds; to the Catholic Womens Club and the Ladies Library Association for their activities along health clinics, lectures and charitable work and to the men of the Fire Department for their annual gifts of toys at Christmas time. We express our thanks to them and to you for school co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

A. O. CHRISTIANSEN,
Superintendent of Schools.

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ENROLMENT BY SCHOOLS

	1931	1930	1929	1928	1927
Stetson High School	334	286	244	252	200
Stetson J. H. School	110	234	184	170	168
Prescott School	497	508	536	488	449
C. G. Devine	378	*41	*37	*41	*40
Belcher School	201	238	257	252	249
**N. R. School	—	125	125	109	88
Tower School	78	89	87	79	76
McNeill School	64	38	—	—	—
Totals	1662	1559	1470	1391	1270

* West Corner School closed 1931.

** North Randolph School closed 1931.

ENROLMENT BY GRADES

	Grade	1931	1930	1929	1928
Stetson High School	12	55	45	39	46
Stetson High School	11	68	66	46	43
Stetson High School	10	92	77	67	61
Stetson High School	9	119	98	92	101
Junior High School	8	160	133	119	114
Junior High School	7	132	138	148	135
Grammar Schools	6	163	141	135	154
Grammar Schools	5	159	162	135	121
Grammar Schools	4	162	160	165	131
Grammar Schools	3	176	154	172	162
Grammar Schools	2	175	176	148	152
Grammar Schools	1	186	194	186	171
Special Class	—	15	15	18	—
Totals		1662	1559	1470	1391

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SCHOOL CALENDAR 1932-1933

Elementary Grades 1 to 8

Open Sept. 14, 1931.	Close Dec. 23, 1931.	14½ weeks.
Open Jan. 4, 1932.	Close Feb. 19, 1932.	7 weeks.
Open Feb. 29, 1932.	Close April 15, 1932.	7 weeks.
Open April 25, 1932.	Close June 17, 1932.	8 weeks.

Summer Vacation

Open Sept. 12, 1932.	Close Dec. 23, 1932.	15 weeks.
Open Jan. 3, 1933.	Close Feb. 17, 1933.	7 weeks.

High School

Open Sept. 14, 1931.	Close Dec. 23, 1931.	14½ weeks.
Open Jan. 4, 1932.	Close Feb. 19, 1932.	7 weeks.
Open Feb. 29, 1932.	Close June 28, 1932.	17 weeks.

Summer Vacation

Open Sept. 12, 1932.	Close Dec. 23, 1932.	15 weeks.
Open Jan. 3, 1933.	Close Feb. 17, 1933.	7 weeks.

NO-SCHOOL SIGNAL

Three blows repeated at

7:15 A. M. All schools close.

8:15 A. M. No morning session for the first six grades.

12:30 P. M. No afternoon session for the first six grades.

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LIST OF TEACHERS

	Position	Educated at	Year appointed
A. O. Christiansen	Superintend't	Brown, A.B.; Harvard	A.M. 1921

High School

Warren J. Swett	Principal	Boston Col. A.B. Harv'd	A.M. 1930
George C. D. Gardiner	Mathematics	Harv'd A.B. Boston Col.	A.M. 1931
Cyril D. Horton	English	Harv'd A.B.; Suffolk	Law 1931
Genevieve R. Steffy	French	Emanuel Col., A. B.	1931
Marie E. Connors	History, Eng- lish, French	Boston Uni., B. S. Ed.	1931
Anna McCann	English, Al- gebra, Bi- ology	Boston Uni., A. B. & A. M.	1931
Winnifred Brennen	Commercial	Burdett	1918
Jane C. Good	Commercial	Burdett	1925
Margaret M. Moore	Latin and French	Georgian Court College, A. B.	1928
Cyril T. Powderly	English and Latin	Boston Uni., A. B.	1929
James J. Riley	Science English & Com. Geog.	Boston Col., A. B. Bridgewater, B. S. Ed.	1929
Mary E. Sullivan	Latin	Radcliffe, A. B.	1931
Dorothy S. Powers	Gen. Science, Com. Geog.	Boston Uni., B. S. Ed.	1931

Junior High School

Mrs. Sarah Powderly	English	Bridgewater	1914
Anna Good	History and Civics	Bridgewater, B. S. Ed.	1924
Teresa Carlin	Arithmetic & Science	Lowell	1926

Prescott School

Hannah F. Hoye	Grade 7	Quincy Training School	1888
Martha Foley	Grade 7	Bridgewater	1930
Mrs. Ellen McGerrigle	Grade 6	Bridgewater	1930
Dorothy Boothby	Grade 6	Bridgewater, B. S. Ed.	1931
Mrs. Elizabeth Lyons	Grade 5	Prin. Quincy Training School	1920
Dorothy Carney	Grade 5	Bridgewater	1923
Eleanor Condon	Grades 4-5	Bridgewater	1929
Rachael McMahon	Grade 4	Bridgewater	1916
Katherine O'Neil	Grades 4-3	Bridgewater	1930
Ellen McLaughlin	Grade 3	Bridgewater	1900
Fannie Campbell	Grade 2	Notre Dame Acadmey	1898
Vivian Pickett	Grade 2	Bridgewater, B. S. Ed.	1929
Mary O'Brien	Grade 1	Bridgewater	1921
Martha Harhan	Special	Lowell	1931

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Devine School

Mrs. Florence Caples	Grade 8	Bridgewater	1922
Elizabeth Riley	Grade 8	Bridgewater, B. S. E.	1930
Martha Parshley	Grade 7	Fitchburg	1926
Emmaline McGerrigle	Grade 6	Bridgewater	1929
Margaret Donavan	Grade 5 Prin.	Bridgewater	1924
Elizabeth Doyle	Grade 4	Bridgewater, B. S. E.	1931
Katherine Riley	Grade 3	Harvard Summer School Course	1901
Constance Dolan	Grade 2	St. Catherine Academy	1930
Anne Tucker	Grade 1	Bridgewater	1929
Claire Lucey	Grades 1-2-3	North Adams	1931

Belcher School

Irene Goody	Grade 6	Bridgewater, B. S. E.	1931
Mrs. Ethel Chatfield	Grade 5	Farmington	1927
Bernice Francis	Grade 4	Hyannis	1927
Dorothy Morrill	Grade 3	Bridgewater	1930
Mary Flaherty	Grade 2	Bridgewater	1931
Jane Lynch	Grade 1	Bridgewater	1929

McNeill School

Grace Murphy	Grades 3-4	Bridgewater	1925
Mrs. Esther Grant	Grades 1-2	Lowell	1927

Tower Hill School

Mrs. Alice Belcher	Grades 4-6	Quincy Training School	1923
		Frammingham and Emerson	
Mrs. Marie Cormey	Grades 1-3	College	1925

Supervisors and Assistant Teachers

Rose Hand	Music	A. S., N. M. and Harvard & B U. Extension Courses	
Mildred Sullivan	Sewing	Boston School of Domestic Science	1931
Eileen Sheehan	Asst. to Principal	B. U., A. B.; B. U. Ed. M.	1931

School Nurse

Mrs. Anne Kiley	All grades	R. N.	1931
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School Physician

George V. Higgins, M.D.

Attendance Officer

Mrs. Eileen Courtney			1931
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Resignations

HIGH SCHOOL

Florence Cox

Elizabeth Laughler
Albert Murphy

Kenneth, Clark

GRADES

Mrs. Mary Savage

Mrs. Jessica Mitchell (Nurse)

Claire Sullivan

Retirement

Clara Tolman

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REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

To the Citizens of the Town of Randolph:

During the past year several improvements have taken place in our school system; two modern school buildings have been erected, new toilets installed in the Belcher building, several school rooms have been painted, new furniture installed, and new flooring, thus making study more attractive to our children.

Again this past year has been one free from any serious, contagious disease. We have had Chicken Pox, Measles, Impetigo Contagioso, but no deaths among our children. Randolph again escaped the dreaded Infantile Paralysis, and with the fine co-operation of our new Board of Health, I feel sure we can be free from it in the future. There has been a Tuberculosis Clinic held by the State Department of Public Health during the year and about the usual percent of positive cases were discovered among the children. These positive reports need not cause any undo alarm among the parents as in every clinic held throughout the state similar reports are found in children. Tuberculosis is fairly common but with the usual care consisting of rest, plain nourishment, these positive cases soon pass to negative.

One of the most noted improvements found while I was examining the children was the excellent condition of the teeth. So far I have examined over seven hundred school children and the remainder are being examined according to grades, as is the usual custom.

I wish to thank the Teachers, School Committee, our Superintendent and especially our School Nurse for their most hearty co-operation during the past year.

GEORGE V. HIGGINS, M. D.,
School Physician.

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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,
Superintendent of Schools.

I am submitting herewith a report of my activities from September 14, 1931, to December 31, 1931:

All pupils have been weighed.

Physical examinations by Dr. Higgins	734
Von Pirquet test, all grades	839
Pupils X-rayed	170
Physical examinations by Dr. Reddy	40
Pupils sent home with Impetigo	20
Pupils sent home with Pediculosis	14
Pupils examined at Dr. Higgins' office	50
Home visits	60

The schools are well equipped with new scales, screens, and first aid cabinets filled to meet any emergency.

It is hoped that money will be appropriated for a Dental Clinic. For the benefit and improvement of every child's health, this is a necessity.

At Thanksgiving time the teachers and the school children donate food. Forty-eight baskets were distributed among the needy of the town.

At Christmas time the school children again generously contributed food.

The firemen donated \$10 for toys, also collected and repaired toys. Many children were made happy by their generosity.

I take this opportunity to thank you for your cooperation.

I also wish to thank the School Committee, the Board of Health, the Teachers and Dr. Higgins for their hearty support.

Respectfully yours,

ANNE L. KILEY, R. N.

School Nurse.

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REPORT OF MUSIC SUPERVISOR

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,
Superintendent of Schools.

Dear Sir:

Generally speaking the work in music is going on very systematically. The teachers manifest a very good spirit of co-operation, and all concerned are working to bring about the desired results.

I recommend that more time be given to the teaching of music in all schools. Pupils in the upper grades require more stimulation, consequently a greater amount of time and energy must be displayed by the teacher to this end. The desired result cannot be accomplished in a music period of 30 to 40 minutes, once a week. Therefore I ask that the time in music be extended.

I look forward to the introduction of music appreciation classes in our schools in the near future, as recommended by our School Board. With this accomplishment our children will develop a knowledge and love for the best in music.

This year classes in Instrumental music are being held in the High, Devine, Prescott, and Belcher Schools. Weekly lessons are given by a Band Instructor at a small fee and the pupils in those classes manifest much enthusiasm in the work.

In conclusion I wish to thank the members of the School Board, for their co-operation in supplying the much needed material, necessary to bring about favorable results.

Respectfully submitted,

ROSE G. HAND,
Supervisor of Music.

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REPORT OF THE HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Mr. A. O. Christiansen,
Superintendent of Schools.

The chief objective of public education is the training of our youth for the duties of American citizenship. This fact needs to be emphasized and repeated, that we may not lose sight of the real purpose for which schools exist. Education means not only a training to earn a living and direct ones life, but it should create a desire and ability to help others, and to contribute to the general welfare. With this end in view it becomes the duty of all instructors of youth to inculcate in every student a desire to attain a high standard of character, scholarship, and discipline. Excellence in all school work is the ideal we are striving for. We believe that the past year has shown a creditable gain in the right direction.

One factor of special importance in training boys and girls, is the co-operation of parents. This is one reason for insisting on the completion of homework. It is true that the requirements of a modern high school education, with its full curriculum, leaves but little time for study during school hours. It is equally important, however, to note that the pupil studying at home keeps the parents in touch with the work of the school. Fathers and mothers should have a definite and reasonable knowledge of what their boys and girls are accomplishing toward the purpose of education. Report cards are helpful, but they are not enough. The home assignment helps to solve the problem.

During the past year teachers have given special attention to the subject of homework in regard to assignments and careful preparation.

No feature of educational work deserves more careful attention than the matter of school records. The

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parents, students, and the public in general, should know that these records now are accessible and accurate. The record of each student shows his attendance and rating in each subject. Students who have completed creditable work certainly deserve to have the facts recorded as a reference for future use. Those who have neglected their opportunity should realize that the only way to overcome an undesirable record is by a determined effort.

Growth and development are briefly the result of individual striving and initiative. Others may help us but they cannot do the work of life for us. We achieve results in proportion as we put forth effort ourselves. The inspiration of group meetings, however, should not be overlooked. This is one of the chief reasons for school assemblies. If the assembly becomes routine-like in character it is in danger of developing into a period of doubtful worth. School assemblies should be for a specific purpose and at not too frequent intervals. They should be so conducted as to be of a help and not a hindrance to the purpose of education; an inspiration, not a distraction from work. This has been the governing idea as regards assemblies at Stetson High School during the current year.

Special subjects in American high schools have received increased attention in recent years. For several years the students in our high schools have had a choice of only two elective subjects, Music and Drawing. During the current year the subject of Domestic Art has been added to the curriculum with excellent results. Domestic Art has come to be regarded as practical and of educational worth. We trust that it may become a permanent part of our high school course.

The care of school property is one of the essentials of good citizenship. School books, buildings, furniture,

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etc., are public property, and those individuals who injure or destroy such property are consciously or unconsciously public enemies. This fact is well known to students.

It is a source of satisfaction to know that the great majority of boys and girls live up to the requirements of good citizenship, in the care of school property.

The value of a high school education is no longer a matter of debate. The elementary schools should furnish the necessary foundation; the high school gives the necessary complement for the right kind of American citizenship. No boy or girl should be denied the educational advantages of a modern high school. It is highly important, however, that students be as careful as possible in selecting a course of work they desire to pursue. It is difficult to change from one course to another without serious loss in various ways. Pupils who are in doubt as to which course to select should seek proper advice before entering the high school.

At the High School graduation exercises in June, the Honorable P. T. Campbell, Superintendent of Schools of Boston, delivered the graduation address. His inspiring words on the subject of "Loyalty" were deeply appreciated. The Town of Randolph is to be congratulated upon securing so distinguished an educator and orator for this occasion.

Respectfully submitted,

WARREN J. SWETT.

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Report of Trustees of Stetson School Fund

Randolph, Mass., January 21, 1932.

We, the undersigned auditors of the Town of Randolph have this day examined the accounts of the Secretary of Stetson School Fund, and find same correct as per the above statement.

RAYMOND L. MASON,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,

GEORGE V. HIGGINS,
Auditors Secretary.

Randolph, Mass., January 21, 1932.

The auditors of the Town of Randolph have this day examined investment of Stetson School Funds, and find same to be as follows:

8 shares of Webster & Atlas Bank	\$800.00
9 shares of Lawrence Gas	225.00
10 shares of Randolph Co-Operative Bank	2,000.00
Deposit in Randolph Trust Company	9,550.32
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	722.87
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	\$13,298.19

Also a deposit of \$1,119.66 to the credit of Turner Medal Fund.

RAYMOND L. MASON,
JAMES V. DONOVAN,
Auditors.

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THE TRUSTEES IN ACCOUNT WITH STETSON SCHOOL FUND

Receipts		Payments	
Balance, January 21, 1931		Deposited Randolph Savings	\$33.12
Lawrence Gas, Interest		Deposited Randolph Trust Co.	210.15
Randolph Co-Operative, Interest	\$118.05	Frank Diauto	190.80
Webster & Atlas, Interest	39.75	Timothy Kelliher	203.50
Sale of Lawrence Gas Rights	105.00	Trustees & Secretary	20.00
Randolph Trust Co., Interest	64.00	Edwin Soule	22.50
Randolph Savings, Interest	1.01	C. D. Dolge	8.65
Hall Rent	425.03	Benjamin Hayden	33.40
	33.12	Commissioner Public Safety	5.00
	516.00	R. E. O'Brien	67.02
		Carl Jorgensen	29.00
		Morgan Hardware Co.	27.22
		Rand. & Hol. Light Co.	101.63
		M. F. Ellis	11.42
		Hollis Williams	20.00
		Brockton Gas Light Co.	50.31
		Edward Tierney	2.00
		James Dowd	10.00
		Stimpson & Co.	33.75
		Randolph Trust Co. (box rent)	3.00
		Randolph Trust Co. (1 sh. Lawrence Gas)	45.00
		George Roel	8.50
		Massachusetts State Prison	4.17
			\$1,140.14
		Balance checking account January 21, 1932	161.82
	\$1,301.96		\$1,301.96

Report of the Highway Surveyor

Upon being elected to the office of Highway Surveyor, my attention was first given to the equipment (which I found in deplorable condition) and buildings of the Highway Department.

I had to purchase all kinds of new tools, new Adams Leaning wheel Grader and new Root Cutter. I also purchased a stamp (steel) for marking the equipment bearing the initials R. H. D.

All equipment, including plows was then taken in, overhauled, painted and is being kept under cover when not in use.

New foundation and sills were then placed under the Roller House and the Roller was overhauled.

Care was given to the drainage problem in all sections of the town in so far as my appropriation would permit, new fences were built and old ones replaced on South, Union, Lafayette and Liberty streets. All streets and extensions that were accepted (with the exception of one) were tared and all old streets were repaired in so far as possible.

I wish to take this opportunity to strongly recommend that special attention be paid to the drainage situation this year as lack of drainage is the principal cause of streets being washed out.

I wish to also take this opportunity to thank the citizens for their able assistance during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. FREDERICKSON,

Highway Surveyor.

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Report of the Tree Warden

January 15, 1932.

To the Citizens of the Town of Randolph:

The public shade trees of any community are an asset and an ornament to the lovers of nature. What is more pleasing to the eye than to motor along the highways lined with beautiful shade trees when the foliage is in full bloom?

The taking over, by the State, of North Main Street as a State highway and the removal of many of our grand old trees has destroyed the beauty of our main street, that has been a pride and a heritage of a generation. To my mind more trees were removed than was necessary.

Roadside trimming was carried on as much as possible and bad corners cleared so that the view would not be obstructed. More work needs to be done this year.

The town would do well to establish a nursery so that young trees could be raised for street planting. The cost would be very small.

Let our motto be—PLAN TO PLANT ANOTHER TREE.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. MOORE,

Tree Warden.

Report of the Moth Superintendent

January 31, 1932.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The Gypsy and Brown Tail moth situation for the year ending December 31, 1931 is very satisfactory.

Spraying operations were carried on during the season as far as possible. The Elm beetle was found in large numbers in the past season and much work was done destroying them with success as far as our appropriation would allow. More spraying must be done this year to hold them in check. The Tent caterpillar and the Fall webworms should also be taken care of. All wild cherry trees should be cut down and burned, also all brush heaps and rubbish, which will help eliminate many egg clusters of these pests.

The sprayer will have to be overhauled and a few new parts purchased, also some new hose.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. MOORE,

Local Moth Supt.

Report of Police Department

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit report of the work done by the Police Department of the Town of Randolph for the year ending December 31, 1931.

Calls answered and investigations made	1,915
*Summons served	150
*Arrests	291
Arraignments in Court	275
Bound over to Grand Jury	17
Pending in District Court	3
Found guilty in District Court	251
**Dismissed for want of Prosecution	9
Appealed to Superior Court	16
***Found guilty in Superior Court	25
Pending in Superior Court	4
Nol-prossed in Superior Court	2
Acquitted	2
Placed on file	51
Placed on Probation	43
Fined	144
Committed to House of Correction	10
Committed to Concord Reformatory	1
Committed to State Farm	2
Committed to Lyman School	1
Stolen Property Recovered	\$9,418.56
Net returns paid to Town Treasurer from fines over and above expenses of prosecution	\$256.09

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Fines taken in by the District and Superior Courts	\$3,682.00
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* Some arrests and summons were served for out of town police.

*** Includes 17 cases bound over to the Grand Jury, all of which were found guilty in Superior Court.

** Of the 9 cases dismissed for want of prosecution the police were not complainants.

Respectfully submitted,

PATRICK T. McDONNELL,

Chief of Police

Report of the Fire Department

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit my report of the Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1931.

During the year this department has responded to 210 calls, classified as follows:

Bell alarms	88
Still alarms	122
False alarms	10
Automobile fires	15
Building fires	49
Wood and grass fires	132
Aid calls	1
Calls for Lungmotor	1
Broken Hydrant	1
Broken Gas Main	1

Assessed value of buildings damaged by fire	\$201,100.00
Damage to buildings	20,691.30
Insurance on buildings	181,300.00
Insurance paid on loss	22,855.30
Loss not covered by insurance	500.00
Estimated value of contents	51,800.00
Damage to contents	3,171.32
Insurance on contents	19,600.00
Insurance paid on loss	2,151.32
Damage not covered by insurance	1,200.00
Total number of feet of hose used	27,504
Total number of feet of ladder used	747

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Total number of gallons pumped from booster tanks	5,345
Total number of feet of chemical hose used	12,300
Total number of gallons chemical used	770
Total number of gallons foam used	10

During the year the apparatus received a complete overhauling and at the present time is in good condition.

The new truck voted for at the town meeting was built and put in commission. This truck is equipped not for forest fire work alone, but will take care of any building fire of average size.

The North Randolph School was connected to the Fire Alarm System during the year; also a street box placed at the East Randolph School.

Except for new elements in the batteries and slight changes on the lines, due to state road construction, the Fire Alarm System will not need any great amount of repairing this year.

The work of this department, as in former years, was performed with the same regard for the best interests of the town, the members all working to make this department as efficient as possible.

I wish to thank all persons for any assistance which has been rendered during the year.

HAROLD L. BAILEY,
Chief of Department.

Report of the Park Commissioners

Your Park Commission has held semi-monthly conferences since its appointment at the March, 1931, town meeting, and has given much attention to the recreational needs of the young people of the entire town. It was decided to devote the major part of its activities to the development of the E. Fannie Belcher Park, on account of the fact that the location was central and that there were opportunities for a safe skating pond, which could be economically and quickly made available, without detriment to surrounding property; that after a skating pond had been created, a park could be developed.

Sixty thousand square feet of skating pond is now in readiness; the adjoining land has been drained; much valuable fertilizing material, which can be sold by the town at a good price, has been unearthed by the steam shovel; pathways have been built; great rocks excavated; and the dead wood has been cut and distributed to citizens in exchange for their labor.

This work was made possible by donations from public spirited citizens in and out of town; by three entertainments from which about \$325 in cash was realized, and by much volunteer labor on the part of civic-minded men and boys.

Your commission recommends that it be allowed the use of the town's street equipment in the future,

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when this equipment is not in use by the street department, the expense for same to be paid out of the appropriation granted to the Park Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. MADDEN,
EDGAR B. COLE,
JESSIE C. DUNBAR,
JOHN E. KELLEY,
HELEN M. HANEY,
HENRY N. CORP,
ERSKINE H. COX,
EUGENE L. McAULIFFE,
JAMES A. MULLEN.

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Sealer of Weights and Measures

To the Board of Selectmen,

Randolph, Mass.

Gentlemen:

During the year 1931 I have sealed:

Scales	109
Weights	200
Liquid Measures	493
Gasoline Pumps	60
Kerosene Pumps	21
Yard Sticks	12

There were re-sealed and tested:

Gasoline Pumps	20
Scales	18

Inspections made:

Pedlars' licenses	10
Pedlars' scales	10

Fees collected and turned over
to the Town Treasurer

\$108.89

Equipment purchases \$19.99

Expenses 20.00

Salary of Sealer 150.00

\$189.99

Appropriation

\$190.00

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL P. LYONS,

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

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1932 Town Meeting Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts
you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in elections therein, to meet at the polling places in their respective precincts, to wit:

**Polling Place in Precinct No. 1,
STETSON HALL, IN SAID TOWN**

**Polling Place in Precinct No. 2
NORTH RANDOLPH IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION
HALL, IN SAID TOWN**

**ON MONDAY, THE SEVENTH DAY OF MARCH, 1932
at 5:45 o'clock in the forenoon**

then and there to bring in to the Wardens of their respective precincts their votes on the official ballot for a Town Clerk for one year, Town Treasurer for one year, Moderator for one year, three Selectmen and Overseers of the Public Welfare for one year, one member of the School Committee for three years, one member of the Stetson School Fund for three years, one Collector of Taxes for one year, one Assessor for three years, one Water Commissioner for three years, three Auditors for one year, one member of the Board of Health for three years, one Tree Warden for one year, one Highway Sur-

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veyor for one year, five members of the Planning Board, two for one year, two for two years, one for three years and seven Constables for one year.

THE POLLS WILL BE OPENED AT FIVE FORTY-FIVE O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON AND WILL BE CLOSED AT FOUR O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON.

You are further directed to notify and warn said inhabitants qualified to vote as aforesaid to meet at the Town Hall in said Randolph on Monday, the 14th day of March, 1932 at seventy-thirty P. M., then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1932, and issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to refund any and all of the revenue notes issued in anticipation of revenue of the year 1932, in accordance with the provisions of Section 17, of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, any debt so incurred to be paid from the revenue of 1932.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money to defray the general Town Expenses for the current year, under the following headings:

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GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Moderator,	Salary
Selectmen,	Salaries and Expenses
Auditors,	Salaries and Expenses
Accountant,	Salary and Expenses
Treasurer,	Salary and Expenses (including Treasurer's Bond)
Tax Collector,	Salary and Expenses (including Tax Collector's Bond)
Assessors,	Salaries and Expenses
Law Department,	Expenses
Finance Committee,	Expenses
Planning Board,	Expenses
Park Commissioners,	Expenses
Town Clerk,	Salary and Expenses
	Vital Statistics
Election and Registration,	Salary and Expenses (including Registrars of Voters)
Town Office,	Expense

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department,	Salary and Expenses (including Traffic Signs and Beacons)
Lock-up,	Salary and Expenses
Fire Department,	Salaries and Expenses (including Forest Fires)
Sealer of Weights and Measures,	Salary and Expenses
Game Warden,	Salary
Dog Officer,	Salary
Tree Warden,	Salary and Expenses
Moth Extermination,	Expenses

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HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health Department,	Salaries and Expenses
Inspector of Plumbing,	Salary
Inspector of Animals,	Salary
Inspector of Slaughtering,	Salary
Inspector of Milk,	Salary
Health Nurse,	Salary

HIGHWAYS

Highway Surveyor's Salary
General Maintenance and Repairs
New Construction
Snow Removal
Street Signs
Street Lights
Sidewalks, etc.
Land Damage
Drainage

CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Overseers of Public Welfare,	Salaries and Expenses
Infirmary,	Salary and Expenses
Outside Relief,	Expenses (including Poor out of Infirmary and Mothers' Aid)
State Aid,	Expenses
Soldiers' Relief,	Expenses
Military Aid,	Expenses
Old Age Assistance,	Expenses

SCHOOLS

Salaries and Expenses (including conveyance of pupils,
employment of School Nurse, etc.)

TURNER LIBRARY

Repair,	Expenses
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UNCLASSIFIED

Memorial Day,	Expenses
Armistice Day,	Expenses
Care of Clock,	First Congregational Church
Printing and Distributing	
Town Reports,	
Costs and Claims,	Land Damages, etc.
Insurance,	Fire and Workmen's Comp.
Other Items,	

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Water Department,	Maintenance
	Service Construcion
	Joint Account
	New Construction
	Main Extensions
	Acquiring Land
	Other Items

MATURING DEBT AND INTEREST

Maturing Debt,
Interest; General

Article 4. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money for the Reserve Fund for extraordinary or unforeseen emergencies as per Section 6 of Chapter 40, General Laws.

Article 5. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money to cover unpaid bills of previous years.

 Special State Tax (Old Age Assistance Tax) ;

 Public Welfare (outside relief) ;

 Highway Department, 1930 and previous ;

 School Department, 1930 and previous.

Article 6. To hear and act on the reports of the Town Officers.

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Article 7. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint a Special Officer or Officers to enforce the laws.

Article 8. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the pay of Town Laborers and others hired by the day of hour.

Article 9. To hear and act on the report of any committee, and choose any committee the Town may think proper.

Article 10. To see what action the Town will take in regard to raising and appropriating money for the employment of a District Nurse, as provided for by Section 5, Chapter 40 of the General Laws, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 371, Acts of 1921.

Article 11. To see what action the Town will take in regards to raising and appropriating money for the leasing of the building occupied by Lieut. Thomas W. Desmond Post No. 169 the American Legion, as Headquarters.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$175.00 to apply on the Tax Collector's Salary Account which shows a deficit of this amount.

Article 13. To see if the Town will authorize the Water Commissioners to appoint one of their members to another office or position under their control and fix the salary of such person in accordance with the provision of Chapter 36, Acts of 1929, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 14. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Health to appoint any of their members to

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another office or position under their control and fix the salary of such person in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 36, Acts of 1929, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to abolish the office of Town Auditors under the provisions of Chapter 41, Section 55, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to petition the Director of Accounts to have the Town Accounts audited annually, or every two years, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to continue work on the Assessor's Maps and Plans as recommended by the Planning Board.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept an Ad Interim Zoning Law as recommended by Edward T. Hartman, State Consultant on Housing and Planning, as petitioned for by the Planning Board.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept building lines as established on Main Street by the Planning Board.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote on the filling in and regrading of the Steson High School grounds on the northeast side bordering on South Main Street by using the excavated material from the reconstructed highway and also by using excavated material from the E. Fannie Belcher Park Pond as recommended by the Planning Board.

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Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$2,000.00 for the use of the Park Commission in the development of the E. Fannie Belcher Park and the Stetson High School grounds as recommended by the Planning Board.

ACCEPTANCE OF STREETS

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Castleton Avenue, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by Joseph A. Piotti, Luther B. Sanborn, Elmer J. Delory and others.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Druid Hill Avenue, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by E. D. Porter, Francis O. Sullivan, George Harris and others.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Gordon Street, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by Hugh McCabe, Thomas F. Duke, Robert A. Yates and others.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Intervale Terrace, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by A. Marion Cole, Clay Taylor, Frank H. Purdy and others.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Russ Street, as laid out by the Selectmen (from the point already accepted) to Dorr Street, and as petitioned for by Leonard Shanks, Stanley Powers, James J. Connor and others.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Wilmarth Road, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by George W. Butler, Charles T. Aylott, Rudolph Mohr and others.

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Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Woodland Parkway, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by Frederick M. Harris, Henry M. Elworthy, Arthur L. Doody and others.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Woodlawn Road (from the present layout), as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by Charles M. Buzzell, Frank Sampson, Elmer J. Delory and others.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Wordsworth Street, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by Albert E. Walsh, John J. Condlin, Joseph E. MacDonald and others.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Royal Street, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by George Robertson, John F. Pierce, Eren Small and others.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, Van Beal Road, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by C. Lloyd Claff, Chester E. Claff, Louis B. Goeres and others.

REPAIR AND REBUILDING OF STREETS

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild Allen Street from that part now constructed, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Reginald M. Pulson, M. Fred Blanchard, James J. McLucas and others.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild Centre Street from that part now constructed (in an easterly direction) and raise and appropriate money

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therefor as petitioned for by Elmer Delory, Wm. A. Pettingell, Walter P. Stetson and others.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to build Bartlett Road as laid out by the Selectmen and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Benjamin M. LeVangie, Karla D. Schultz, Fred D. Driscoll and others.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild Fowler Street from that part now constructed (in a northerly direction) to West Street and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Edward Wright, William E. Foley, Florence J. Sullivan and others.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to build Gordon Street as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by Hugh V. McCabe, Thomas F. Duke, Robert A. Yates and others and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to build Royal Street from North Main Street to the property of Robertsons, a distance of about two hundred feet, as laid out by the Selectmen and as petitioned for by John J. DeCoursey, George R. Robertson, Eren Small and others.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,200.00 for the building and construction of Russ Street as petitioned for by Leonard Shank, Stanley Powers, James J. Connor and others.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to build Wilmarth Road as laid out by the Selectmen and raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 therefor as petitioned for by George W. Butler, Charles T. Aylott, Rudolph Mohr and others.

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Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to build Woodlawn Road, from the present new construction as laid out by the Selectmen, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 therefor as petitioned for by Charles M. Buzzell, Frank Sampson, Elmer J. Delory and others.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the rebuilding of Grove Street from its present construction in a westerly direction as petitioned for by C. Esten Soule, William F. Lucas, Franklin Sanborn and others.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to build Druid Hill Avenue, from the present new construction, as laid out by the Selectmen, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by E. D. Porter, Francis O. Sullivan, George Harris and others.

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to build Castleton Avenue, as laid out by the Selectmen, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Joseph A. Piotti, Luther B. Sanborn, Elmer J. Delory and others.

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild that part of Old Street between Chestnut and Canton Streets, a distance of about 300 feet, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Carl O. Olson, Donald S. Nelson, James H. Blake and others.

Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to make repairs on Overlook Road and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by James H. Hurley, Louis J. Potash, James P. Bondurant and others.

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to build Van Beal Road, as laid out by the Selectmen, and raise

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and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by C. Lloyd Claff, Chester E. Claff, Louis B. Goeres and others.

Article 48. To see if the Town will vote to build Wilmarth Road, as laid out by the Selectmen, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by George W. Butler, Charles T. Aylott, Rudolph Mohr and others.

Article 49. To see if the Town will vote to build Woodland Parkway, as laid out by the Selectmen, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Fredercik M. Harris, Henry M. Elworthy, Arthur L. Doody and others.

WATER EXTENSIONS

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money to install a six-inch water main, with necessary hydrants, on Bartlett Road from the corner of Orchard Street to the residence of William Mann as petitioned for by George J. Donnelly, Benjamin M. LeVangie, Fred D. Driscoll and others.

Article 51. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to connect the two dead ends on Centre Street, a distance of about eight hundred feet, one near the residence of Clarence Rowe and the other near the residence of John Marcille, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by S. S. Codman, Edwin MacKenzie, Everett O'Brien and others.

Article 52. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to lay the water main on Norrway Avenue, a distance of seven hundred and fifty feet from Oak Street, and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by John Malm, Arne A. Sortell, Garfield E. Farmer and others.

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Article 53. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to lay the water main from Mill Street nine hundred feet on Wilmarth Road and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by George W. Butler, Charles T. Aylott, Rudolph Mohr and others.

Article 54. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to lay the water main on Woodlawn Road five hundred feet from its present terminus and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Charles M. Buzzell, Frank Sampson, Elmer Delory and others.

Article 55. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main on Woodlawn Road a distance of seventy-five feet from its present terminus and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Alfred P. Essiembre, C. M. Buzzell, A. Quimby and others.

Article 56. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the extension of the water main from North Street along Oak Street in a westerly direction of twelve hundred feet, and instruct the Water Commissioners to install same, as petitioned for by George T. Erwin, Herbert A. McIntyre, Joseph Benjamino and others.

Article 57. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to install a water main on Van Beal Road a distance of five hundred feet easterly from South Main Street and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by C. Lloyd Claff, Chester E. Claff, Louis B. Goeres and others.

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ELECTRIC LIGHT EXTENSIONS

Article 58. To see if the Town will vote to install two electric lights on Woodlawn Road and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Charles M. Buzzell, Frank Sampson, Elmer J. Delory and others.

Article 59. To see if the Town will vote to install a street light at the corner of North Main and Saratoga Streets and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Stinson Thomas, Thomas P. Hendrick, Joseph E. MacDonald and others.

Article 60. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the installation of two electric lights on High Street in a southerly direction from Canton Street as petitioned for by Warren B. Crowell, Geo. O. Ayers, C. Tangen and others.

Article 61. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the installation of two electric lights on Van Beal Road as petitioned for by C. Lloyd Claff, Chester E. Claff, Louis B. Goeres and others.

Article 62. To see if the Town will vote to install one electric light on Woodland Parkway and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Frederick M. Harris, Henry M. Elworthy, Arthur L. Doody and others.

Article 62A. To see if the Town will vote to install one electric light on Depot Street near the residence of Mary E. Linnehan and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Elizabeth Linnehan, John E. Linnehan, James H. Hurley and others.

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MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES

Article 63. To see if the Town will vote to construct a drainage system in front of the Charles Gabriel Devine School on Old Street, according to a plan drawn by H. Emery White, C. E., and raise and appropriate money therefor, as petitioned for by Clarence Cole, Clay Taylor, Leslie Prime and others.

Article 64. To see if the Town will vote to lay a drain pipe through the property of Andrew Hylen to take care of the surface water on North Street and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Andrew Hylen, Herbert A. Jones, James J. McLucas and others.

Article 65. To see if the Town will vote to build a catch basin and lay drain pipe for same on Warren Street in front of the property of William Hawkins and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Elmer S. Holmes, Dewey Stoltz, James E. Connors and others.

Article 66. To see if the Town will vote to build a catch basin and lay drain pipe for same in front of the property of Herbert A. Jones, 660 North Street and raise and appropriate money for the same as petitioned for by Herbert A. Jones, Andrew Hylen, James J. McLucas and others.

Article 67. To see if the Town will vote to construct a sidewalk of permanent construction, beginning at the Avon Line, on the west side of South Main Street and running northerly and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by Albin E. Nelson, George E. Goody, Lars B. Anderson and others.

Article 68. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for drainage purposes at or near

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the vicinity of Hall Street as petitioned for by Clara M. Schultz, Maybelle L. Deitrick, Henry W. Blakely and others.

Article 69. To see if the Town will vote to build a sidewalk on the northerly side of Union Street beginning at Crawford Square, and that money be raised and appropriated therefor as petitioned for by John R. Luddington, Arthur T. Dolan, Frank L. Hand and others.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said Town seven days at least, before the day and hour for holding said meeting.

Hereof, fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, on or before the day and hour appointed for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, this 15th day of February, A. D. 1932.

WALTER F. STEPHENS,
HAROLD W. MACAULEY,
JAMES H. HURLEY,

Selectmen of Randolph.

A True Copy:
Attest:

Constable.

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